



Charlotte Vachon

October 15, 1939 - January 23, 2020

NORWAY- Charlotte Ann Vachon age 80 of Norway died Thursday, January 23, 2020 at ManorCare Nursing in Kingsford, MI.

She was born on October 15, 1939 in Norway, the daughter of the late Harold and Amelia (Zanon) Hallgren.

Following graduation from Norway High School in 1957, she moved to Milwaukee and attended Marquette University, graduating as a dental assistant. Char worked in the dental field until her retirement.

She married Ronald "Joe" Vachon on September 10, 1960 in St. Mary's Church in Norway. He preceded her in death on June 1, 2007

After marriage, Char and Joe lived in Milwaukee for 25 years before he was transferred to Coon Rapids, MN for his job with the railroad.

After retirement, she and Joe moved back to Norway. They were active members of St. Mary's Church, she volunteered at St. Vincent DePaul for many years, was a member of St. Mary's Women's Group, Norway Vulcan Women's Club and the Vulcan-Norway-Loretto Lion's Club.

Char enjoyed walking, cooking, gardening, sewing, visiting with friends and relatives and was extremely generous with her time and talents.

She is survived by her sisters Constance Hallgren and Mary (Raymond) Larson; Nieces Sandra (Keith) Wendlandt, Janet (Bob) Reimann, Nancy (Chester) Kwiesielewicz, Mary E. Hallgren and Amelia (David) Zastava; Nephews Brent (Juleen) Hallgren, Brian (Elaine) Hallgren, Eric (Monica) Thielhelm, and Paul (Mary Lynn) Thielhelm; many grandnieces and grandnephews; brothers in-law Don (Myra) Vachon, Phillip (Barb) Vachon; and sister in-law Yvonne Boehnlein.

A heartfelt thanks to her very special "My Keith" who has walked every step of this last month of pain and struggle.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 30 from 9-11 a.m. at St. Mary's Church in Norway.

The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Thursday at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Church with Fr. Timothy Ekaitis, presiding.

Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.

The family requests that memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary's Church in Norway, in Char's name.

Cemetery Details

Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 30. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Church
401 Main Street
Norway, MI 49870

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 30. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Mary's Church
401 Main Street
Norway, MI 49870

Tribute Wall

JG

“ We were so sorry to hear of Char's passing. Have many good memories of her as I walked around our circle drive & found Char sitting on her porch. We always chatted for a while. She was a great neighbor & we will miss her. St. Vinny's will not be the same without her, Our thoughts & prayers are with you.

Jerry & Donna Van Goethem

JERRY & DONNA VAN GOETHEM - January 29, 2020 at 11:06 AM

BA

“ Auntie Char,
You and your stories will be missed by everyone at the annual Deer Camp dinner. Rest in peace.

With Love, Bart and Alyssa

Bart - January 28, 2020 at 07:42 PM



RH

“ To my dear "pew partner" at 4pm mass, I miss you ever so much.....I know you are finally at peace my dear friend.
Love and Blessings, Rosemary

Rosemary Haepers - January 28, 2020 at 12:30 AM



SF

“ St Mary's Parish Family lit a candle in memory of Charlotte Vachon

St Mary's Parish Family - January 28, 2020 at 12:27 AM



LR

“ Charlotte will be missed. Wether I was in at St. Vincent DePaul or you came through at Dairy Queen you always had a kind word and a smile for me. You always brightened my day. RIP

Lori Reynolds - January 27, 2020 at 11:24 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Charlotte Vachon.*



January 26, 2020 at 02:07 PM

AO

“ *TO CONNIE AND FAMILY..I AM SO VERY SORRY TO HEAR OF THE BLOSS OF CHAR..A VERY SWEET AND KIND LADY AND SHE ALWAYS LOOKED FOR FROGS AT VINNIES FOR MY MOM JUDY..SHE LOVED WORKING THERE*

THINKING OF YOU ALL DURING THIS SAD AND Difficult time..you are all in my thoughts and prayers..Rest in peace Char..they will never find another Char at Vinnies. God Bless you all

AMY ORN - January 25, 2020 at 10:58 AM

TB

To Connie, Mary and family: my heart felt condolences. Although Char is gone, she will live on in our hearts and memories. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Tom Bilski - January 25, 2020 at 11:24 PM

BS

Connie, Mary and families--We send you our heartfelt condolences and prayers. We carry so many wonderful memories of Char's joy, warmth and generosity...we'll never forget her!!!

Bryan and Joann Sween

Bryan Sween - January 26, 2020 at 02:12 PM

SF

*In the Love that surrounds you
May you find Strength,..
In the Memories you Cherish,
May you find Peace.*

Gods Love and Blessings to the Family of Char, from her Parish Family of St Mary's

St Mary's Parish Family - January 28, 2020 at 12:26 AM