Erika A. Mock

November 3, 1930 - August 13, 2021

Mock, Erika A.
Age 90
Bangor

Passed away Friday, August 13, 2021 at Meadow Woods in Bloomingdale. Erika was born November 3, 1930 in Philadelphia, the daughter of the late Charles and Frances Westerfeld and had lived in Bangor since 1964. She graduated from South Haven High School in 1949. Erika then went on to earn her nursing degree in 1953 from the Edward W. Sparrow Hospital School of Nursing in Lansing. After nursing school, Erika served as Dr. Coopers nurse in Bangor. She then went on and worked until retirement at South Haven Community Hospital. After retirement she continued to work as a nurse serving at the Martin Luther Nursing Home in South Haven. Even outside of her chosen profession, Erika truly cared for other people. From Dog sitting, house sitting or always willing to help anyone with anything, she was a genuine people person. Erika loved South Haven and especially cherished time spent at Lake Michigan. More than anything though, Erika loved spending time with her family, especially her grand and great grandchildren.

Surviving are her children, Loretta (Tom) Korn, William (Tammie) Mock, Keith (Robin) Mock, Richard Mock; 6 grandchildren, Regina, Andrea(Peter), Brandon (Jessica), Rebecca, Jennifer (Andrew), Levon (Sara); 13 great

grandchildren with 1 on the way; 1 great great granddaughter; a brother, Robert Gorman; sister in law, Gwyn Westerfeld; several nieces and a nephew.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a brother George Westerfeld, a great grandson, Brandon Walker and her dear friend Lois Cooper.

Following her wishes cremation has taken place. A memorial service is being planned for Saturday, August 6, 2022, 11:30 AM at Simpson United Methodist Church, Bangor. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to, Simpson United Methodist Church, Mission Point (Meadow Woods Nursing and Rehab), Sparrow Nurses School Alumnae or Caring Circle Hospice. Arrangements entrusted to the Bangor Chapel, D. L. Miller Funeral Home, ww w.dlmillerfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Cremation

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG **6**. 11:30 AM (ET)

Simpson United Methodist Church
507 Joy Street
Bangor, MI

Tribute Wall

42 files added to the album LifeTributes

D.L. Miller Funeral Home - March 08, 2022 at 01:45 PM

PV

Erika was the definition of a Top Notch NURSE & PERSON...So glad she cared for me & I got to know her at such a early age... She was always a friend to me & that was clear.What a AWESOME LADY...

Paul Valentine - August 24, 2021 at 10:48 PM

CW

Loretta, Bill, Keith and Richard,
Will never forget your mom.Love you all.

Carole Waite - August 22, 2021 at 11:47 AM

SH

Sending love and prayers during this time of loss. May you find comfort in the memories during the coming days. Sharon Lazarski

Sharon - August 20, 2021 at 09:35 AM

DB

Erika loved my flowers that I would bring up to the nursing home for her and Lois Cooper The flowers made her day.

David Bournay - August 18, 2021 at 06:14 AM

FB

Loretta and family, know that I am thinking of you during this time. Fonda Brown

Fonda Brown - August 17, 2021 at 06:28 PM

BM

Brenda Brinks Mead sent a virtual gift in memory of Erika A. Mock

Brenda Brinks Mead - August 17, 2021 at 02:15 PM

LC

Sincere condolences to the Mock family. We'll be missing you Erika. You will always be a member of the Cooper extended family.

Lance Cooper - August 17, 2021 at 09:03 AM

MK

R.I.H Erika. Prayers and hugs

Monica Koblinski - August 15, 2021 at 07:40 PM

ST

Bill and Tammie, we're so sorry for your loss.

Sam and Cynthia Titman - August 15, 2021 at 04:28 PM

ES

Rest in peace Erika Mock. Ericka was the nurse that delivered me and a great friend of my mother Phyllis Smith and I was named after her. She will be missed.

Eric Smith - August 15, 2021 at 11:24 AM

JE

Erika was a caregiver. Loved her laugh. It was infectious. Now you can see Dr. Cooper again, Erika. Fond thoughts. Prayers for the family and friends.

Jennie - August 15, 2021 at 11:14 AM

BB

Dear Mock family,
Erika was a dear friend of our family and will be missed by all who knew her. Loretta, I know you will miss your Mom. I just lost mine in May. 2021. Please know that I will be praying and thinking about you all.
Love Brenda Balfour

Brenda Balfour - August 15, 2021 at 09:38 AM

SM

Sheryl A. Johnson, Dowagiac, MI lit a candle in memory of Erika A. Mock

Sheryl A. Johnson, Dowagiac, MI - August 15, 2021 at 09:20 AM

CR

Chris Rigozzi lit a candle in memory of Erika A. Mock

Chris Rigozzi - August 15, 2021 at 07:57 AM

MB

Maggie Brooks lit a candle in memory of Erika A. Mock

Maggie Brooks - August 14, 2021 at 10:58 PM

RD

My Sincere thoughts & prayers go out to the Mock family.

Rick Dillman - August 14, 2021 at 08:45 PM

CJ

RIH Erika...You were my neighbor twice,. on Monroe Street way back & Lincoln Ave. at Coopers..grew up with all your lovely kids that will miss you dearly. Apparently you worked with John's wife (Jan) and You, Bunsie, & Jan were very close. It's a small world we live in.. You ladies can chat again. Our Sincere thoughts & prayers go out to your family...Now you can have all the peanut butter & jelly sandwiches you want. ❤️❤️❤️❤️

Carma & John - August 14, 2021 at 02:06 PM

TP

So sorry to hear about her passing your family is in my thoughts and prayers

Terri Blair Pepmeyer - August 15, 2021 at 12:30 AM

Thoughts and Prayers to the Mock Family.

Judy Rose-Rainey - August 15, 2021 at 09:28 AM

MH

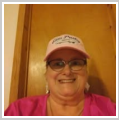
Thoughts, prayers, and sympathy to the Mock family.

Michael Hanners - September 03, 2021 at 08:22 AM

AR

Erika was my very first nursing supervisor after becoming an RN. I learned a lot from her. She was a top notch nurse and person. She even came to see me in person when my dad died. I never forgot HER.

Ann Rhoads - September 29, 2021 at 09:29 PM



I just saw this! Mrs. Mock was my midnight supervisor when I was a nurse at South Haven. I've thought of her often.

LeAnne Burgess - December 01, 2021 at 08:37 AM