



Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn

June 4, 1952 - June 15, 2019

Roxanne Walantyn

age 67

of Grand Junction

Roxanne Walantyn unexpectedly passed away at home on Saturday, June 15, 2019. Roxie was born on June 4, 1952 in Allegan, MI, the daughter of Lynn and Patricia Johnson. Roxie worked at the Do-It Corporation for over 25 years before retiring. After retirement, she enjoyed traveling with her family, going to many places but her passion was spending time with her family and especially being "Mimi" to her grandkids.

Roxie is survived by her husband Mike, whom she married on December 12, 1970; her children, Michael Jr. (Shannon) Walantyn of Bloomingdale, Jeremy (Heidi) Walantyn of Grand Junction, Betsy (Eric) Finch of Grand Junction and Stephen (Patricia) Walantyn of Kalamazoo; grandkids, Nolan, Zane, Chase, Kylie, Carson, Carter, Adelyn and Grayson; brother and sisters, Louis (Tracie) Johnson, Terrie (John) Rupczynski, Lynn (Ninfa) Johnson and Salli Jo (Paul) Ensley; mother-in-law, Virginia Walantyn and many nieces, nephews and extended family. She was preceded in death by her parents; her sister, Deb Weber; her father-in-law, Don Walantyn, Sr.; brother in law, Jeff Walantyn; a nephew, Scott Weber and a niece, Jessica Jensen. The family will meet friends on Thursday, June 20, from 10 AM until time of service at 12 PM at the Bangor Chapel, D.L. Miller Funeral Home with Pastor Dave Markel officiating. Interment will follow at Breedsville Cemetery.

www.dlmillerfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Breedsville Cemetery

CR 380
Breedsville, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 20. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bangor Chapel
258 West Monroe Street
Bangor, MI

Service

JUN 20. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Bangor, MI

Tribute Wall

LA

“ Thoughts and prayers go out to both the families and friends. It is so sad that Roxie was taken at such a young age. I'm so sorry for your loss



Lisa Abbott - June 20, 2019 at 05:03 PM

VE

“ Vernon and family are sending there prayers and a lit candle and y'all have a special Angle looking over y'all and guide throughout life God Bless



Vernon - June 20, 2019 at 01:12 PM

FH

“ Fred And Yvette Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Fred and Yvette Hamilton - June 20, 2019 at 09:49 AM

JW

“ Judy Wells lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



judy wells - June 20, 2019 at 08:40 AM

JW

“ Mike and family we are so sorry for your loss. God has taken a great angle for his kingdom. She was a very caring person, there to help everyone. Her, Debbie and Terrie have been there so many times for our family. Roxy and Debbie are together again and I'm sure they will be doing great things in heaven. Thoughts go out to Lewis, Lynn, Terrie and Sally Joe. Mike and Judy Wells

judy wells - June 20, 2019 at 08:39 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



June 20, 2019 at 08:34 AM

PL

“ We are deeply saddened by your loss, may our prayers guide her soul to our Heavenly Father. Sincere condolences!



Paul & Michelle Leonard - June 19, 2019 at 06:31 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



June 19, 2019 at 02:32 PM

SJ

“ Sympathy & love to the Walantyn and Johnsons. purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



Sympathy & love to the Walantyn and Johnsons. - June 19, 2019 at 10:06 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



June 19, 2019 at 09:34 AM

CT

“ Mike and family, we are so sorry for your terrible loss.

Cynthia and Sam Titman - June 19, 2019 at 08:57 AM

BB

“ Brenda Balfour lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Brenda Balfour - June 19, 2019 at 08:45 AM

DC

“ Dave And Linda Christian lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Dave and Linda Christian - June 19, 2019 at 08:26 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



June 18, 2019 at 08:05 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



June 18, 2019 at 07:37 PM

DH

“ Del And Deb Hooper lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Del and Deb Hooper - June 18, 2019 at 07:26 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



June 18, 2019 at 05:23 PM



“ *With Love, Patrick Lancaster & Family purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



With Love, Patrick Lancaster & Family - June 18, 2019 at 04:41 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



June 18, 2019 at 12:19 PM



“ *Jeanie And Larry Trantham lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn*



Jeanie and Larry Trantham - June 18, 2019 at 11:46 AM

RH

“ Remembering the times we worked concessions together and did other events at school together. We always picked up wherever we had left off and talked like old time again. Just saw her few weeks ago, and are really glad to have that last memory. Our prayers for God's comfort in the following days! God bless!! Russ & Kathy Hodgman and family



Russ & Kathy Hodgman - June 18, 2019 at 11:23 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



June 18, 2019 at 11:12 AM

JW

“ So sorry Mike for your great loss. It is such a shock. Roxy and I had a few little jokes between us that all we had to do was look at each other and we would break out laughing. My Sincere Sympathy for the loss of your wife and Dad. Way too much for one person to have to handle. God Bless. May she RIP.



Julianne White - June 18, 2019 at 08:08 AM

DR

“ Dave & Judy Rainey lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Dave & Judy Rainey - June 18, 2019 at 07:19 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



June 18, 2019 at 04:46 AM

TF

“ Thoughts and prayers of peace for your family. Roxie always had a smile on her face and took care of all of us like we were all family. She will be greatly missed.



The Zordan family - June 17, 2019 at 10:11 PM

TP

“ Betsy, Kylie and family we were so saddened to her about Mimi's passing. She was a great person and I always enjoyed seeing her at softball. She was always so kind and seemed to make everyone she was around, smile! So very sorry for ALL that your family is going through with the passing of your grandpa/great-grandpa! I cannot imagine. Please know that we are thinking of you all during this difficult time. Marc, Trish and Courtney

Tricia Pasek - June 17, 2019 at 09:50 PM

MB

“ *Maggie Brooks lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn*



Maggie Brooks - June 17, 2019 at 08:11 PM

MB

So sad to hear about the passing of Roxie! The family is in my thoughts and prayer!

Maggie Brooks - June 17, 2019 at 08:12 PM

TP

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Tricia Pasek - June 17, 2019 at 09:47 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



June 17, 2019 at 08:09 PM

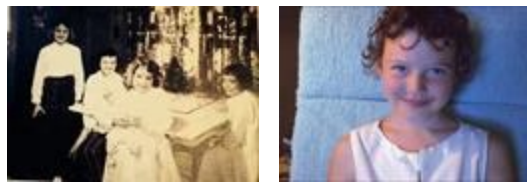
BB

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. Praying for the family that God sees you through this difficult time. My sweet Kylie please know we are here for you, always.
Bill and Sue Bray and Family

Bill and Sur Bray - June 17, 2019 at 07:52 PM

KZ

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Kym Zumbrink - June 17, 2019 at 07:47 PM

DF

“ We are saddened to hear that Roxie has left us. We remember her fondly and are grateful for the beauty she added to our lives and this world. May we find peace in the knowledge that we will be reunited.

Doug Lillie and Family - June 17, 2019 at 07:23 PM

KZ

“ Kym Zumbrink lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Kym Zumbrink - June 17, 2019 at 07:13 PM

KZ

Mike and family, Lynn, Louis, Terrie, and Sally and families... Mrs. Walantyn and family,

No words can express how sad I am to have lost my sweet sweet childhood friend. I was blessed to have had her in my life...growing up we grew so close that to this day if we were together...we could complete each other's sentences...knew exactly what the other was going to say or how they felt. It was uncanny. A truly unique friendship that I think only she and I understood. I will miss her quick wit, that silly laugh and beautiful smile. She was something. The CUTEST little girl I've ever seen...and I've seen quite a few...and she passed that cute gene on to many of you!

I am soooo happy that she retired when she did...and that you all traveled and had much fun together. I kind of questioned it when she did...but she knew it was right. I loved seeing the pictures of the trips, families, celebrations and grands on FB...and will miss getting chewed out by Jasmine for holding our complete conversations in the FB feed...we would laugh so hard at the scoldings!! And Roxie would laugh at reading me writing this here...

She loved her family more than anything...and is a beautiful example of the BEST wife, sister, mother, mimi and friend!! You all drew the lucky straw for sure! As did I when I met my sweet friend so many years ago in our Hutchins Lake neighborhood. Neighbors and friends forever. We had a great childhood together...one we never took for granted, as years passed, and we reminisced.

As you navigate through the next few days, months...and then years...cherish the memories you made with her...hold them tight...just like she held all of you so close to her. She lives on through her beautiful spirit, in all of you. Everyone should be so lucky to have had Roxie in their life...truly blessed. Hugs...big big hugs to all of you. I love all of you as I loved her. See you Thursday.

Love,

Kym, Bob, Jasmine, Robyn and families.

Kym Zumbrink - June 17, 2019 at 07:48 PM

LL

“ Love, Uncle Doug, Aunt Betty and Ryan Lillie purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



Love, Uncle Doug, Aunt Betty and Ryan Lillie - June 17, 2019 at 07:13 PM

PP

“ So sorry for your losses, our hearts go out to your whole family.

Pamn & Don Puckett - June 17, 2019 at 06:34 PM

Bill Krohn

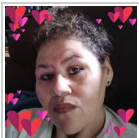
“ Very sorry to hear this, too hard to believe. Condolences to the family.

Bill Krohn - June 17, 2019 at 06:14 PM

GW

“ Keeping your entire family in my prayers.
Hugs, Gail Goodrich Willett

Gail Goodrich Willett - June 17, 2019 at 06:12 PM



“ Tina Maxwell-Ford lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Tina Maxwell-Ford - June 17, 2019 at 06:05 PM

TC

“ Tina Campbell lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Tina Campbell - June 17, 2019 at 05:57 PM

TC

Roxie will be missed by many. She was so kind and loving. She went out of her way to help anyone. The thing I will always remember about Roxie is her smile and her laugh. Miss you girl my heart is broken but just knowing you made my world a better place.

Tina Campbell - June 17, 2019 at 06:02 PM

SJ

“ So sad. Roxie was the most loving and caring person and would do anything for anyone. She will be missed by so many people. Hugs to the whole family. love Rocky & Shellie Johnson



Shellie Johnson - June 17, 2019 at 05:19 PM

LB

“ Latricia Beer lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Latricia Beer - June 17, 2019 at 05:05 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



June 17, 2019 at 04:56 PM



“ Chris Rigozzi lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Chris Rigozzi - June 17, 2019 at 04:54 PM



“ So very very sad to hear of Roxie's passing. Our prayers are with her family. She will be really missed. The Farmer family



Lynne - June 17, 2019 at 04:34 PM



“ How this breaks our heart Roxy was like a second Mom to me growing up. You will be missed dearly. Prayers To the family we pray they find comfort and peace in this difficult time we love you guys from Georgia. The Merrimans!



zach Merriman - June 17, 2019 at 04:19 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



June 17, 2019 at 04:11 PM



“ *Cheryl Ryneerson lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn*



Cheryl Ryneerson - June 17, 2019 at 03:37 PM



“ *Linda (Granke) Hinz lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn*



Linda (Granke) Hinz - June 17, 2019 at 03:34 PM



So very sorry and praying for the Walantyn & Johnson families.

Linda (Granke) Hinz - June 17, 2019 at 03:35 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Brad and Dani Weber*

Delani Weber - June 17, 2019 at 03:28 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



June 17, 2019 at 03:25 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



June 17, 2019 at 03:19 PM



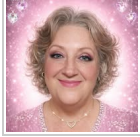
“ *Oh our fiesty Rocko...you had a great day before becoming an angel, everyone of your kids and grand kids surrounded you, along with so much friends and family. And we all know that those moments were your treasures. RIP dear lady , your so missed already and always will be.Lori and Rick wendell*

lori wendell - June 17, 2019 at 03:11 PM



“ *One of the sweetest human beings I have ever had the privilege of knowing. My heart breaks for this family. I hope you can feel your community wrapping their support around you all.*

Jennifer Carpio-Zeller - June 17, 2019 at 03:04 PM



“ *Melissa Clayton lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn*



Melissa Clayton - June 17, 2019 at 02:50 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



June 17, 2019 at 02:39 PM



“ *Mary Spade purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.*



Mary Spade - June 17, 2019 at 02:20 PM



“ *So saddened by this news. Remembering the vacation together with Roxie and the many other treasured moments we shared. May your memories of her life well lived provide you comfort during this difficult time. -Melanie Thompson Walantyn Zeiger*

Melanie Zeiger - June 17, 2019 at 02:17 PM

SS

“ I spent many days at Debbie and Roxy's home while friends with Debbie and was also welcomed. Roxy was always upbeat and I know she will be so missed. My condolences.

Susan Brayman Sprague - June 17, 2019 at 02:15 PM

KH

“ Karl & Ruth Hewitt purchased the Simply Happy Kalanchoe Plant for the family of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn.



Karl & Ruth Hewitt - June 17, 2019 at 01:42 PM

KH

“ Karl & Ruth Hewitt lit a candle in memory of Roxanne "Roxie" Walantyn



Karl & Ruth Hewitt - June 17, 2019 at 01:28 PM

KH

“ We are so sorry for your loss; we will always cherish our times together; blessings to all of you at this difficult time.

Karl & Ruth Hewitt - June 17, 2019 at 01:27 PM