



Barbara L. Watson Steele

October 15, 1937 - February 5, 2026

FORT GRATIOT- Barbara L. Watson Steele, 88, of Fort Gratiot, passed away peacefully on Thursday, February 5, 2026, surrounded by loved ones.

Born October 15, 1937, in Port Huron, she was the daughter of the late Okey and Adele (Schlicht) Newton. Barbara was a longtime and devoted member of St. John's United Church of Christ.

A true social butterfly, Barbara embraced life with enthusiasm and joy. She loved traveling, dancing, and gathering with family and friends, and she had a gift for making every occasion brighter simply by being there. Whether at a large celebration or a small get-together, Barb was happiest surrounded by those she loved.

She was preceded in death by her husbands, Neil Watson and Vern Steele; her stepson, Patrick Steele; and her daughter-in-law, Kim Watson.

She is survived by her children, Dennis Watson, William Watson, Greg (Jennifer) Watson, Bob Watson, Joyce (Tom) Mifsud, and Lisa (David) Moen; along with many beloved grandchildren and great-grandchildren who will continue her legacy of love and laughter.

Tribute Wall

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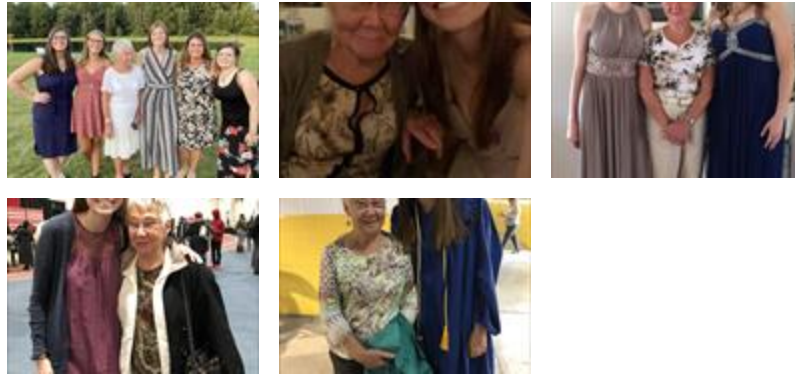
“ *Faith Jaciuk lit a candle in memory of Barbara L. Watson Steele*



Faith Jaciuk - February 09 at 07:15 AM

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“ *My sweet and very spunky grandma* 💕



Taylor Watson - February 07 at 10:00 AM