

A LIMB HAS FALLEN FROM THE family tree.

I KEEP HEARING A VOICE THAT SAYS *Grieve not* FOR ME.

Remember THE BEST TIMES, THE LAUGHTER,

THE SONG, THE GOOD LIFE *I lived* WHILE I WAS STRONG.

CONTINUE MY *heritage*, I'M COUNTING ON YOU *Keep smiling*

AND SURELY THE SUN WILL SHINE THROUGH MY MIND IS AT EASE,

MY SOUL IS AT REST. REMEMBERING ALL, HOW I TRULY WAS *blessed*.

CONTINUE TRADITIONS, NO MATTER HOW SMALL. GO ON WITH YOUR *life*.

DON'T WORRY ABOUT FALLS, I MISS YOU ALL DEARLY, SO KEEP UP YOUR CHIN.

UNTIL THE DAY COMES WE'RE *TOGETHER again*.



Obituary

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In Loving Memory Merlene Lumbert 1949 - 2020

*I hope you're dancing in the sky.
I hope you're singing in the angels choir
and I hope the angels know what they
have. I bet it's so nice up in heaven
since you arrived.*



Merlene Lumbert

Merlene passed away unexpectedly at home on June 27, 2020 at the age of 70. She was born Sept. 21, 1949 in Bonnieville, Kentucky daughter of Cecil and Ruie (Burton) Tackett. When she turned 3, her family initially moved to the Mulliken area and later finally settled in Sebewa. She attended Loucks, Sebewa, and Lakewood High School. At the age of 18, she married the boy next door, Jerry Elmer Lumbert. She was married in Lawton, OK on Nov. 2, 1967 where her husband was stationed. After his discharge, they returned to Michigan to start a family. Merlene had 3 children and was a devoted Mom and Grandmother, as she would always find time for them no matter what. She loved doing antique shows, flea markets, yard sales, and dancing. She loved dancing so much that she would make her younger brother dance with her. She also loved her flower gardens and collecting dolls, which she had a collection of several hundred at the time of her passing.

Merlene was preceded in death by her daughter, Amy Sue Lumbert, her brothers, John L., William (Hayden), and Delmer Tackett. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Jerry E. Lumbert, two children, Julie (Lumbert) Marsh and Jerry Lee Lumbert, 5 grandchildren, Tim Marsh, Amanda (Marsh) Johnson, Jeremy Marsh, Jerry Anthony Lumbert, and Annarose Lumbert, 2 great grandchildren, Blaze and Loke Johnson, as well as her brother, Mike Tackett and several nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to St. Jude's, or Wounded Warriors. Visitation 2-4 & 6-8 Thursday July 2, 2020 at the Sunfield United Brethren Church. Funeral Services will be held 11:00 am – Friday July 3, 2020 also at the Church. Please visit a special webpage made especially for Merlene, to light a candle in her memory or leave a condolence for the family. www.RosierFuneralHome.com. The family has entrusted the arrangements to the Independent Family Owned Funeral Home in Sunfield: Rosier Funeral Home.



Merlene Lumbert

Date of Birth

September 21, 1949

Date of Death

June 27, 2020

Funeral Services

11:00 AM – Friday

July 3, 2020

Officiating

Pastor Carson Cadle III

Interment

East Sebewa Cemetery

