



Beatrice Klein

May 6, 1928 - December 23, 2017

Beatrice ("Bea") Mae Klein (Michmerhuizen) 89 years old. On December 23, 2017, Bea joined her husband, Gerald, in heaven. They were married 39 years until he passed away in 1987, at the age of 60. Together they had 5 children: Ken (Nancy) Klein, Linda (Earl) Smit, Larry (Linda) Klein, Susan Klein, Mark (Judy) Klein. Bea graduated from Holland Christian High School and continued to appreciate the influence of Holland Christian on her own children. Being a long-time member of Bethany Christian Reformed Church, she was active in choir and the Dorcas Society. She and her sister, Margaret, enjoyed volunteering at Holland City Hospital. Bea was preceded in death by Llewellen & Catherine Michmerhuizen, Russell & Helene Michmerhuizen, Margaret & Gerald Schippers, Donald and Betty Michmerhuizen, Bernard and Ethel Swierenga. Bea was a devoted wife, mother, grandma and great grandma. She will be missed by her children, her 13 grandchildren & 21 great grandchildren. The family would like to express special thanks to the staff of Resthaven Maple Woods and cottages and the staff of Hospice of Holland. Your love for Bea was so evident. Visitation will be 5-7 p.m. Thursday, December 28, 2017 at Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 East 16th Street, Holland. The memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, also at the funeral home. Interment will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be given to Holland Christian Schools Tuition Grant Fund or Hospice of Holland. www.langelandsterenbergh.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Beatrice Klein*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"I had the privilege of spending time with Bea while working at the Cottages. She was so sweet and had such a peaceful demeanor and a beautiful smile. I will miss seeing her and talking to her on the nights I work. My heart goes out to her family and friends, she was truly a gift to the people she had known."*

Rachael Rush - January 05, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"I was saddened to hear of Bea's death. We shared many a chuckle at Maple Woods, and she always had a twinkle in her eye. May God grant you comfort and peace in the coming days. Nancy Frens"*

Nancy Frens - December 29, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Dear Klein Family, Our sincere sympathy to all of you in the loss of dear Beatrice. May your sweet memories carry you during this time of sorrow. Praying our Heavenly Fathers arms to wrap you and hold you close during this time of adjustment and loss. Keeping you in our prayers during this tome."*

Russell - December 29, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CD

“I was so sorry to hear about Bea's passing. She was very special to me. I worked for Resthaven Home Care and came to give her a shower and do some cleaning and talking every Tuesday, until she moved to the cottages. I was happy for her to have the opportunity to move, but sad that we wouldn't see each other every week. I came to visit her about 2 1/2 weeks before she died and was trying to figure out when I would come and see her again, when I read that she died. She was such a joy to spend time with and she always had a good sense of humor about everything. I will really miss her! Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers during this sad and difficult time.”

Connie DeZwaan - December 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“May God give you all his comfort and strength during this time of saying a temporary goodbye. You are in our prayers.”

Diane Jonker - December 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AB

“I was so sorry to see of your Mom's passing. I remember her as I grew up in the old neighborhood. She was a great lady. I'm also glad I saw you girls with your mom at Wendy's a couple years ago. It was great to see her and you. You are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.”

Anita Slikkers Buell - December 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RD

“*To all the Klein family, We extend our sincerest sympathy to all of you in the loss of your Mom, Grandmother and Great Grandmother. You are all in our thoughts and prayers as you grieve, but also as you celebrate a life that has meant so much to each of you. May the knowledge that Bea is celebrating in heaven be a comfort in the days ahead. Love to all of you. Ron and Phyllis Van Donselaar*”

Ron and Phyllis Van Donselaar - December 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KM

“*Dear Cousins, How wonderful to have your mom for so many years. To have the assurance of seeing her again is priceless. Cherish the memories.*”

Karen Michmerhuizen - December 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SB

“*So sorry to hear of your mom's passing, Sue and family. She always had a cheerful demeanor and a delightful laugh. She made sure I knew how much she appreciated my music gift whenever we connected. I know how much you'll miss her in your life. Hugs and prayers at this difficult and special time.*”

Shar Boerema - December 26, 2017 at 12:00 AM