



Patricia Marshall

March 18, 1943 - May 2, 2023

Patricia Marshall passed away on May 2nd at the age of 80. She was preceded in death by her husband Hank. She was the loving sister of Christine (Gornicz) Teper.

Although Pat did not have any children, she loved her nieces and great nephews. She treated her nieces, Denise and Debra, as her children.

Pat was born on March 18, 1943, in Hamtramck to Frank and Helen (Gubala) Gornicz. She lived there until she married Hank on May 2, 1970. They lived in Detroit prior to moving to Benton Harbor, where they lived for over thirty years. Later, they moved to Warren.

Pat was a talented artist and seamstress. If she envisioned it, she could create it without a pattern. When she was younger, she sketched a design of a gown for a character in a magazine, and it was published. When John F. Kennedy was running for president, he campaigned in Hamtramck. Pat designed a poster showing her support. A picture of her holding the sign appeared in Look Magazine.

While living in Benton Harbor, she was honored for the many kind things that she did for the residents of Lakeland Continuing Care Center, including visiting with individuals, organizing arts and crafts, helping run the bingo, and

making prizes and gifts for the residents. She even altered their clothes.

During her career as a seamstress, she made so many brides happy by altering their wedding gowns or designing and creating the exact style that they desired. She made prom gowns, communion dresses, clothes for children and adults, and gowns for pageant contestants.

Pat will be remembered for her beautiful creations and her love for her family and pet dogs. She will be dearly missed.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 10. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors, Inc. - Sterling Heights
3801 18 Mile Road
Sterling Heights, MI 48314
(586) 997-3838

Instate

MAY 11. 9:00 AM (ET)

St. Rene Goupil Catholic Church
35955 Ryan Road
Sterling Heights, MI 48310

Mass of the Resurrection

MAY 11. 9:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia Marshall*

October 23, 2023 at 04:00 AM



“ *I can truly attest to my cousin Pat's talents as a seamstress. She designed and created a Christening Gown from the dress I wore for my wedding for my children. She adorned the gown with the beading from my wedding veil that she also made. This was a beautiful and cherished piece of art. Rest in Peace Pat. Be Happy with all Our Mutual Family Members in Heaven.*

Mary Ann Saaveda - May 10, 2023 at 04:14 PM