



Constance Lou Petroelje

October 16, 1932 - May 3, 2025

Connie's funeral video can be found at: <https://niekerkcrc.org/sermons>

Constance L. Petroelje, age 92, of Holland, passed away Saturday, May 3, 2025 at Resthaven Maple Woods in Holland.

Connie was a member of Niekerk Christian Reformed Church where she had been a choir member, a member of the Ladies Society, and an organist for 40 years.

Connie was preceded in death by her husband of 67 years, Justin, in 2018; brother and sister-in-law, Philip and Donna Michmerhuizen; and sisters-in-law, Rose Marie Michmerhuizen and Nelva Michmerhuizen.

Connie is survived by her:

Children

Rob (Sally) Petroelje of Villa Park, IL

Dawn Walters-Folkert and Melvin Busscher of Holland

Nancy (Jack) Engelsman of Hudsonville

John (Brenda) Petroelje of Holland

Joel (Deb) Petroelje of Holland

Dan (Kathi) Petroelje of Holland

21 Grandchildren

38 Great grandchildren

Siblings

James Michmerhuizen of Boston, MA

Joyce (Jack) Koeman of Holland

Terry Michmerhuizen of Kalamazoo

Funeral services are planned for 11:00am Friday, May 9, at Niekerk Christian Reformed Church, 545 Country Club Road, Holland, with Rev. Benj Petroelje and Rev. John Nyitray officiating. Burial will be in Zeeland Cemetery. Visitation is scheduled for 4:00-7:00pm on Thursday, May 8 also at Niekerk Christian Reformed Church. Memorial contributions may be made to Holland Christian Schools and Mercy Ships. Arrangements are by Langeland-Sterenber Funeral Home and condolences may be left online at www.langelandsternberg.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 8. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Niekerk Christian Reformed Church
545 Country Club Road
Holland, MI

Funeral Service

MAY 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Niekerk Christian Reformed Church
545 Country Club Road
Holland, MI

Tribute Wall

JP

“ *Connie was such a lovely person! So sorry for your loss.*

Jane Peeks - May 09, 2025 at 01:33 PM

PH

“ *Connie and her husband Jut were such wonderful Christians. To my surprise they would invite single women to their home for a wonderful Sunday dinner after church. In sympathy!!*

Pat Hoeksema - May 08, 2025 at 09:55 PM

PH

“ *Pat Hoeksema lit a candle in memory of Constance Lou Petroelje*



Pat Hoeksema - May 08, 2025 at 09:51 PM

JH

“ *Mrs Petroelje was the epitome of what Christian love should be. She exuded joy and love and was one of the most genuine people I've ever met. Her sweet laugh and infectious smile will be greatly missed in this world! <3*

Jackie Heemstra - May 08, 2025 at 06:21 AM

SG

“ *Scott and Lori Gugino planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Constance Lou Petroelje.*

Scott and Lori Gugino - May 07, 2025 at 10:07 PM

SG

“ Scott and Lori Gugino purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Constance Lou Petroelje.



Scott and Lori Gugino - May 07, 2025 at 10:07 PM

CN

“ It was a delight to know Connie when she lived at Royal Park Place. She always had a bright smile to share with everyone. My sympathies and prayers to Connie's loved ones - Sincerely, Chaplain Cindy Nyhoff

Cindy Nyhoff - May 07, 2025 at 08:18 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Constance Lou Petroelje.



May 07, 2025 at 01:34 PM

DB

“ Connie had the gift of hospitality! On our first visit to Niekerk, Connie invited us for lunch. Never saw her with out a smile on her face! She radiated the joy of the Lord!

Denise Biven - May 06, 2025 at 08:31 AM

TV

“ *Connie was a worker with a positive attitude. Her love for Jesus and others radiated through her and caught my attention whenever I would see her. Heave gained a new angel. Our thoughts are with you all as you will definitely miss her.*



Trinie VP - May 06, 2025 at 08:08 AM

TC

“ *The Windemuller crew purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Constance Lou Petroelje.*



The Windemuller crew - May 06, 2025 at 06:42 AM

MA

“ *I worked with Connie years ago at DuMez dept. store and she was the sweetest person. She always had "pearls of wisdom" to share. Rest in peace with God.*

Marge - May 05, 2025 at 02:12 PM