



Esther M. Van Dyke

June 2, 1935 - February 9, 2025

Esther M. Van Dyke, 89, of Hamilton, passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 9, 2025.

Esther was born in Zeeland on June 2, 1935, to Elmer and Anna (Van Hoven) Roelofs. She graduated from Zeeland High School and later married LaVern R. Van Dyke. They raised their three children in Hamilton. Esther worked for many years in the office at Vanden Bosch Feed. She is a member of Community Church of Douglas and was preceded in death by her husband of 68 years, LaVern Van Dyke, in 2023.

Esther is survived by her children, Lu Ann (James) Ritsema, Gary Van Dyke, Gordon (Cindy) Van Dyke; 7 grandchildren, Stephanie Ritsema, Derek (Nikki) Van Dyke, Becky (Dustin) Taylor, Greg (Tanya) Van Dyke, Benjamin (Sydney) Ritsema, Emilie (Todd) Rillema, Jennifer (Evan) Hoffman; 7 great grandchildren, Lincoln Taylor, MacKenzie Taylor, Andrew Hoffman, Natalie Van Dyke, Meryl Van Dyke, Zoey Van Dyke, Gage Rillema; sister Isla Brower, and brother-in-law Marvin Van Dyke; several nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held at 12:00 noon, Friday, February 14, 2025, at the Hamilton Reformed Church, 3554 Lincoln Rd.(M-40), Hamilton MI 49419. Visiting hours will be 6:00-8:00 pm, Thursday, at the Yntema Funeral Home, 251 S. State Street, Zeeland MI 49464. Interment will be in Riverside

Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Emmanuel Hospice, 401 Hall St. SW, Suite 263, Grand Rapids MI 49503. www.yntemafh.com

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

Hamilton, MI 49419

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Yntema Funeral Home
251 South State Street
Zeeland, MI 49464

Funeral Service

FEB 14. 12:00 PM - 12:50 PM (ET)

Hamilton Reformed Church
3554 Lincoln Rd
Hamilton, MI 49419-9601
(269) 751-5145

Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Esther M. Van Dyke*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - February 12, 2025 at 09:23 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Esther M. Van Dyke.*



February 12, 2025 at 07:37 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Esther M. Van Dyke.*

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“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Esther M. Van Dyke.*



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Esther M. Van Dyke.

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“ David, Samantha, Dan, and Jen Taylor purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Esther M. Van Dyke.



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