

Dianne P. Sanford

June 17, 1940 - December 11, 2025

Dianne Patricia Sanford June 17, 1940 – December 11, 2025, age 85, passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving family.

She was born in Detroit to the late Steven Balicki and Stella Milewski. She spent her young years in Hamtramck and was a graduate of St. Florian Catholic School. Dianne settled down in Holly, Michigan in 1969, then lived in Beaverton, Michigan from 1989 – 1999.

Throughout her life, Dianne experienced great love and family. She was married three times and pre-deceased by her first-born son, Doyle Hoag, Jr. and three husbands - Doyle Hoag, Larry Worthington and Raymond Sanford. Dianne built a long and dedicated career as a pharmacy technician, retiring after more than 30 years of service.

She is survived by three children: John Worthington (Pamela L.); Jim Worthington (Pamela D.) and her daughter Cynthia Perkins. She was a proud grandmother to Alicia, Amber, Alivia, Trent, Taylor, Nathan, Laura, Jenna, Kerri and Lindzy. She was also blessed with 12 great grandchildren, who truly meant the absolute world to her.

Dianne enjoyed fishing, dancing, bowling, watching nature, and spending time with her loved ones. She will be remembered for her devotion to family, her

strength and the love she shared across generations. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 18. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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

Memorial Service

DEC 18. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



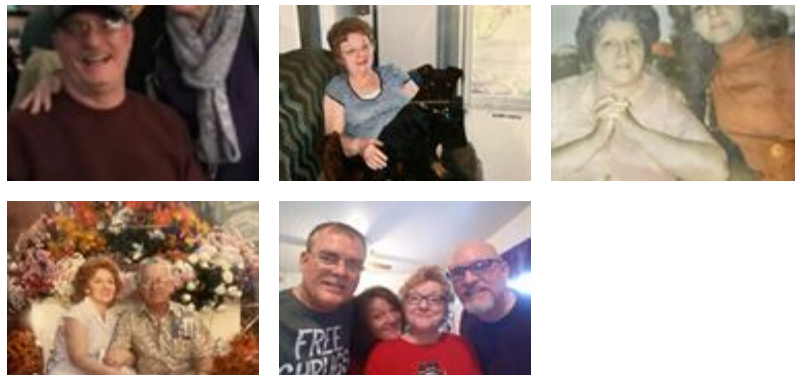
“ 1 file added to the album *Memorial Service for Dianne Sanford*



Bruce Dryer - December 30, 2025 at 01:04 PM



“ 15 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - December 17, 2025 at 04:41 PM



“ *Lisa, Steve, Tyler & Kristan purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Dianne P. Sanford.*



Lisa, Steve, Tyler & Kristan - December 16, 2025 at 08:30 AM

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“ Cyndi Krzysik, friend of family purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Dianne P. Sanford.



Cyndi Krzysik, friend of family - December 14, 2025 at 07:42 PM

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“ Cyndi Krzysik, friend of family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dianne P. Sanford.

Cyndi Krzysik, friend of family - December 14, 2025 at 07:42 PM

JW

“ John Worthington lit a candle in memory of Dianne Sandford



John Worthington - December 14, 2025 at 10:04 AM

JW

“ She was the family matriarch in every sense and we will miss her so much; the world has lost a great one.

John Worthington - December 14, 2025 at 09:59 AM

JW

“ We will miss so much our holiday dinners together, trips to the store and our almost daily video calls.

John Worthington - December 13, 2025 at 02:46 PM