



Karen S. Arnoldink

August 11, 1953 - September 26, 2022

Karen Sue Arnoldink, age 69, of Zeeland, passed away on Monday, September 26, 2022 at Butterworth Hospital after a courageous 40 year fight against cancer.

Karen was a long-time member of Community Reformed Church. She had a wonderful heart and a fighting spirit. Her family will miss her voice of reason and peaceful manner. She enjoyed boating, camping, and accompanying her husband to car events over the years. Most of all, she loved her family, especially spending time with her grandkids. She was their best friend.

Karen was preceded in death by her father, Jerome Den Bleyker; her parents-in-law: Ralph & Flora Arnoldink; and her brother, Calvin Den Bleyker.

She is survived by her husband, Robert “Bob” Arnoldink; children: Mandy & Adam Beroza, Kelly Arnoldink & Kris Augustyn, Ken Catlin; grandchildren: Caden, Abbie, Kaylie, Emerson, Vincent; mother, Dorothy (Schipper) Den Bleyker; and sisters-in-law: Barb & Don Dykema, and Beth Den Bleyker.

A funeral service honoring Karen will be held at 11:30 a.m. Friday, September 30, 2022 at Community Reformed Church, 10376 Felch St. Zeeland. A time of visitation will take place from 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. prior to the service, also at the church. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Memorial contributions

may be given to Shields of Hope, an organization Karen was a proud supporter and recipient of, www.shieldsofhopewestmi.com.

Cemetery Details

Pilgrim Home Cemetery

370 E. 16th St.
Holland, MI 49423

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 30. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Community Reformed Church
10376 Felch Street
Zeeland, MI 49464

Funeral Service

SEP 30. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Karen S. Arnoldink*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - September 30, 2022 at 07:34 AM

LA

“ *Bob, Paula are deeply saddened by your loss. Our prayers are with you as you pass through such a difficult time. Loren & Paula*

Loren Arnoldink - October 03, 2022 at 11:04 AM

JZ

“ *Bob and Family: Marla and I are saddened by the news of Karen's death. We will continue to lift you up in our prayers.*

Jim and Marla Zeedyk

Jim Zeedyk - September 30, 2022 at 04:21 PM

MD

“ It seems like I’ve known Karen most of my life... her Dad was one of my first customers when he owned Breuker&DenBleyker Plumbing and then her Mom opened Golden Swan Gift Shop downtown Holland and I called on them. Brother Cal camped next to my folks at Dutch Treat for years and Bob has been my friend and customer with the body shop since it was Hudsonville Body Shop... what I guess I am trying to say is... I I didn’t just lose a friend I feel like I lost a part of my family. I will miss you Karen.

Mark Dalman - September 28, 2022 at 10:33 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Karen S. Arnoldink.



September 28, 2022 at 07:06 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Karen S. Arnoldink.



September 28, 2022 at 04:47 PM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Karen S. Arnoldink.



September 27, 2022 at 08:56 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Karen S. Arnoldink.



September 27, 2022 at 06:28 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Karen S. Arnoldink.



September 27, 2022 at 05:17 PM



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September 27, 2022 at 11:54 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Karen S. Arnoldink.



September 27, 2022 at 10:03 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Karen S. Arnoldink.*



September 27, 2022 at 09:25 AM