



## Crystal Teague

December 20, 1922 - December 20, 2013

Crystal Teague, 91, of Freedom Village in Holland, formerly of Zeeland, passed away on Friday, December 20, 2013.

Crystal was born September 17, 1922, in Zeeland, to Alfred and Christine (Meeuwsen) Van Duine. Her step-mother Helen (De Wendt) Van Duine helped raise Crystal when her mother died when Crystal was only 4 years old. She was raised in Zeeland and graduated from Zeeland High. Crystal worked at the Annville Institute, in Annville, Kentucky where she met Earl K. Teague. Crystal and Earl married and raised their family in Zeeland and were members of First Reformed Church of Zeeland. After retiring, the Teagues moved to Freedom Village in Holland and became members of Third Reformed Church. Crystal was preceded in death by Earl in 1999, and her son-in-law Paul Van Raalte in 2011.

She is survived by her children: Ann Van Raalte of Fennville, Earl A. and Darla Teague of Zeeland, Beth and Rick Rosekrans of Lake City; grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Todd and Jennifer Kuipers (Brooklin, Devin, Kirstin, Brendin), Chad and Stacy Kuipers (Tanner, Raelin, Alec, Riley), Jeff Kuipers, Shane Teague, Aaron Teague, Rachel Rosekrans, Brooke Rosekrans.

A service to honor Crystal's faith and life will be held at 2:00 pm, Thursday, December 26, 2013, in the Auditorium at Freedom Village, 145 Columbia Ave., Holland, MI 49423. Interment in Zeeland Cemetery. Memorial

contributions may be made to Holland Rescue Mission. Arrangements by the Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 E. 16th Street, Holland.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Crystal Teague*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *Sorry to hear about your mom. She had a special place in my heart. In fact we had several heart to heart talks. After I retired I went back to see her and it was just like we had not been apart. My prayers are that God will give you comfort and peace.*

**Ruth Kamphuis - Holland, MI** - December 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mark just told us that Crystal had passed. We planned on visiting with your family. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

**Brower's & Schipper's - Zeeland, MI** - December 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *I have tears running down my face as I think of the sweet reunion between Crystal and my Mom this past weekend. She was Mom's dearest friend in this world, and the friendship between your family and ours spans decades and encompasses sweet memories of childhood, of camping in 'your' camper, of walks around Windmill Island and visits to Freedom Village in later years. Our hearts grieve for your loss and rejoice in the promise of heaven. Beth, Tim and Daniel Pennings*

**Beth Pennings - Moorhead, MN** - December 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My mother is a poem I'll never be able to write, though everything I write is a poem to my mother. ~Sharon Doubiago*

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**Brian** - December 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Beth, Rick and Family, I am so very sorry for your loss. I know how hard it is to lose a loved one and I am sure your Mother was loved. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Love and Peace, Marilyn Bass-Huyser*

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**MARILYN BASS-HUYSER - LANSING, MI** - December 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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**Brian** - December 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Crystal was one of the gentlest people I have known - born of humility, steadfast love, devotion, simplicity, deep belief, she was a second mother of my childhood. With her passing I realize just what an impact she had in my life. I loved checking in on her on FB. One of the few 91 year old FBers I know!!! Thank you Crystal, for listening to all my foolishness, for being such a loving person.*

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**Dawn Fabbro - Montclair, NJ** - December 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ To know Crystal was to love her. Her gentle manner and fun sense of life was refreshing. I would visit her hoping to cheer her up, and it was I who left with my spirit soaring and a smile on my face. She will be missed.

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**Jane Snyder - Third Reformed Church, MI** - December 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers, God Bless.  
Wayne & Dorothy

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**Dorothy & Wayne Everett - Lake City, MI - Friend of Beth and Rick** - December 21, 2013 at 12:00 AM