



## Anita DeVriendt

July 30, 1935 - May 11, 2022

LEXINGTON- Anita DeVriendt passed peacefully from this mortal life into immortality, on Wednesday, May 11, 2022, at the age of 86. She was looking forward to going to a place where the Maker and builder was God, her Heavenly Father. She read His word daily and now is in the presence of the Word of God.

Anita felt blessed to be part of a bigger spiritual family at the Croswell Wesleyan Church. She regularly thanked God for her church family! Anita trusted her Lord with all her heart and He has guided her paths home to himself (Proverbs 3:5,6). Truly, the joy of the Lord was her strength (Nehemiah 8; 10b). Anyone who knew her, got to see and experience this joyful, charitable spirit. She was a prayer warrior at home and at Croswell Wesleyan. Thank you Mom for always teaching us to pray to the one who holds all things in His hands.

She leaves behind seven children, whom she loved dearly; Christine, Eric, Brian, Vince, Paula, John and Kathy, with their spouses who loved her as Mom; grandchildren, great grandchildren, three sisters, MaryEllen, Margo and Rhoda, nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be from 10 A.M. - 12 Noon on Saturday, May 21, 2022 at the Croswell Wesleyan Church.

Funeral Services will be held at 12 Noon on Saturday at the church.

# Cemetery Details

## Lexington Cemetery

Dennison St.  
Lexington, MI 48450

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 21. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Croswell Wesleyan Church  
200 Peck Rd.  
Croswell, MI 48422  
(810) 679-3381

## Church Service

MAY 21. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Anita DeVriendt.*



May 19, 2022 at 09:41 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Anita DeVriendt.*



May 17, 2022 at 11:43 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Anita DeVriendt.*



May 14, 2022 at 12:57 PM



“ *I will always remember going to aunt Nitas house in the summertime. I never heard her say an unkind word to anybody. If you went to her house and left hungry it was your fault. Our family will sincerely miss this kind gentle Christian woman*

**Keith Farris** - May 14, 2022 at 12:48 PM

LF

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Your mother was a wonderful person. Memories are precious as they sustain you forever. Kent and Linda France

linda france - May 14, 2022 at 09:58 AM

LO

“ Thinking of you all and keeping you in my prayers. Your mom (Anita) was such a good friend to my mom. They looked out for each other across the street! Now they're together once again, sharing stories. 🙏❤️🙏

Laurie Oldford - May 14, 2022 at 01:51 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Anita DeVriendt.



May 13, 2022 at 09:37 PM

SP

“ Anita was always ready to hug me every time she saw me. Her patience and wisdom were what I admired most about her. I loved hearing her talk about her family that she loved so much, she would just light up with such a special smile. I learned so much about loving the Lord through her words. Go rest high on that mountain, dear friend!

Sarah Pettee - May 13, 2022 at 10:43 AM

JW

So very sorry for your loss! Prayers!

J. white - May 13, 2022 at 11:48 AM

ML

*Anita was such a bright spot in our Women's Bible Study for so many years. We missed her greatly when she was unable to come. She always had a testimony of sharing Jesus with someone. Such a dear lady. My sincere sympathy goes out to her family.*  
*Marilyn Linhard*

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**Marilyn Linhard** - May 14, 2022 at 10:23 AM

MB

*Anita was a friend since high school. Even "way back then" she displayed an inner strength and maturity that was nurtured by her parents and grew because of her faith in Christ. She found expression in the arts by joining drama clubs in high school and beyond. She was the president of our Senior Class, 1954. In the early years of marriage and childrearing, when girlfriends need girlfriends to stay in balance, we were grateful for kitchen phones that had very l-o-n-g cords. Many years have passed and we remained connected, grateful to our Heavenly Father for His faithfulness and for His GRACE. Congratulations to you, her faithful family, for extending to Anita your undying love and support. How grateful she was to each of you for loving her to the end. Marianne Bowery*

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**Marianne Bowery** - May 22, 2022 at 07:23 PM