



Arloa De Vries

April 25, 1942 - November 1, 2022

“It is finished, the battle is over”. Loie De Vries, age 80 of Zeeland passed away Tuesday, November 1, 2022, after a 13-year battle with cancer

She is survived by her husband of 61 years LaVerne “Vern” De Vries, her son Mike and Kathy De Vries, her sister-in-law Marcia Baker several nieces, nephews, and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents Charles Jr. and Minne Raak, Vern’s parents Willard and Reka De Vries, her sisters who both passed away on September 17, 2009, Clara Overzet and Ethel Van Ommen, and her brothers-in-law: Henry Overzet, Elwyn Van Ommen, Kenneth De Vries and Lewis Baker.

Loie was a member of Community Reformed Church. She was an excellent seamstress. She and Vern attended several southern gospel concerts over the years. Loie’s shopping friend for many years was Sherry. She was an avid bible reader, lover of Christ and she very easily made friends.

Loie worked at many part-time jobs, notably at Zeeland Bakery and Bunters Pharmacy from where she retired.

Visitation will be 5-8 pm Thursday, at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 South State

Street, Zeeland. A memorial service will be held 12 noon Friday, November 4, 2022, at Community Reformed Church, 10376 Felch Street, Zeeland. The inurnment will be in Zeeland Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be given to The Bridge Youth Center, Upward Bound, or Hospice of Holland. www.yntemafh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 3. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Yntema Funeral Home
251 S State St
Zeeland , MI 49464
(616) 772-2173
info@yntemafh.com
<http://langelandsterenberg.com/>

Memorial Service

NOV 4. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Community Reformed Church
10376 Felch Street
Zeeland, MI 49464

Tribute Wall

VG

“ I will miss our very intimate moments with you my friend and I love you so much



vipan Gupta - June 07, 2025 at 04:20 AM

MH

“ Sorry for your loss Vern and Mike , it was a long battle , but she is at peace. May the Lord bless you and keep you in this time sorrow.

Mike and Sharon Van Haitsma - November 06, 2022 at 04:45 PM



“ Loie was such a sweet lady, always had a smile. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers Vern.

Sarah Rumsey - November 04, 2022 at 08:08 PM

KM

“ I remember when we were visiting a few years ago, and she took me shopping at Yonkers! She helped me find some great clothes, some of which I still have. My family and I will miss her!

Kristin Montgomery - November 04, 2022 at 12:59 PM

JW

“ She was always so nice and friendly. Sorry for your loss.

Jason & Sandy Wolters - November 03, 2022 at 03:34 PM

CK

“ I always enjoyed Loie, her sisters, and her mom when they would meet for coffee in the afternoon at Bosch's Restaurant. Such sweet ladies. So sorry for your loss.

Cheryl Wasson Klingenberg

Cheryl Klingenberg - November 02, 2022 at 10:42 AM

LL

*So sorry for your loss Vern - we will remember you in our prayers
Maurie and Lorraine Lemmen*

Lorraine Lemmen - November 02, 2022 at 11:59 AM

LS

We send our deepest sympathy and love. Loie will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her. Sincerely, Tim & Lori Scholten, Steve & Megan Haefling, Will & Kelsey Richardson.

Lori Scholten - November 03, 2022 at 01:27 PM

CV

May you feel the peace and presence of the Lord during this difficult time.

Sincerely, Char VanBeek

Char VanBeek - November 03, 2022 at 01:28 PM