



## Elaine Zwagerman

February 8, 1951 - January 24, 2018

Elaine Zwagerman, age 66, passed away on January 24, 2018 after a courageous battle with cancer. Elaine was a loving wife, mother and grandmother. She deeply loved her husband, children, and grandchildren and prayed for them regularly. Elaine was instrumental in helping run the family dairy farm and worked various part-time jobs in the community throughout her life. She was committed to her church, singing in the choir, and studying the Bible with fellow believers. She was heavily engaged in the community and used her talents and time to assist others. She looked forward to her weekly time with the Crazy Ladies Quilting Circle and sewed often for Love Sews. She was ALWAYS on the go and up to something good! She will be missed by many. She was preceded in death by her brother, Phil Masselink; brothers and sisters-in-law, Gordon Zwagerman, Don & Phyllis Zwagerman, John Kloosterman, Arnold Zuverink, and Dave Buist. She is survived by her husband, Marvin; children, Michelle & Luis Zavala, Tim & Lisa Zwagerman, Laura & Mike Piechocki; grandchildren, Darien Phimmasane, Jessica Zavala, Jovani Zavala, Zoey Zwagerman, Rylee Zwagerman, Slater Wilson, Michael Piechocki, Jacob Piechocki; siblings, Larry & Mary Masselink, Barb & Phil Zylstra, Mary Masselink-Brink, Ray & Kathy Masselink, Ken & Jayne Masselink, Linda & Rick VanderPloeg; sister-in-laws, Joan Zwagerman, Elaine Kloosterman, Joan Zuverink, and Jean Buist. Visitation is 2:00-4:00 & 6:00-8:00 pm Sunday, January 28, 2018 at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 S. State St., Zeeland, MI 49464. Funeral services are 11:00 am on Monday, January

29, 2018 at Central Wesleyan Church (Chapel), 446 W. 40th St., Holland, MI 49423 officiated by Melinda Priest.. Memorial contributions may be made to Love Sews Ministry. Burial to take place in Zeeland Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Elaine Zwagerman*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"So sorry for your loss of Wife, Mother, Grandmother and Sister."*

**Carol Wassink** - February 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"So sad to read ,this as I just happened to be looking on the Yntema site. Our condolences to the whole family, what a loss of such a beautiful person! Hugs and prayers for all."*

**Linda and Pat Mitchell** - January 31, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"So sorry for the loss of this wife, mother, grandmother and sister. I remember Elaine and the Masselink family from our days at Pine Creek Church. Norma Knoll Hook"*

**Norma Hook** - January 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Elaine Zwagerman*

**Ruth Dejager** - January 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Elaine will be deeply missed. She was a very fun person to work with at Familr Fare in Zeeland.Darlene Vander Wilt"*

**Darlene Vanderwilt** - January 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SR

“Dear Family, Elaine was a very dear person and will be solely missed. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers. I would like to come to Michigan for the funeral, but I was just in Michigan for Christmas so will be unable to make it. I was able to see Elaine at Jason and Ashley's wedding reception in Wyoming the summer of 2016. We were able to catch up on each other's families. It was so good to see her! Sandy Redder Raleigh, NC 1/28/18”

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**Sandy Redder** - January 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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**Sandy Redder** - January 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SW

“Elaine will be greatly missed! She was always doing things for others. I met her at choir practice 13 years ago... she was in-charge of the robes... and later at a quilting bible study within the past few years. I will never forget her smile and how outgoing she was... always busy with projects to help others... Condolences to her family! You are all in my prayers!”

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**Shirley Wheeler** - January 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AF

“We were neighbors many years ago. I'm remembering the birth of her precious children, her gardens and our good conversations.. Also, remembering their travels to Africa. Our sympathy to all of you. Tom and Marilyn”

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**A friend** - January 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JS

“I will surely miss Elaine's smiling face and seeing her many beautiful projects. She has earned her heavenly reward and is not in pain anymore. Praying for Marv and the children and grandchildren as they navigate this loss. I'm so glad we got the time together that we did.”

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**Jan Scott** - January 25, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JZ

“So sorry for your loss. Praying for the family.”

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**Jim Vander Zwaag** - January 25, 2018 at 12:00 AM

VZ

“We had so much fun together as children. so glad I was a part of her life.”

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**Vander Zwaag** - January 25, 2018 at 12:00 AM