

# OBITUARIES

## O B I T U A R I E S

### Fayelou 'Faye' Corey

BELLAIRE — Fayelou "Faye" Corey, age 66, died at home in Bellaire with her family and friends by her side after a courageous battle with cancer.

She was born Dec. 13, 1943, in Greenville to the late Robert and Mary Jane Wolverton. She grew up with her two brothers, Chris and Paul Wolverton, in Sidney, where she attended Stanton Grade School.



She later graduated from Stanton High School in 1960 and then pursued her college degree from Central Michigan University.

While attending college, she met and married her beloved husband of 48 years, Richard Paul Corey, on Dec. 1, 1962, in a small wedding ceremony in Sidney.

Fayelou is survived by her husband, Richard; her three beautiful daughters and their husbands, Leslie and Jay Armstrong, Denise and Larry Henderson, and Dawn and Robert Reuschle; and nine loving grandchildren, James, Loren, Daniel, Joseph, Nicholis, David, Savannah, Derek and Isabella. She is further survived by her two brothers and their wives, Chris and Connie Wolverton, and Paul and Carol Wolverton, along with their families.

Faye had a wonderful career with Michigan Consolidated Gas for many years in Traverse City and Grand Rapids, and later

became involved in her community by becoming a dedicated member of the Clearwater Township Board of Trustees and an active participant of the Kalkaska County Zoning Board of Appeals.

Later in life she pursued her lifelong passion and fulfilled a dream to have and work with horses again. Faye became very involved in the Wolverine Morgan Horse Association, where she devoted her time and knowledge to help develop a program that enabled young riders and horse owners to train and show their horses at a competitive level. This was a passion that she shared with so many good friends, and it allowed her to take many honors at horse shows throughout the State of Michigan.

She had other passions in life, such as her grandchildren, whom she loved so dearly; her array of eclectic music, which she enjoyed so deeply; and her wonderful friends and family members, whom she kept close to her heart to the very end. She loved you all!

Please come to help celebrate Faye with her family on Saturday, Oct. 9, at 2 p.m. at Coyote Bill's Ranch, located at 3820 Stover Road, Bellaire, MI. We will have a memorial service conducted by Pastor Tim Manzer, followed by a home-style buffet and an opportunity to reflect on her amazing life.

Please share memories with the family on Faye's online guestbook at [www.record-eagle.com/obituaries/](http://www.record-eagle.com/obituaries/).