



Carol Beatrice Allen-Branback

August 17, 1935 - May 20, 2018

NORWAY- Carol B. Branback age 82 of Norway, went to be with the Lord on Sunday, May 20, 2018 at ManorCare in Kingsford.

She was born on August 17, 1935 in Racine, WI. Carol was one of five children born to William and Estella (Teafoe) Rivest.

The good Lord chose on this day, that she has been visiting on earth long enough, now it is time that she goes home to live with her beloved God.

While she was on the beautiful earth, God gifted her with crafting, painting, card designing, wood crafting and crocheting. She also enjoyed gardening, cooking and rummage sales.

Above all she enjoyed her children and their families, which was the love of her life.

Carol is survived by her nine children Michele (Andy) Soto, Cheryl (John) Degenauer, Thomas (Phyliss) Allen, George (Jan) Allen, Jr., Scott (Teresa) Allen, Darlene (Doug) Sebright, William (Lisa) Allen, Brandon (Michael) Allen and her favorite son Paul (Kimberly) Allen; 32 grandchildren and their spouses; 47 great grandchildren; sister Mary (Terry) Process; many nieces and nephews; and many special friends.

In addition to her parents William and Estelle Rivest, and her husband Edward Branback, she was preceded in death by her brothers William Rivest, Jr., and Jerry Rivest; sister Lois Zakas and step-father Peter Orler.

Her family would like to thank the staff at ManorCare for all the care and comfort provided during her stay.

“Your heart is trying to rock, but it can barely beat at all, your soul is trying to run but all your body does is crawl!”

Visitation will be held on Saturday, May 26 from 11-1 p.m. at the Ortman Funeral Home in Norway.

Funeral Services will be held on Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Ortman Funeral Home, with Fr. Ray Valerio officiating.

Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 26. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Ortman Funeral Home
618 Norway Street
P.O. Box 155
Norway, MI 49870
(906) 563-5700
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<https://www.ortmanfuneralhome.com/>

Service

MAY 26. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

PC

“ *Patricia Chramega lit a candle in memory of Carol Beatrice Allen-Branback*



Patricia Chramega - May 25, 2018 at 08:04 AM

PC

My dearest friend, Carol for 67 years. I am so sorry I can't be at your side to say goodbye. I love you with all my heart and I will never forget you.

I wish I could have had a way to come to the U.P. to visit you, but it just wasn't to be, I guess. I'm glad we were able to talk on the phone often and had so many happy conversations together.

You are a huge part of my life, and have helped me through so many tough times. We share so many memories going back as far as when we took art classes together and all the silly stuff we used to talk about and do together in our younger days.

I know you will rest peacefully, Carol, because you have always been true to our Lord, God. Through your guidance, you helped me to believe as well. This is not the end for us, Carol. We will see each other again one day. I will look for you in your heavenly garden and we will be reunited.

Farewell for now my dearest friend and sister.

Ray sends his love and will always pray for you in his heart. Please give our love to Bill and Ray (Ralph) - Frenchy and Cuddles too.

We care so much.

Our love and utmost respect to Carol's family and friends. You have our sincerest sympathy at this sad time. We send our love to you all.

Patricia Chramega - May 25, 2018 at 09:19 AM

BA

“ *I love you mom. Brandon, Michael & family.*



Brandon Allen - May 24, 2018 at 01:02 PM

MS

“ *Michele Soto sent a virtual gift in memory of Carol Beatrice Allen-Branback*



michele soto - May 23, 2018 at 08:36 PM

MS

“ *Michele And Andy Soto/family lit a candle in memory of Carol Beatrice Allen-Branback*



Michele and Andy Soto/family - May 22, 2018 at 06:20 PM



“ *so sorry for your los prayers for you all*

Kim Zimmerman - May 22, 2018 at 10:28 AM

GF

“ George & Jan Allen and family purchased the *Glorious Memories Garland* for the family of *Carol Beatrice Allen-Branback*.



George & Jan Allen and family - May 21, 2018 at 10:57 PM

GA

“ George Allen lit a candle in memory of *Carol Beatrice Allen-Branback*



George Allen - May 21, 2018 at 09:40 PM

DB

“ Darlene Blossom lit a candle in memory of *Carol Beatrice Allen-Branback*



Darlene Blossom - May 21, 2018 at 07:18 PM

LD

“ I am so sorry for you loss. She was a wonderful person and i have many great memories. May she be at peace. Thinking of you all--
Leslie Girardi Daniels

Leslie Daniels - May 21, 2018 at 01:27 PM