



## Rose Marie Moon

October 2, 1925 - September 11, 2022

Rose Marie Moon of Cadillac passed away Sunday, September 11, 2022 at her home surrounded by her loving family. She was 96.

Rose was born October 2, 1925 in Owosso, Michigan to Lloyd and Blanche (Gilbert) Osborn and they preceded her in death. On July 14, 1946 at the United Methodist Church in Cadillac she married William "Bill" Moon and he preceded her in death on August 1, 2014.

Mrs. Moon retired from Cadillac Area Public Schools as a bus driver after 25 years. She loved her job and loved the children on her route even more. Each child held a special place in her heart and she enjoyed looking after them.

She loved her family, especially her grandchildren and was always there to support them at their activities. Rose loved being outdoors; swimming, ice skating and roller skating. She was also a talented bowler. Rose loved animals; she had a lifelong love of horses and had many dogs over the years.

She is survived by their six children: Terry (Mary Kay) Moon, Tammy Evers, Trudy (Tony) Fuzi, Talli (Ben) Franklin all of Cadillac, Todd (Ladda) Moon of Henderson, Nevada and Trent Moon of Cadillac; 13 grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren; five great- great grandchildren.

In addition to her parents and husband Rose was preceded in death by a great grandson, Benjamin Tyler Franklin and a grandson, Benjamin Adam Franklin; four brothers, Al, Lloyd, William, Robert Osborn.

Memorial services will be held 11:00 AM, Friday, September 23, 2022 at the South Community United Methodist Church in Cadillac with Reverend James Mort officiating. Friends may meet the family at the luncheon following the service.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Michigan Cadillac Chapter. An online guestbook is available at [www.petersonfh.com](http://www.petersonfh.com).

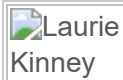
# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

SEP **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

South Community United Methodist  
11800 47 Rd  
Cadillac, MI 49601  
(231) 775-3067

# Tribute Wall

Laurie Kinney

“ Aunt Rosie taught me to love and respect horses and doberman pinschers! She taught me to work through my grass allergy while working in the hay field.

*She also helped me love going to all of the yard sales we visited, and helped me make some really great purchases when I was young.*

*I will always remember her love for children, her smile, her fantastic farmhouse cooking, and incredible hospitality.*

*She was a formative figure in my childhood, and a blessing to so many lives that she touched.*

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**Laurie Kinney** - September 27, 2022 at 08:03 PM

MK

“ Rose always made you feel very comfortable and cared for, weather she was meeting you for the first time or the feeling that no time had passed since being in each other's company from the last time. I'm so happy I got the pleasure to just hang with Tammy and YOU!!! Sending out some EXTRA LOVE to ALL of Rose's Family and Friends!! Miss Kathy

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**Miss Kathy** - September 22, 2022 at 10:22 PM

JO

“ Beautiful Aunt Rosie was a very special Aunt. Whenever Ric and I visited her she always had a smile on her face and welcomed us with all her love. We laughed a lot too. Rest in peace!

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**Jackie Osborn** - September 21, 2022 at 08:33 PM

RO

“ My Aunt Rosie was a one of a kind special person! Growing up she always had a way of making us kids feel loved and cared for. Heaven just got one of the great ones. She will be forever loved and misses! Rest in peace sweetheart!!

Ric Osborn - September 21, 2022 at 08:24 PM

PO

“ I never met anyone sweeter or more loving than Rosie. I have only wonderful memories of her throughout my life. She was my favorite aunt. I hope that they have lakes, horses, good jokes, games and lots of delicious chocolate in heaven. Aunt Rosie will forever be in my heart. Until we meet again and dunk toast in our hot chocolate, I will be missing you. 💔

Pam Osborn - September 21, 2022 at 10:47 AM

DH

“ Dr. John & Mickey Osborn, Greg & Pat Apkarian, John & Martha Huffman purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Rose Marie Moon.



Dr. John & Mickey Osborn, Greg & Pat Apkarian, John & Martha Huffman - September 21, 2022 at 09:22 AM

AW

“Grandma” Rosie had a smile and a kind word for everyone, and she made this world a happier place. I still remember when Rosie noticed my pony standing outside the kitchen door and suddenly decided to invite him inside for a snack. To this day, more than 30 years later, it is still the funniest and most magical thing I have ever seen.

*Thank you for sharing Rosie with me—she was such a treasure!—and please accept my family’s deepest condolences.*

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**Angela Greeley Wagner** - September 18, 2022 at 08:11 PM

ML

“Tammy, Trudy, and Talli, I know where you three got your sweet natures. Your mom was so gentle and kind to our little preschoolers when we were lucky enough to have Mrs. Moon for our driver on field trips. My condolences to all your family. Mary Lindwall

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**Mary Lindwall** - September 16, 2022 at 10:15 AM

DL

“Rosie was one of the kindest ladies I’ve even had the pleasure of knowing. She was my moms (Jane LeVeque) great friend, co worker, and Rosie bowled with us for many years. Your family had a treasure and I’m so happy to have such great memories. Dot LeVeque

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**Dot LeVeque** - September 15, 2022 at 10:18 PM

BH

“My brother, Wade, and I had Rosie as our bus driver. She definitely had love for each of her riders. Prayers to the family and all of her beautiful memories she made to with each student.

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**Beth Hook** - September 15, 2022 at 10:20 AM

KW

“ Our deepest condolences to the entire Moon family. The best seat on the bus was the one right behind Rose. Kim Wallis-Burke and Dan Wallis

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**Kim Wallis-Burke** - September 14, 2022 at 06:10 PM

JJ

“ Sending prayers during this difficult time. My mom (Carol) enjoyed driving bus with Rosie and all of them had a special bond. The Gilbert Family

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**Joyce Jastrem** - September 14, 2022 at 06:10 PM

DB

“ My children all loved Rose as their bus driver. She truly made a special connection with each child. She leaves a wonderful legacy of caring and kindness to all who knew her. Thinking of you all as you grieve. Our hearts and prayers are with you. Don and Sandy Bode

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**Don and Sandy Bode** - September 14, 2022 at 12:00 PM

HL

“ Such a great gal. I have many fond memories of your sweet mother. Thanks for sharing her with so many of us.

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**Helen Mackey Lehman** - September 14, 2022 at 08:56 AM

AB

“ I had Rose as a bus driver as a kid and then as a coach. She really loved her job and always took an interest in her riders. If she had a concern about a student, she wouldn't hesitate to reach. Even after she retired, she would stop and make an effort to chat while watching an event her grandkids were doing. Moon family I am sorry for your loss. Rose was a special lady.

*Ann Bush*

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**Ann M Bush** - September 13, 2022 at 10:36 PM

BJ

“ Terry, Tammy, Trudy, Talli, Todd, Trent and families...we are saddened to hear of your mom's passing. She was truly a bright light and a warm loving heart for everyone who knew her. She gave us so many memories...picnics, luncheons, swimming adventures...Lake Mitchell, Lake George, Chippawa Lake, North Star, Farwell....her home.....the horses, the dogs...always being welcomed....

OUR PRAYERS FOR YOU TO HELP EASE YOUR SORROW, AS WE LOOK FOR THE GREAT TOMORROW - WHERE WE WILL ALL BE UNITED IN HIS PLACE - FILLED WITH HIS UNENDING LOVE AND WARM EMBRACE. Thank God for Aunt Rosie.  
*Love, Barb and Nancy*

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**Barb osborn/Nancy Joostberns** - September 13, 2022 at 02:18 PM

MG

“ So sorry to the family for their loss. Remembering many years of Rose and family . George and Marcia Grames

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**Marcia Grames** - September 13, 2022 at 10:21 AM

ER

“ *My sweet Rose!! You will forever hold a giant space in my heart!!  
Rest Easy sweet sweet gal!!*

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**Erin Root** - September 12, 2022 at 08:51 PM