



Ila Jean Potapa

May 1, 1938 - June 9, 2021

POTAPA, Ila Jean (nee: Dilley). June 9, 2021. Age 83. Beloved wife of the late Gerald. Dear mother of Gerald Potapa Jr. (Doreen), Rebecca Gallinger, Karl Potapa (Karen) and Paul Potapa (Denise). Proud and loving grandmother of Christine, Danielle (Allan), Geoffrey (Freedom), Kyle (Nicole), Allison, Mitchell, Gerald III, Ciarra and the late Stephen. Also survived by 7 loving great-grandchildren. Dear sister of Wanda Topous, Richard Dilley (Barbara), Jerry Dilley (Charlotte), the late Larry Dilley and the late Lowell Dilley (Ruth). Visitation Sunday 3-9pm. Funeral Monday 10am at Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons, Inc., 36900 Schoenherr at Metro Parkway (16 Mile). Entombment, Resurrection Cemetery Clinton Township. Memorial contributions to the FSHD Society are appreciated. Please share memories with the family at their "On-Line Guestbook" at WujekCalcaterra.com

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road
Clinton Township, MI 48038

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **13.** 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wujek - Calcaterra & Sons Inc - Sterling
36900 SCHOENHERR RD
Sterling Heights, MI 48312

Funeral Service

JUN **14.** 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

KS

“ How many people named Ila could there be.? I believe I met this beautiful lady in the late 70's. We worked together at Kmart pharmacy back in the day. I am sad to hear of her passing, although we lost touch over the years. She was always so happy and had a bubbly personality. My deepest condolences to all her family.

Kathy Schroeder

kathy schroeder - October 23, 2021 at 02:14 PM

CW

“ Christine Wolfer lit a candle in memory of Ila Jean Potapa



Christine Wolfer - June 21, 2021 at 02:47 PM

DB

“ Debby Bezzina lit a candle in memory of Ila Jean Potapa



Debby Bezzina - June 14, 2021 at 02:47 PM

CW

“ Ila was also smiling and happy. I loved her spirit!



Cindy Walters - June 14, 2021 at 09:16 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ila Jean Potapa.*



June 11, 2021 at 10:47 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ila Jean Potapa.*



June 11, 2021 at 03:11 PM

NG

“ *May the many memories of your loving Mom and Grandmother bring comfort to you at this time of sadness. Remembering her laugh, her voice, her smile and her legacy of love for her family, be forever close in your hearts. With our deepest sympathy
Norbert & Pat*

Norbert & Pat Gattinger - June 11, 2021 at 02:14 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Ila Jean Potapa.*



June 11, 2021 at 01:26 PM

SD

“ *Ila was so proud of her children and grandchildren and great grandchildren, she always said they took such good care of her. And sometimes Karl drove her crazy because he watched her so close. Good for You Karl. She was a grand and loving lady and will be sorely missed!*

Sharon (Potapa) Dalessandri - June 11, 2021 at 01:24 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Ila Jean Potapa.*



June 11, 2021 at 01:16 PM

AS

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Allan Sherlock - June 11, 2021 at 10:06 AM

AS

“ *Allan Sherlock lit a candle in memory of Ila Jean Potapa*



Allan Sherlock - June 11, 2021 at 09:50 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ila Jean Potapa.*



June 11, 2021 at 09:35 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ila Jean Potapa.*



June 10, 2021 at 06:15 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ila Jean Potapa.*



June 10, 2021 at 12:15 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ila Jean Potapa.*



June 10, 2021 at 12:08 PM