



## Bette Marie Raymond

September 17, 1943 - December 31, 2024

It is with great sorrow that we announce to you that our Beloved Wife & Mother, Bette Marie Raymond passed away unexpectedly Tuesday, December 31, 2024 at Munson Healthcare Cadillac Hospital. Bette resided in the area most of her life.

She was born in Cadillac on September 17, 1943 to Carl T. & Betty Marie (Weatherwax) Barker. Bette married Roger David Raymond on October 21, 1960 and had been married 64 years when she passed away. They have four children together: Roger, Jr., Ronald, Randy and Nicole.

Bette's life was centered around her Lord Jesus, her family and her church family. She loved and served her Lord God with all that was within her. She prayed endlessly for her loved ones and ministered boldly to others. She rarely missed a moment when she could tell someone about Jesus and how much he loved them.

Bette served passionately for many years at the Community Food Pantry. Her last day on earth she was serving at the Cadillac Community Food Pantry at the Revival Center of Cadillac.

Bette loved her children and grandchildren fiercely and unconditionally. That love was extended to many others as she welcomed our spouses and friends

as part of her family.

Bette is survived by her husband Roger; her children: Roger David (Dawn) Raymond, Jr., Ronald Dean (Sandi) Raymond, Randy Lee (Judy) Raymond and Nicole Ranelle (Jay) Clough; grandchildren: Autumn, Marjorie, Andrew, Rikki, Randi, Ronald Jr., David, Ryan, Ross, Courtney, Brock, and Elizabeth; great grandchildren: Billy, Gretchen, Jayden, Japeth, Nolan, Shawn, Rex, Kyla, Karaleigh, Kendra, Kelsey, Macy, Wyatt, Wesley, Rubi, Aubree, Shawn, Landon, and Lincoln; siblings: Linda Costello, Carol Duncan, Margaret Kerr, Ken Barker, Larry Barker, Lowell Barker, and Colleen Montemayor.

She was preceded in death by her mother Betty Marie (Weatherwax) Barker Barber; her father, Carl T. Barker; her step-father, Leon Barber, Sr.; 2 sisters, Jackie Garrow, and Annette Bright and a brother, Leon Barber, Jr.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 AM Tuesday, January 7, 2025 at the Revival Center in Cadillac with Pastor Will Markham officiating. Burial will be at Sherman Township Cemetery in Osceola County. Visitation will be Monday January 6, 2025 from 5-7 PM at Peterson Funeral & Cremation Services in Cadillac and from 10:00 AM until services on Tuesday at the church. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made in her honor to the Cadillac Community Food Pantry at the Revival Center of Cadillac. An online guestbook is available at [www.petersonfh.com](http://www.petersonfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

**Sherman Township Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

JAN 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Peterson Funeral Home  
205 E. Cass St.  
Cadillac, MI 49601  
(231) 775-3411  
info@petersonfh.com  
<http://www.petersonfh.com>

### Funeral Service

JAN 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Revival Center of Cadillac  
5676 M-55  
Cadillac, MI 49601  
(231) 775-2662

# Tribute Wall

PL

“ Roger Sr., Roger Jr., Ron, Randy, Nicki and families: I am very sad to hear of Bette’s passing. My sadness was soon replaced with a smile, knowing that now she is praising Jesus face-to-face, right next to my mom. My husband and I pray that your heartache is replaced with comfort. Patti (Dine) and Alan Leika

Patti Leika - January 14, 2025 at 11:29 PM

SC

“ Roger, we are so sorry to hear of Betty’s death. One of our greatest servers in the Usher-Greeter Ministry. She always was a dear person and she will be missed. Doug & Sharon Cutler

Sharon Cutler - January 07, 2025 at 09:12 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bette Marie Raymond.



January 06, 2025 at 10:45 AM

TF

“ The Harnish Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Bette Marie Raymond.



The Harnish Family - January 06, 2025 at 09:49 AM

JJ

“ I am so sorry hearing of the passing of Bette. It was nice to have her as a neighbor. May God give Peace to You Roger and Randy and Judy and family. Jane Jesweak

Jane Jesweak - January 04, 2025 at 02:58 PM

LB

“ I will see my sister in heaven. I will get to know her as I never could here. My prayer is that the Lord will comfort you. God Bless.

Lowell Barker - January 03, 2025 at 10:32 PM

WT

“ Randy and Judy..so sorry for your loss. It's always hard to say goodbye but the memories will remain forever

Wanda Thomas - January 03, 2025 at 01:40 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Bette Marie Raymond.



January 03, 2025 at 09:39 AM

BB

“ Roger and family, we are so sorry to hear of your loss. May God's love and comfort surround you all as you walk through this sad time.

Bill and Barb Bigler - January 02, 2025 at 10:24 AM

DM

“ So very sorry to hear of Bette’s passing! She was always pleasant to talk with. Many fond memories of her and my mother’s (Mary Lou) friendship when they worked at Hostess. A very genuinely kind person! Many hugs to the family!

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**Darcy Mattson** - January 02, 2025 at 08:25 AM

CS

“ I shall miss my old Friend Bette and the lovely fragrance she always wore.??old friend you will wear a crown with many jewels.

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**carin Sutton** - January 02, 2025 at 05:06 AM

AS

“ My memory of Bette is her kindness, calmness and her smile. Her smile just made you feel loved and you know she felt it in her heart too. She loved fiercely and deeply and I am lucky to have been a special part of her family at one time. My heart is sad for Nicole and the rest of the family. But Nicole....this will be a loss that you will feel everyday, trust me. But little did we know they have taught us to live without them. Moms are the greatest gift and you Nicole were one of the most blessed. I know this because I know you. Sending love and hugs to all of you 🙏❤️

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**Amy Spencer** - January 01, 2025 at 06:36 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Bette Marie Raymond.

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January 01, 2025 at 02:19 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Bette Marie Raymond.* ”



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January 01, 2025 at 02:19 PM