



Helen P. Stepanian

July 30, 1933 - February 21, 2021

Helen Koch Stepanian, age 87 died February 21, 2021. Helen is survived by her husband Carl Stepanian, her six children and their spouses: David (Donna), Susan (Dirk), Charles (Judy), Robert (Rena), Douglas (Sandy) and Philip (Barb); eleven grandchildren: Mathew, Melissa, Chad, Cody, Travis, Tracey, Spencer, Nicholas, Sarah, John and Penelope; five great-grandchildren: Harley, Olivia, Carson and deceased twin brother Colton, Brooklyn, and Skylar; siblings Michael Reddick and Linda Hoobler, and niece Heather Dugar. She is preceded in death by her infant son, Richard and nephew Adam Hoobler. Helen was a fiercely loyal and loving person who had a love for God that was inspirational. She had a contagious laugh and loved her family dearly. Since September when her health began to deteriorate her wish was to be with the Lord. It was difficult to hear, but she didn't want to remain on this earth any longer in the state she was living. As difficult as it is to believe that she's gone, her fiery spirit will live on in our hearts.

Visitation to be held on Saturday, February 27, 2021 between 1:30-4:00 at Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 Ann Arbor Road West, Plymouth, Michigan 48170. Due to COVID-19 regulations, the funeral service will be private for the family only. Helen will be put to rest in Great Lakes National Cemetery, Tuesday, March 2nd. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Association, Greater Michigan Chapter, 25200 Telegraph Road, Suite 100, Southfield, Michigan 48033-7443. To share a memory, please use the Share a Memory tab on this web page.

For those that cannot attend the Funeral Service, it will be live streamed
[Facebook.com/vermeulensajewskifuneralhome/live](https://www.facebook.com/vermeulensajewskifuneralhome/live)

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Road
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home Plymouth
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Tribute Wall



“ *Helen P. Stepanian*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *My grandmother. A wonderful women with a pure heart and unbreakable faith. She will be miss greatly by every person who had the pleasure of knowing her. She had the biggest heart imaginable, caring and praying for her family every single day. Above all I am going to miss her laugh, her smile, and the advice she gave on us all on life. I will always cherish her stories and life lessons. She was very proud of her family and will forever live on in our hearts never to be forgotten. I love you grandma. Rest In Peace.*

Nick Stepanian - February 27, 2021 at 10:41 AM



“ *Oh mom, I'm going to miss you. My heart aches to see you one more time. We had a closeness and warmth that was pure love. We were girls alone in a house of boys and that gave us a special bond. You were a wise woman and new her priorities in life-- God, dad and family. Everyone was welcome in your house! You've touch many people with your laugh and your kindness. You taught me how to love, be a good mom and a good friend. In the end, you were good with God and ready to be with Him. I can't believe you're no longer here...life will not be the same. Rest in peace mom...I love you forever..*

suzan edwards - February 27, 2021 at 09:06 AM

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Charles J Stepanian - February 26, 2021 at 10:36 AM

CA

“ I miss mom very much.

Carl - February 26, 2021 at 09:27 AM

VL

Carl you have stayed in my thoughts, prayers and heart since I heard about Pat. We love you SO MUCH and wish we could be there with you all. ❤️❤️🙏

Vickie Lamparski - February 26, 2021 at 07:43 PM

SS

“ Words can not explain how much I miss my grandma I will never forgot our daily phone calls the sound of ur voice after we hang up you saying have a good day I love u babygirl are Sunday dinners when we can . You always waiting that grilled ham and cheese when dad and grandpa go out to eat and those haircuts of yours and always fighting for the tv remote when everyone wants to watch tv and u always picking out the girls Easter dresses there so many memories we all love u until we meet again



sarah stepanian - February 25, 2021 at 04:21 PM

VL

“ So many memories of Pat flooding my brain. Her laugh, her smile, her strength, her knowledge, her LOVE! I was always proud that she was my Godmother. Happy that she taught me to make pilaf. Sad that I wasn't able to teach her to crochet. (but we sure tried & had a lot of laughs along the way)

This obituary and all the comments are so beautiful. Thankful also to be a part of this big wonderful family.

"Auntie Pat " you will be missed and impossible to forget. Rest in peace now. All our love always. ❤️🙏❤️

Vickie Lamparski - February 25, 2021 at 01:29 PM

DS

“ My mom had an indescribable laugh, one that makes you join in. I miss that laugh and wish I could have one more of those with her. She was very headstrong in making sure that we all are church going, God loving, faithful family members. Every single time, mom would pray that our Lord put a hedge of protection on us, before traveling back home.

Mom - you are forever in our hearts and mind, you are now part of the Communion of Saints. See you at the altar, until the day we join you in Paradise. Love you always.

Douglas Stepanian - February 25, 2021 at 08:30 AM

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suzan edwards - February 25, 2021 at 08:15 AM

SE

mom loved to joke around with the nurses during chemo.

suzan edwards - February 27, 2021 at 09:07 AM

CH

“ *Fantatic great grandma too!!!*



Chuck - February 24, 2021 at 09:45 PM

CH

“ *God and family are the words to describe mom . Wonderful mom who will be missed dearly.*



Chuck - February 24, 2021 at 09:31 PM

CS

Mom and Carson locking eyes. Carson would not go to mom until it way time for them to leave and then Carson reached out for Great Grandma! Mom remembered that and we talked of it even at the very end.

Charles J Stepanian - February 26, 2021 at 09:17 AM

SE

“ Through good times and bad times my mom and I shared a warm and loving bond. I have so many warm childhood memories as simple as sitting on the couch together folding laundry. Or her showing me how to iron pillow cases and my dad's handkerchiefs. We shared numerous shopping trips and laughed and chatted over countless lunches and phone conversations. Maintaining a strong family unit meant everything to her, as well as Sunday dinners at the house. She loved all of us unconditionally. Mom was a prayerful child of God, and I know she is resting in peace with Him above. I love you mom and I'll miss you forever.

suzan edwards - February 24, 2021 at 10:33 AM

LH

“ Pat (Helen) has been so much to me....a wonderful big sister, a self-appointed substitute Mom, and a cherished friend. You'll always live on in my heart and my memories. Until we meet again, watch over me from above and rest in peace, I love you....

Linda Hoobler - February 23, 2021 at 07:27 PM

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My mom loved you Linda...her baby sister.

suzan edwards - February 24, 2021 at 10:26 AM

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Vermeulen - February 23, 2021 at 01:47 PM