



Susan Siu-Ying Chiu

October 10, 1951 - March 6, 2026

Susan Siu-Ying Chiu passed away peacefully on March 6, 2026, surrounded by the love of her family.

Born in Taishan, Guangdong, China, Susan immigrated to the United States as a young girl. During her time at the University of Wisconsin, she met her husband of 54 years. Together they built a beautiful life, eventually settling in Wheaton, Illinois, where they raised their two children, Jeff and Laura.

Later in life, when Susan became a grandmother (Mah Mah), she moved to Hudsonville, Michigan, to be closer to her beloved grandsons. Being with Preston and Nolan was one of the greatest joys of her life, and she loved them deeply.

Susan found peace and happiness in the simple beauty of nature. An avid gardener, she spent countless hours tending to her garden and caring for her many houseplants, finding quiet joy in watching them grow and flourish.

Susan also enjoyed traveling and exploring new destinations, delighting in the unique foods and traditions that made each place special. Whether near or far, she embraced every experience with curiosity, gratitude, and a deep appreciation for life.

Above all else, Susan was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister and friend. She gave her whole heart to her family - her love was constant, generous, and unwavering.

Susan is survived by her husband, Brendon; her children, Jeff (Angela) and Laura; and her grandchildren, Preston and Nolan. She will be forever missed by her family and all who knew her. Susan was truly one of a kind, and to have been loved by her is a gift that will be treasured always.

A small private ceremony will be held by the family at a future date.

The Chiu family is being served by Yntema Funeral Home, 251 South State Street, Zeeland, MI 49464. To leave condolences online, please visit www.yntemafh.com.

Tribute Wall

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Lisa Chow - March 26 at 08:44 PM

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Lisa S - March 13 at 05:59 PM

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“ Our deepest condolences to Brendon, Jeff, Angie, and Laura. Susan had such a warm, welcoming spirit—she was always friendly, and kind. We are grateful for the love she showed my mother; she was a wonderful daughter-in-law who always made Mom feel special with her frequent and thoughtful birthday visits. Susan excelled in every role: as a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and sister-in-law. We will miss her deeply, and while family gatherings won't be the same without her smiling face, we will carry her memory and her joyful spirit in our hearts forever.
Tom & Sharon Chiu



Tom & Sharon Chiu - March 12 at 11:32 PM

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“ Our sincere sympathy in the loss of your precious loved one. We will miss Susan as a neighbor. She had a friendly smile for everyone. She always complimented us on our porch plants in the summer. We enjoyed her enthusiasm for growing things.
From neighbors at 5290 Southbrook Court.

Neil Hollenbeck - March 10 at 08:11 PM

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“ My condolences to Brendon, Jeff, Ang & Laura with sadness. Susan was a wonderful sister in law who was dear to my heart for her kindness with a quiet steady force for the Chiu family. Susan was a wonderful daughter in law who sent out Mother’s Day cards and birthday cards year after year. Susan was a devoted wife looking after Brendon, a loving Mom to Jeff and Laura. Preston and Nolan were apples in her eyes. Thank you Susan for the time we had together and the sweet memories. Your loved ones will be in my thoughts and prayers! Rest in peace until we meet again. 🙏



Shirley Ma - March 10 at 10:08 AM

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“ Susan was the oldest of 3 sisters. She was always the fun one. Our conversations would invariably contain laughter throughout. She approached life with great positivity. I am glad to have spent fun times with my sister. Always in my memory. My sincerest condolences to the Chiu family. Lisa



Lisa S - March 09 at 08:14 PM

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Our deepest sympathies to Brendon, Jeff, Ang, Laura for the passing of our dear Susan.

Susan is a fun loving sister in law .

We have many fun memories of Susan and her family visiting us in Welland , Ontario, North Bay, Toronto and Florida. She will always be remembered in our hearts !

Salina Poon - March 10 at 08:47 PM