



## Esther Brouwer

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Esther Brouwer, age 93, of Holland, passed away Sunday, November 3, 2013 at Resthaven Care Center.

She was a member of Maple Avenue Ministries (formerly Maple Avenue Christian Reformed Church) since 1942, and dedicated her life to the Maple Avenue CRC outreach program. Esther also worked for 18 years at Holland Christian Schools as director of their food service program.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Roger, in 1996; a brother, Jack Fritsch; and sister, Dorothy Krikke.

Esther is survived by her:

### Sons

Bruce and Brenda Brouwer of Zeeland

Ron and Jane Brouwer of Holland

Dave and Beth Brouwer of Beulah, SD

8 Grandchildren

5 Great Grandchildren

Brother

William and Ceil Fritsch of Cincinnati, OH

Sister-in-Law

Mrs. Jack (Rita) Fritsch of Cincinnati, OH

Funeral services are planned for 11:00am Saturday, November 9 at Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 E 16th St., with Rev. Peter De Haan officiating. Burial will be in Restlawn Memorial Gardens. Visiting hours are scheduled for 4-7pm on Friday, November 8, also at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Holland and Holland Christian Schools.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Esther Brouwer*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *What a lovely lady. I got to know her a bit while visiting my mother at the Good Shepherd's Home. She was always gracious, and had a calm dignity about her. I know my mother will miss her too. Grace and peace to the family*

**Michelle Bombe - Holland, MI - Friend** - November 07, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Thinking of you, Ron & Jane. I remember what a gracious woman your mother was. Peace to you. Kathleen (Meyer) Coveny.*

**A friend** - November 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Esther was a wonderful woman. My memory of her is helping out during Mac Rec in our clubhouse. She always loved kids. Condolences to the family*

**Elisa Wroten - Holland, MI - friend, deacon at Maple Ave** - November 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our sympathy to Bruce and Brenda of the passing away of your mother. Sincerely, Bill and Norma Bruinsma*

**A friend** - November 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Many years ago, as a member of Maple Avenue Church and a student at Calvin Seminary, I went with Esther along with others to visit the workers at the blueberry fields north of town. More recently we met when the Grace Gospel Band played at Warm Friend. I am sure she heard the words "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter the joy of your Lord."*

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**Lloyd Wolters - Holland, MI - friend** - November 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Esther was always such a joy to talk to at church! Sweet child of God glad she gets to be with him now!*

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**Shutaveya Ward - Holland, MI - friend** - November 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *She was truly an Angel sent from above. You will be greatly missed.*

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**Vanika Brandon - Holland, MI - Friend/Caregiver@Resthaven Care** - November 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM