



Leola M. Rickett

December 8, 1927 - April 5, 2021

CARSONVILLE- Leola M. Rickett, age 93, a resident of Carsonville passed away on Monday, April 5, 2021 at her granddaughter, Stephanie's home in Clyde.

She was born on December 8, 1927 in Detroit, a daughter of the late Henry and Thelma (Sadler) Squires. Leola married Albert E. Rickett on March 25, 1950 in Port Sanilac. He preceded her in death in 1981.

Leola was a longtime member of the Thumb Dance Club and the Carsonville United Methodist Church.

She is survived by three children, Robert (Pat) Rickett of Interlochen, Peggy (Tom) Sherman of Carsonville and Lori (Ron) Paape of Sandusky; one daughter-in-law Vickie Rickett of Sandusky; thirteen grandchildren and twenty seven great grandchildren; two sister-in-laws, Shirley Squires of Carsonville and Betty Rickett of Lapeer; several nieces and nephews.

Leola was preceded in death by her son, Thomas Rickett, a great grandson, Austin Pitts and two brothers Henry "Hank" Squires and Alton Squires.

Graveside Services will be held at 11 A.M. on Thursday, April 8 at the Washington Cemetery. Rev. Jerry Griggs of the Carsonville United Methodist Church will officiate.

Memorials in memory of Leola may be made to the Carsonville United Methodist Church.

Arrangements were by the Pomeroy Funeral Home in Carsonville.

Cemetery Details

Washington Cemetery

3854 Washington Rd
Carsonville, MI 48419

Tribute Wall

PL

“ My love to you all in your loss. You're never ready to lose your Mom. I have long memories of Leola. We were both in Hank and Shirley's wedding. I don't know what she had to do to be Matron of Honor, but to be Junior Bridesmaid I had to promise to stop biting my fingernails. It worked!! They stayed married a long time and I still have fingernails.

Pat Buffett Leigh

Pat Buffett Leigh - April 10, 2021 at 06:58 PM

KA

“ I had three aunts while I was growing up, Donna, Leola, And Betty that were all like my second Moms. They were all there for me to give support, advice and most of all lots of love. They extended that love to Bob when we started dating and through all of our married lives. we always stayed with Leola when we came to Carsonville to visit. It was always a fun time, sitting at her kitchen bar, sharing stories and recipes and just getting caught up. Yes, I have her sloppy joe recipe, my card actually says Aunt Leola's sloppy joes. She was an amazing, awesome woman. One of the best. I will always be grateful that Maison had the chance to meet her. He fell in love with her. I came out in the early am, and they were sitting at the bar just talking up a storm. It's a great memory. We really love this Lady and she will always be in our hearts.

Karen - April 08, 2021 at 08:59 PM

BF

“ Betty Rickett Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Leola M. Rickett.



Betty Rickett Family - April 07, 2021 at 07:13 PM

BF

“ Karen and I have so very much to share about our times with this wonderful woman that began when I started dating her niece. Shorty and her accepted me unconditionally into the fold. I will forever hold that in my heart. Lending Karen and I their brand new car for our honeymoon, her and Karen washing the football team's uniforms every Saturday, giving us Bob's bedroom whenever we visited. The conversations at the table. Loving and being loved by our oldest son Rob and completely enchanting our grandson Maison. Inviting me to share a weekend at The Squeeze Inn and fried perch dinners at the Lodge. She so easily found a home in my heart and We will deeply miss her love of life and the heart she so openly shared with so many others. She will forever make an impact in my life. She has been like a second Mom to both Karen and I.

Bob and Karen Fix - April 06, 2021 at 10:08 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Leola M. Rickett.



April 06, 2021 at 05:22 PM

DH

“ I remember Aunt Leola having Christmas with all the many families in her downstairs,oh what fun! She was always wonderful to me and I will never forget her!

Donna Hajec - April 06, 2021 at 05:12 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Leola M. Rickett.



April 06, 2021 at 04:37 PM