



## Cherie Joy Martin

July 16, 1946 - June 11, 2021

Cherie Joy Riddle Martin of Fenton died June 11, 2021. Cherie was born July 16, 1946 in Holly Michigan. She attended Holly High School and received a degree in merchandising from Michigan State University. After many years as a successful retail manager and buyer for Dillard's, Winkleman's and Ralph Lauren, Cherie married the love of her life Dr. Jim Martin and retired so they could travel the world together. They had 34 wonderful years together until she was taken by a stroke. As well as traveling, they also shared a love of skiing, bow hunting, fishing, friends, family, fine wine and their wonderful kitty, Anthony. She also loved gardening, watching sports (go Spartans!), and most of all the Lord. Cheri leaves behind her beloved husband Jim, stepdaughters Deborah Martin Zimmerman, Marianne Martin and Stephanie Martin Strohl; her sister Sue Riddle Cotcher, and nieces and nephews Paul Cotcher, Matt Cotcher, Missy Cotcher Bourne, and Jenny Joy Cotcher Winograd. She is preceded in death by her parents Marion and George Riddle. Her spirit, elegance and grace will be missed by all. Visitation will be at Dryer funeral Home in Holly on Friday June 18 from 4-6 and funeral services will be on Saturday, June 19 at 11 am., also at Dryer Funeral Home. Memorial donations may be made to the Michigan Humane Society. [www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com](http://www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **18**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Dryer Funeral Home  
101 First St.  
Holly, MI 48442  
<http://dryerfuneralhomeholly.com>

## Service

JUN **19**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

DD

“ Please accept my most sincere sympathies for your crushing loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you daily.

DD

douglas dowdy - June 21, 2021 at 10:25 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Funeral Service for Cherie Martin



Bruce Dryer - June 19, 2021 at 01:00 PM

ST

*Thank you for posting this. Cherie was very dear to me. She was married to my father for a very brief time before he passed away. In the last year of his life, she was a constant support as he suffered through a debilitating bout with cancer. I always admired her and, clearly, she was loved and admired by many many more. My condolences to her family.*

Sue Tormala - August 10, 2021 at 05:36 PM

CR

“ Cheri Rittman lit a candle in memory of Cherie Joy Martin



Cheri Rittman - June 18, 2021 at 12:37 PM

JD

“ Janet Divens lit a candle in memory of Cherie Joy Martin



Janet Divens - June 16, 2021 at 09:21 PM

KL

“ Kay Lacey lit a candle in memory of Cherie Joy Martin



Kay Lacey - June 16, 2021 at 05:10 AM

LH

“ Linda Hart-Young sent a virtual gift in memory of Cherie Joy Martin



Linda Hart-Young - June 15, 2021 at 06:12 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Cherie Joy Martin.



June 15, 2021 at 05:34 PM

JM

“ Judith Martin purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Cherie Joy Martin.



Judith Martin - June 15, 2021 at 11:09 AM

DR

“ Dianne Rogers lit a candle in memory of Cherie Joy Martin



Dianne Rogers - June 15, 2021 at 09:01 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Cherie Joy Martin.



June 14, 2021 at 04:43 PM



“ Connie Austin-Davis lit a candle in memory of Cherie Joy Martin



Connie Austin-Davis - June 14, 2021 at 04:20 PM



*A beautiful person, inside and out.*

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**Jeannie Nelson Lewis** - August 03, 2021 at 06:53 PM