



Rosemary Strong

October 4, 1931 - November 5, 2008

Strong, Rosemary, Nov. 5, 2008, age 77 of Westland. She was born Oct. 4, 1931 in Dearborn, MI to the late William and Constance Keast. Rosemary is survived by her children; Linda (Tim) Cook, Dorothy A. (Larry) Carey,, Jimmy Jr. (Kathy) Strong, Joann E. (David) Kmiec, and Doreen M. (Randy) Eaton. 21 grandchildren and 35 Great Grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her Husband James Strong Sr. and daughter Mary. Visitation will be Friday 3-9PM at the Vermeulen Funeral Home. 980 N. Newburgh Rd. Westland (Btwn Ford Rd. and Cherry Hill) Funeral Service Saturday 11 AM at the funeral home. Memorial to the Family fund c/o Joann Kmiec.

Tribute Wall



“ *Rosemary Strong*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *I have been thinking alot about you lately. Little Skye Rose was born just before c hristmas. I wish so badly that you could have held her but I know you are looking down on us and watching over us. I hope I can be as good of a Grandma that you have been to us, to Skye. We were all so blessed to have you in our lives. I love and miss you.*

Sheila - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM



“ *Was just thinking of you today. Really wish you could be here to meet Dallas. Hope you're proud of the father I have become, knowing how mine was. I think about you everyday and hope you and grandpa are enjoying your time together. Love you.*

Randy Jr - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM



“ *Its been almost 4 years now mom and guess what, the pain is still so very very bad I still want you and dad and Mary back so much, I LOVE YOU ALL DEARLY*

DOT - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM



“ *mom and dad jerry spence is on his way up there look after him and let him know now he has no more suffering love you mom and day i miss you deeply.*

jimmy - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

Jl

“ A NETHER DAY HAS GONE BY WITH OUT YOU AND DAD WE SURE DO MISS YOU GUYS . JUST WANTED TO SAY I LOVE YOU MOM AND DAD

JIMMY - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

Jl

“ STARTING OUT 2011 BUT IT STILL HURTS TO KNOW YOU GUYS ARE NOT WITH US . MOM I KNOW YOU CAN HEAR US SO JUST REMEMBER WE ALL LOVE AND MISS YA AND WE WILL SEE YOU AGAIN WHEN IT'S OUR TURN TO LEAVE THIS WORLD. LOVE YOU AND DAD VERY MUCH AND I MISS THE HECK OUT YA HAPPY NEWYEARS OF 2011.

JIMMY - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

Jl

“ just to say hi i miss you both real bad i just wish i could hear yours and dad voice again i do beleave you can hear us and see us so i'll allwas remember that . love ya's so very much

jimmy - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

Jl

“ MOM I AM VERY SORRY I COULDENT BE THERE WHEN YOU NEEDED I BAGED THE DOCTORS TO LET ME GO BUT THE WOULDENT LET ME I AM ASHAME I WASENT THERE PLESE FORGIVE ME YOU AND DAD WILL ALLWAYS BE IN MY HEART AND MIND EVERY DAY I LOVE YOU BOTH SO VERY MUCH

JIMMY - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

RJ

“ Miss you terribly

Randy Jr - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Merry X-Mas mom, I am doing what I know you would want, I am going on to give my kids and grandkids happy memories of X-Mas like you and dad gave us, its so hard but I am doing it. I LOVE YOU SO VERY MUCH

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ I WANT YOU BACK, GOD THE PAIN IS SO UNBEARABLE

DOT - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Its been one year now and the pain is still so unbearable, just to see and feel you now would be so great. I LOVE YOU MOMMY

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom tomorrow is your birthday and god I wish we was having cake and ice cream for you. I LOVE YOU SO MUCH

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom I still miss you dearly, if only I could turn back time. I never knew the pain of losing you would be this way and last so long. The pain just keeps getting worse and worse. Give dad and Mary a big kiss and tell them I miss them as much as I miss you. I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom I want you back so bad. The pain of you gone just gets worse everyday, you was such a big part of us kids life and the laugh at kids who stays tied to their mommys apron strings but I would give any thing to have them strings now and I would tie them in a knot so they wouldnt ever get undone, please some how let us kids know that you,dad and Mary are alright I LOVE YOU

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom the days are getting worse without you, I just cant let you go, I need you here so much. Everyday I pray its just a dream but I havent woke up yet. I LOVE AND MISS YOU SO VERY VERY MUCH

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ I LOVE AND MISS YOU MORE AND MORE. THE PAIN ISNT EASING AS TIME PASSES IT IS GETTING WORST

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom the pain is still so great, yesterday I almost picked up the phone to call you, then it hit me again you will not be answering, god I miss you so very much, the day of your funeral when I helped carry you, I felt so honored to do this last thing for you, you carried me into this world and by god I was going to carry you out,I just wish now I would have been strong enough to carry dad to, you give me your strength that day and for that I thank you so very very much. I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

Jl

“ HI MOM I MISS YOU IM HAVE WHAT I CALL A MOMS DAY ITS WHEN I MISS YOU THE MOST DONT GET ME WRONG EVERY DAY WAS A MOMS DAY BUT THERE ARE SPECAIL DAYS THAT I REALLY JUST NEED TO HEAR YOUR VOICE IT HURTS TO THINK I JUST CANT GO TO YOUR HOUSE AND YOU BE THERE I HAVENT BEEN IN THERE SENCE YOU PASSED AWAY I WANT TO REMEMBER WHAT IT WAS LIKE WHEN YOU WAS THERE WELL I GUESS I BETTER LET YA GO CAUSE IM SURE YOUR BUSY UP THERE TALKING TO ALL THAT WE HAVEN SEEN IN A WHILE TELL DAD WE LOVE HIM TO AND MISS HIM I MISS YOU BOTH LOVE JIMMY YOU BEST SON (HA HA)

JIMMY - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Hi Mom, just wanted to say I LOVE YOU AND MISS YOU SO VERY MUCH

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

Jl

“ I MISS YOU SO MUCH AND I HOPE YOU CAN FORGIVE ME FOR NOT BEING AT YOUR FUNERAL IF I COULD HAVE BEEN THERE MOM I WOULD HAVE. I MISS OUR PHONE CALLS EVERY MORNING IT JUST AINT THE SAME NOT HEARING YOUR VOICE ONECE A DAY. ILL NEVER FORGET YOU AND I THINK OF YOU EVERY DAY ILL ALLWAYS LOVE YOU YOUR SON

jimmy - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

JO

“ MOM..I MISS YOU

Jo - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom, today is Jan.2 and the new year has not brought me peace with you gone. I woke up yesterday morning and I went to pick up the phone to wish you happy new year but then I remember you wasnt here. I do that alot lately go to the phone and the pain starts all over again. I would give anything to turn back the clock, to have you,dad and Mary sitting at the kitchen table with us. I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ My dearest mom, a new year is about to begun and I want you here to share it but thats inpossible. God I miss you so much, I miss our yatzee everything mom. I always knew you were a huge part of my life but I always thought when your time was here I could handle it because of the love you gave me but mom I cant handle it, I just feel so empty inside nothing will ever be the same and I still feel and see you like you are still here. I LOVE YOU DEARLY

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Hi Mom, when is the pain going to go away? Everyone thinks I am doing good but mom I am not, I feel so cold inside like nothing matters anymore, I still wait for your phone call and I still forget I am going home from work and not coming to your house to play yatzee, I wish now I didnt put our yatzee game in with you, I could of at least held the dice that you touched. I know you think I am weird but I just need you so bad. I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Just to say I LOVE YOU AND MISS YOU SO MUCH

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Thank you Mom and you know what for! I miss and love you so much. My heart still aches for you!!!

DoeDoe - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom I think I know why I feel so empty and lost, without you and dad I am not someones kid, I have no dad nor mom, it hurts so so much, its like I dont belong anymore, I sure hope you can make me feel different. I LOVE YOU

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

SH

“ Hi Grandma, I am missing you so much right now. Everything is so messed up without you here, I just hope we can get everyone and everything back on track somehow. I'm needing a little of your advice right now and I'm sure you will get it to me somehow, you always have. I love you.

Sheila - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom us girls had dinner the other night, things are ok now, we girls are going to have our ups and down but because of the love you and dad left us we will always stick together and loove each other dearly no matter what. Mom I bought a new yatzee game and I wanted to cry but I was at the store, god mom I want you back so bad and the pain gets worse everyday, it just wont ease and I still think about calling you at 8:00 on the weekends, please somehow let me know you, dad and Mary are ok. I LOVE YOU

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ My dearest mom, what are we going to do for Mothers Day, my whole life Ive spent every mothers day with you, never did I miss a year. God mom I need you so very much. I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom we orderd your bench, its beuitiful, you and dad will love it. I LOVE YOU

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom, Brittany graduated Saturday, and for a moment I was going to tell her lets go to grandmas so she can see you in your cap and gown, but then I remember you are not here. Mom all the speical times in my life now I can not share with you and it hurts so much. I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom it isnt a very merry christmas but for you I chose to put aside my pain for my familiy and just remember all the happy memories you and dad left me. Your love and strength is within me. Give dad and Mary a kiss and hug for me ALWAYS LOVED NEVER FORGOTTEN

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

RJ

“ Also I will miss how you always wanted to know every little detail going on in my life, from work to girls and of course my car. More than anything else I will miss the phone call on my birthday, its funny how that was the very first thing that popped in my head when I came and seen you today. I still have my moments where I have to take asecond and realize no matter what you're still with me. I wanted to let you know Wheeler is getiing big and he is still a pest LOL. My job is going great, I know how proud you are of me, our little talks we had will never be forgotten. Say hi to everyone for me. Oh and I bought another Mustang, this time I'm building it for you, you'll love it I promise.

Randy Jr. - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

RJ

“ Merry Christmas Grandma I miss you with all my heart. And I assumed you'd always be there. Now the moment that you've fell. And tomorrow bids farewell (farewell). What you left behind is greater (Than a photograph can tell.) The memory has failed. Though you're time's done with the sun. There's still a million things unsaid and done.

Randy Jr., - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom. For the first time in my life I don't know what to do for Christmas eve. I so wish you were here. Your house has always been the "the house" and now it's all gone. I don't know how to do this,I need you more now then I ever have. You taught us to be strong and make it through anything but I guess this is the hardest lesson ever and I don't have you to stand me back up. God Mom,this is so painful and I would do anything for you to still be here. I'm sorry I come on here to talk to you but this is where I feel you the most right now,I know that will change but this is all I have. I love you Mom so much. Merry Christmas.

Doreen - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Hi Mom, I can't beleive it has already been 3 months today since I held your hand and kissed your face. I can't even think about you not being here,it hurts so bad Mom. This is the part of life that I hate so much. If we could only all go at the same time. I told you that I would have rather go before you and now I see why...you could have handled it much better then me. You knew I wasn't ready for this,but yet you still tried your hardest to help me before it came. But let me tell ya,I don't think I would have ever found a way to make it easier,when you want to hug someone so bad and they are not there anymore,no amount of time or whatever can ease that pain. Just come and talk with me Mom and get me through this,I need that big time right now. I love you and miss you so much. Doe

Doreen - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom that new yatzee game I brought well I just cant play it, the pain mom is so very very bad, I want you back so bad, everyday you are gone the pain gets worse, please help. I LOVE YOU

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ I LOVE YOU

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom, I wansn't going to come back on here because the pain is still so real but I have to say that I am sorry,nothing is working out like we planed and I am sorry I can't do it anymore,I tried,it just wasn't happening and I am sorry. I would do anything to have my life back to even a month ago when you were still here. I hate it here without you and I know you would be upset with that but that is really how I feel. I didn't think for a second that you would leave me and oh how life just hits you right in the face. You were and will always be the best Mom. For anyone that still has their Mom...love her with every breath you take,I did mine. You only have them once and believe me,it's not enough,I don't care how many years you have them. I know I will see her again but the pain of not having her now is undearable. I love you Mom.

Doreen - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM



“ I want my Mom back!!

December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom today is Thanksgiving and my heart hurts so bad. I do give thanks to all the good memories you and dad left us but god I miss you so much. Please help us though this.
I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

MA

“ Grandma I love you. I miss so much about you. All of us camping, playing games, bingo. You are so talented with all your crafts you made all through the years. I thought you were pretty gifted at that sort of thing and creative. I will always have my beautiful and some quite funny moments of you and mom and me at the camp ground. Memories will keep you with us forever. love you always

MaryAnn - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

TM

“ We would just like to tell the whole Strong family that your mom and dad and their family were some of the best neighbors anyone could ever ask for and we couldn't have asked for anyone better. From teh graduation parties you guys had to Jim helping fix something at our house to Rosie and Jim tolerating our fighting be it Pat and eddie or pat and Joe or the kids. Again our deepest sympathy and hope you all stay strong in your time of need.

The Millers/Rockovs - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

SH

“ I just wanted to tell you how much we miss you already. Our hearts ache so bad. We were the luckiest grandchildren in the world to have you and Grandpa as our Grandparents. We love you and owe everything that we are to you two. I hope that you and Grandpa and Mary and everyone else up there our looking out for us and each other. I love you.

Sheila - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom, I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom, you was our strength, our friend, our life. You was everything anybody needed as a mom. I will miss so very much our times playing yatzee, I don't think anyone really knew what that meant to me. The pain is so unbearable for all your kids but mom I swear we will stick together and our bond will not be broken, we kids will hold each other up. Give dad and Mary our love and kisses and ask God to please some how keep the house in the family. We need that so bad.

I LOVE YOU

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom,
I don't even know where to start except for that I am lost without you. I didn't know it was going to hurt this bad and it has only just begun. I feel like someone has really torn my heart out and I don't know where to find it anymore. I'm the baby of the family, what can I say, no matter my age, I still need my Mom. Please get me through this. I love you Mom with everything I have and I will always miss you. Doe

Doreen - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

AM

“ Hey grandma. I just wanted to tell you how proud it was to call you grandma. You're probably happy to see grandpa and Mary now huh? I'm really going to miss you. I love you.

Amy - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ Mom you are probaly upset with whats going on, but I have to tell you I am at peace with the decistion I have made. It wont change the love or the good memories I have that you and dad left me. This was something coming for a long time and I am really at peace with it even though I know you would not like it. Our lives forever changed the day you left, I never just thought of my own pain, I thought of all my siblins pain also. We are all hurting so bad, but things can not ever be the same, just know mom we loved you so much and YOU WAS THE MOST WONDERFUL MOM IN THE WORLD. I miss playing yatzee with you so bad, our talks and how you always defended us kids even among ourselves. I LOVE YOU MOM

Dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DO

“ I LOVE YOU SO VERY MUCH

dot - December 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM