



Gloria Ann Clark

July 20, 1939 - July 12, 2023

Gloria Clark was born on July 20, 1939 in Downing, Wisconsin to her late parents Donald and Olive Best. She was preceded in death by her first husband of 17 years, Norman M. Kaddatz (1978) and second husband of 39 years, Roy J. Clark (2020); brothers, Roger Best and Terry Best.

Gloria is survived by; daughters, Lori Whitman, Karen Aho, Julie and Tim Murdock; sons, James and Teresa Clark, Ronald and Diane Clark, David and Susan Clark; 16 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren; sisters, Colleen Dimercurio, Janice Bentley, Martha Newman; brothers, Gerald and Darlene Best, and Daniel Best; sister-in-laws, Bertha Best and Stacey Evans.

Gloria was a dedicated Pastor's wife serving God in ministry with first husband Norman M. Kaddatz and second husband Roy J Clark totaling over 50 years of faithful service. Her priorities in life were marriage, her children, grandchildren, her love for God and serving Him many times behind the scenes with meals, Bible studies, counseling, loving congregants, providing rest and respite for missionaries.

She was an amazing cook and baker, serving only the best for those that walked through their doors. She had a love for growing flowers – their yard was always full of color from Spring to Fall. Her biggest passion in life was to make sure that every person she encountered heard of God's love for them.

Always asking “do you know my Jesus?” It was important to her that each person knew of God’s unconditional love for them.

The life of this faithful servant of God can be characterized by her favorite Bible verses - Philippians 4:8 and Galatians 2:20.

The funeral service will be held at Calvary Church, 707 East Beltline Avenue NE, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 49525, on Friday, July 21 at 11:00 a.m.

Visitation will begin at 9:30 a.m. also at the church.

Interment will be at Fairplains Cemetery, 2056 Diamond Avenue NE, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 49505.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Rest Haven Homes, 1424 Union Avenue NE, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 49505, <https://resthavenhomes.com/about/giving/> or to Faith Hospice, 8214 Pfeiffer Farms Drive SW, Byron Center, MI 49315, <https://faithhospicecare.org/donate/>.

Arrangements are by Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 East 16th Street, Holland, Michigan, 49423. To leave condolences online, please visit www.langelandsterenbergh.com.

Cemetery Details

Fairplains Cemetery

2056 Diamond Ave. NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49505

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 21. 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Calvary Church
707 E Beltline Ave NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49525

Funeral Service

JUL 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

Calvary Church
707 E Beltline Ave NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49525

Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Gloria Clark Funeral Service in memory of Gloria Ann Clark*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - July 21, 2023 at 05:24 PM

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“ *Praying for all of you during this time of sorry. It was my privilege to know both Norm Kaddatz and Roy Clark. I knew Norm and Gloria when my husband, Bob Barron, came on staff at Garfield in Milwaukee. I knew Roy through Evelyn, who I grew up with at Calvary Baptist in Altoona, PA. God was good in bringing Gloria and Roy together to further the Kingdom of God.*

Grace Haik Barron

Grace Barron - July 21, 2023 at 09:17 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Gloria Ann Clark.*



July 20, 2023 at 10:15 AM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of *Gloria Ann Clark*.



July 19, 2023 at 05:34 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of *Gloria Ann Clark*.

July 19, 2023 at 05:34 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Gloria Ann Clark*.



July 19, 2023 at 06:56 AM



“ *Your Light Shines* was purchased for the family of *Gloria Ann Clark*.



July 18, 2023 at 08:05 PM



“ *Divine Light* was purchased for the family of Gloria Ann Clark.



July 18, 2023 at 02:04 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Gloria Ann Clark.



July 18, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Gloria Ann Clark.



July 18, 2023 at 11:01 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Gloria Ann Clark.



July 18, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gloria Ann Clark.

July 18, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ Gloria was a wonderful pastors wife and friend to me. She was open, honest and loving. Thank you, Gloria, for your support and involvement with Open Hearts Ministry. Your support was very encouraging to me. Love, Sandy Burdick

Burdick Sandy - July 18, 2023 at 09:09 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gloria Ann Clark.



July 17, 2023 at 06:23 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Gloria Ann Clark.



July 17, 2023 at 02:11 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gloria Ann Clark.



July 16, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gloria Ann Clark.

July 16, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ Praying for the family.



Mary Roy - July 15, 2023 at 09:28 PM



“ My condolences to the family and prayers for you. I worked with Gloria at Northland Baptist Awana. Such a beautiful person. There will be many jewels in her crown.

Donna Brunsink - July 15, 2023 at 09:20 AM



Praying for all of you. We will be donating to The Gideons International Bibles in your mom's memory. It will be her way of continuing witnessing even in death. They will send you a card. Sharon & Tom Kaddatz

Sharon Kaddatz - July 20, 2023 at 10:47 AM