



Mrs. Gertrude Padding

March 23, 1930 - November 23, 2013

Gertrude Padding, 83, of Drenthe, passed away on Saturday, November 23, 2013.

Gertrude was born in South Dakota on March 23, 1930, to Charles and Hilda (Staal) Keuning. The Keunings moved to Michigan and she eventually married John Padding. Gertrude and John were members of Drenthe Christian Reformed Church and raised their family in Drenthe. Gertrude served in the Drenthe CRC Ladies Aid Group and assisted in many of their ministries. John preceded Gertrude in death in 2002. Gertrude volunteered for over ten years at Zeeland Hospital and also served as a volunteer at Bibles for Mexico.

She is survived by her children: Harlene Padding of Kalona, IA, Donna and Lyle McCann of Rockford, William Padding of Grand Rapids, Carl and Cheryl Padding of Ballwin, MO, Gayle and Sterret Carter of Alexandria; VA, 16 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren, sister Genevieve and Rev. Bernard Mulder, sisters-in-law: Marlene Padding, Viola Padding, and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be 11:00 am, Wednesday, November 27, 2013, at Drenthe Christian Reformed Church, 6344 Adams St., Zeeland, MI 49464. Visitation will be 2-4 and 6-9 pm, Tuesday, at the Yntema Funeral Home, 251 S. State Street, Zeeland. Burial will be in East Drenthe Cemetery. Memorials

may be made to the Christian Education Fund at Drenthe CRC, or Refugee Services at Bethany Christian Services.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Gertrude Padding*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *So sorry to hear about the passing of your mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all*

Paul & Retta Cleveland aka Retta Staal - Sarasota, FL - Cousin to Gertrude -
November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are very sorry to hear of your family's loss. You will be in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time (Isa. 25:8)*

Burts Family - Atlanta, GA - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry for the loss of Mrs. Padding. I am good friends with Gayle Carter, her daughter. So now I see where she gets her great smile from. I would have loved to meet Mrs. Padding, and I will one day, I know. My thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family, and to her friends. -- Casey, Isabel, and Olivia Gonzalez.*

V. Casey Gonzalez - Alexandria, VA - friend of Gayle Carter, daughter - November 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'm sure Gertrude was an amazing woman, because I know her daughter. All our love and prayers.*

Pastor Douglas Cross - Alexandria, VA - Gayle's Pastor - November 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I'll always remember Gert's smile! Will miss her at the front desk at the hospital.* ”

Stephanie Buter - Holland, MI - Fellow Volunteer at Zeeland Hosp - November 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM