



## Helen Kowalczyk

April 19, 1925 - April 30, 2013

Kowalczyk, Helen, of Westland, died April 30 at the age of 88 after a long bout with Alzheimer's Disease. Beloved wife of the late John. Loving mother of Chris Olds, Jan (Rick) Martin, Kathy (Steve) Varkoly, Sue (Don) McGee, John (Karen), Jim (Debbie) and Dave (Pat). Proud grandmother of 14 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Visitation Sunday 3-9 PM with a 7 PM Rosary at Vermeulen Funeral Home, 980 N. Newburgh Rd. (between Ford and Cherry Hill) Westland. Instate Monday 9 AM until the 9:30 AM Funeral Mass at St. Richard Catholic Church, 35637 Cherry Hill, Westland. Donations may be made to Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia, MI 48154. Entombment at Cadillac Memorial Gardens, Westland with a luncheon immediately following the cemetery at Amantea's. To share a memory, please use the View and Send Condolences tab on this web page.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Kowalczyk*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Kowalczyk Cousins:  
So sad to hear about your Mom's. She was very special and we have very fond memories of her. She always wore a smile and was very influential to me in choosing my profession. God Bless You all for taking such good care of her.  
Love, Margaret and Kevin Biglin*

**Kevin and Margaret (Nagrant) Biglin** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM



“ *I am sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during these difficult times.*

**Art & Ronda Ochoa** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM



“ *Dear Kathy, Steve and Family, We were deeply saddened by the news of your dear mother, Helen's, passing. She was clearly a remarkable woman and at the heart of all your family gatherings. May memories of her strong, gentle spirit and beautiful smile fill your heart with strength and peace. Please know that our thoughts and prayers remain with you.*

**Barb Smith & Family** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

EC

“ *Jan and Rick Martin, My deepest sympathy is sent with the hope that, as time goes by, fond memories will help bring you peace and make your Mom still seem very close to you.*

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**Elizabeth Crosby** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

SC

“ *Our thoughts & prayers are with your family at such a difficult time. She will truly be missed ?*

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**Steve & Karen Casey** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

MJ

“ *Thinking of you all, during this time. You had a great Mom...even her obituary picture shows the signature smile she always had for everyone.*

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**Mike & Julie** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

DR

“ *Dear Kowalczyk Family, In this time of grief, my deepest sympathy goes out to you and to know that I care. Helen was a good woman and you could tell she truly loved her family. Her passing is surely a loss to us all, I am glad I had met her and spent family times with her also. With sincerest regards, Diane*

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**Diane Rentsch** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

LR

“ *My deepest sympathies to all the family. It is so hard to lose a loved one but your mom lead a full life. I'll always remember her for her sweet smile. We enjoyed many gatherings around birthdays. It was always an enjoyable time. God's peace be yours.*

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**LaVerne Retzlaff** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

TW

“ *John,  
Your mom was one of the nicest people I had ever known, she will  
be missed by all who knew her. Pam, I and the kids can not express  
our condolences fully.*

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**The Wilson's** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

GN

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

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**Greg & Cindy Nagle** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

KC

“ *John & Family: Sorry to hear about your loss. May the wonderful  
memories you have as a family sustain you during this most difficult  
time.*

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**Kathleen Chizek** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM