



## Germaine "Gerri" K. Chapman

March 2, 1951 - March 12, 2016

Germaine "Gerri" K. Chapman, 65, of Lac du Flambeau, passed away on March 12th, 2016, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, in Appleton, Wisconsin, after a brief illness.

She was born on March 2nd, 1951, in Tomahawk, Wisconsin, the daughter of the late James M. St. Germaine, Sr., and Lila B (Philoman) St. Germaine. She married James F. Chapman, Jr. on March 10th, 1969, and they were happily married for 47 years. They had three children, James F Chapman III, Michelle (John) Young and Lynn Chapman.

Gerri worked for the LdF Tribe for 28 years. She also served on several tribal committees. She enjoyed traveling, fishing, pow wows, and attending numerous sports and dance-related activities of her grandchildren. Gerri was a wonderful cook and took immense pleasure in cooking for her family and friends, as well as hosting holiday celebrations.

Gerri was preceded in death by her parents, James and Lila St. Germaine, her brother, James (Jim Toy) St. Germaine Jr., and her father and mother-in-law, James and Violet Chapman.

Gerri was survived by her husband Jim, and their children, James, Michelle (John) and Lynn. She was further survived by sisters, Koosie St. Germaine, Fern St. Germaine (Pat Bearstail, Sr.), Audrey St. Germaine, Carol (Paul) Hill, and brothers, Wendell (Rochelle Conto) St. Germaine, Robert St. Germaine, and Wayne St. Germaine.

She was the beloved grandmother of James (Dasha) IV, Jennifer, Justin,

Joseph and Jayden Chapman, Ryan, Jared (Shawny), Desmond, Thalia, and Taryn Young, Zachary Jr., and Kailia Sunn, and Derik Chapman, and beloved Great-grandmother to James Chapman V and Jillian Young. She is further survived by many nieces and nephews.

The family would like to express a special thank you to Dr. Adrienne Laverdure, Dr. Jerry Goldberg in Marshfield, and Dr. Brad Lauderdale and nursing staff at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Appleton.

Visitation will be held on Friday, March 18th, at the Multi-Purpose Building in Lac du Flambeau, at 3:00P.M. for family, and starting at 4:00P.M. for friends of the family. A Prayer Service will take place at 7:00P.M.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00A.M. on Saturday, March 19th, at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Lac du Flambeau, followed by interment at Memorial Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Memorial Cemetery

Lac du Flambeau, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 18. 4:00 PM (CT)

LDF Multi Purpose Building  
Lac du Flambeau, WI 54538

## Prayer Service

MAR 18. 7:00 PM (CT)

LDF Multi Purpose Building  
Lac du Flambeau, WI 54538

## Funeral Mass

MAR 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Anthony's  
Lac du Flambeau, WI 54538

# Tribute Wall

AL

“ *Your my Great Auntie & I Can't Believe Your Gone. I'm Sorry I Didn't get to say Bye or won't be Able to But Your in My heart & I love you Forever. Watch over us Precious Angel. Watch Over Grandma Koosie For Me Rest Easy Auntie Gerri your truly missed*

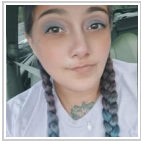


**Alyssa** - March 18, 2016 at 10:15 AM

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“ *My heart is heavy with sorrow...*

**Charlene** - March 18, 2016 at 07:29 AM



“ *I can't believe she's gone! We are praying for the rest of our family during this time we love y'all! R.I.P. Auntie we love and miss you! Love- Charissa, Cody, MacasiyaKae, and MiicolaahRae*



**Charissa Meester** - March 17, 2016 at 12:49 PM

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*Thanks Charissa. Much love to you and your babies ❤️*

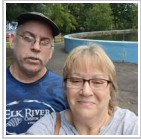
**Michelle Young** - March 18, 2016 at 12:20 AM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Germaine "Gerri" K. Chapman.



March 16, 2016 at 10:34 PM



“ Cathy Seeley lit a candle in memory of Germaine "Gerri" K. Chapman



Cathy Seeley - March 16, 2016 at 03:34 PM

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Thank you Cathy

Michelle Young - March 16, 2016 at 04:46 PM

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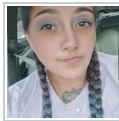
Michelle Chapman Young - March 16, 2016 at 12:18 PM

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“ Mom I miss you so much. My heart is broken completely. You always showed us how to work hard and always do our best. And to be strong and resilient. I'm trying mom but to not have you near for a visit or phone call is incredibly painful. I just miss you so much. I love you so much. You'll be in my heart always. Don't worry about daddy. Snoop, John and I will always make sure dad is well taken care of. I love you mom. Forever.

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**Michelle Chapman Young** - March 16, 2016 at 11:57 AM



*Im so sorry cousin we love you and if you need to talk vent scream cry anything I am here I love you!*

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**Charissa Meester** - March 17, 2016 at 12:50 PM

KL

“ No words can express the sadness I have in my heart for the passing of my bud Gerri. I will always remember the great times we shared especially our trips to Branson. My condolences and prayers go out to the entire Chapman family. I love you all.

*Kathy LaBarge*

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**Kathy LaBarge** - March 14, 2016 at 02:01 PM

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*Thank you Kath. We love you too!*

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**Michelle Chapman Young** - March 16, 2016 at 11:59 AM