



Sylvia Jean Maynard

October 14, 1938 - September 30, 2025

Sylvia Jean Mason was born October 14th, 1938, in Ypsilanti, Michigan at Beyer Hospital to Harold and Imogene (Jean) Mason and passed away on Tuesday, September 30, 2025, in Saline Michigan. She graduated from Roosevelt High School in Ypsilanti then went on to become a Cosmetologist.

Sylvia married Thomas Maynard from Willow Run High School and had 7 children. Sylvia is survived by her 7 children; Wendy Hairston of Terrell, TX, Kristy Robison of Saline, MI, Andrew (Roxa) Maynard of Lewisville, TX, Juley (Melvin) Straub of Maybee, MI, Holly Meggitt of Ypsilanti, MI, Marcus (Michelle) Maynard of Fenton, MI, and Tedy Jo (Kyle) McPhee of Dimondale, MI. Also surviving are 18 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren. She also has many beloved nieces, nephews and cousins of which she loved very much!

She worked very hard for many years as a cosmetologist. She raised her children primarily in Milan, MI, and was a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. She later moved to Saline where she became a member of St. Andrew Catholic Church.

In her younger days she played fast-pitch softball as a pitcher. Rumor had it she had quite the slingshot pitch! She also loved bowling where she started back at High School on the old Thunderbird Lanes in Ypsilanti. She also

bowled at Cloverleaf lanes in Milan then went onto a league Maplewood Lanes (Station 300) in Saline. The highlight of her bowling career was an impressive 246!

Sylvia was preceded in death by her parents Harold and Jean Mason, in-laws Leonard and Mildred Maynard, sister Evelyn (Uzzie) Olsen, nephew Mark Whittaker, niece Amanda (Manda Poo) Hartley, brothers-in-law Frederick (Fred) Olsen, Marvin (Tim) Shickles, Daniel and Theodore (Ted) Maynard.

Friends may join the family for a time of visitation on Monday, October 6th from 3:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. at the Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home in Saline. Visitation will continue on Tuesday, October 7th from 9:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. at St. Andrew Catholic Church in Saline. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place at 10:30 A.M. with Fr. Josh Luttig as Celebrant. Following the Mass, burial will take place in St. John The Baptist Catholic Cemetery in Ypsilanti, MI. Following the burial a luncheon will be held at St. Andrew Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Sylvia's name may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project <https://support.woundedwarriorproject.org/> To leave a memory you have of Sylvia, to sign her online guestbook or for directions please visit www.rbfhsaline.com

Cemetery Details

St. John The Baptist Catholic Cemetery

1400 North River Street
Ypsilanti, MI 48197
<https://www.ypsicatholic.org/cemetery>

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 6. 3:30 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Robison-Bahnmilller Funeral Home & Cremation Services
301 E Michigan Ave
Saline, MI 48176
(734) 429-9760
rbfhsaline@hotmail.com
<https://www.rbfhsaline.com>

Visitation

OCT 7. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church
910 Austin Dr
Saline, MI 48176-1157
(734) 429-5210

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT 7. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Graveside Service

OCT 7. 12:20 PM - 12:50 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RW

“ Ryan Grunzweig & Jacob Wolfe purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Sylvia Jean Maynard.



Ryan Grunzweig & Jacob Wolfe - October 06, 2025 at 08:34 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sylvia Jean Maynard.

October 06, 2025 at 09:43 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Sylvia Jean Maynard.



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LT

“ Love always, Andy Lacy Carter & Tatum purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Sylvia Jean Maynard.



Love always, Andy Lacy Carter & Tatum - October 03, 2025 at 03:22 PM

AU

“ *Augusta lit a candle in memory of Sylvia Jean Maynard*



Augusta - October 03, 2025 at 12:22 PM

AF

“ *Amy Mack and kids also warehouse friend. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Sylvia Jean Maynard.*



Amy Mack and kids also warehouse friend. - October 03, 2025 at 12:21 PM