



## Lori L. Leppink

May 23, 1962 - September 15, 2024

Lori L. Leppink, age 62, of Holland, unexpectedly went to be with her Lord and Savior Sunday, September 15th, 2024.

Lori was preceded in death by her parents, Marvin and Beatrice Keen, and brother, Mike Keen.

She was a graduate of Holland Christian High School and worked as the Practice Manager for the General Surgery Group of Lakeshore Health Partners for over 35 years.

Lori loved her Lord and was a prayer warrior for family and friends. She was a giver and planner to her loved ones and those she worked with. People knew Lori by her lists and notes of preparation. Preparing food was her love language to her family and those in need. Cooking was her therapy and she loved recipe books and experimenting with new ones. Lori loved reading and would quickly read many books throughout the year. She loved her birds and many varieties of them loved her too. Lori loved the Hallmark Christmas movie season as they were constantly being played throughout the home during that time of year. Her happy places outside of home were the family cottage, Longboat Key, Florida, and whatever location her kids were living.

Lori is survived by her husband of 41 years, Steven J. Leppink

Children

Connor Leppink

Evan Leppink

Hope (Lance) Martin

Siblings

Bonnie (Terry) DeJong

Barb (Karl) Brink

Cal (Lori) Keen

Parents-in-law

Dr. Richard (Patricia) Leppink

In-laws

Doug (Gina) Leppink

Bob (Sheri) Leppink

Sarah (Nate) Nichols

Many loved cousins, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services are planned for 1:00pm Monday, September 23 at Providence Church, 821 Ottawa Ave., Holland with Pastor Dean Slenk officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Visitation is scheduled for 2:00-4:00pm Sunday, September 22, at Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 E 16th St., Holland. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Community Action House of Holland, Holland Christian Schools, and Heading Home Pet Rescue. Condolences may be left online at [www.langelandsterenbergh.com](http://www.langelandsterenbergh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Pilgrim Home Cemetery

370 E. 16th St.  
Holland, MI 49423

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **22**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home  
315 East 16th Street  
Holland, MI 49423

## Funeral Service

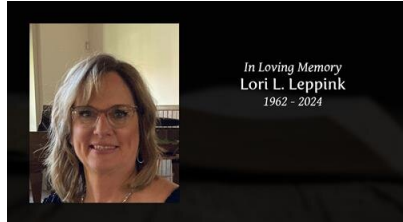
SEP **23**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Providence Church  
821 Ottawa Ave.  
Holland, MI 49423

# Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Lori L. Leppink*



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**Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes** - September 20, 2024 at 08:54 AM

FJ

“ *From Esmeralda & John purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Lori L. Leppink.*



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**From Esmeralda & John** - September 24, 2024 at 03:21 PM

FJ

“ *From Esmeralda & John planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.*

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**From Esmeralda & John** - September 24, 2024 at 03:21 PM

HF

“ *HHMG Leadership Family purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Lori L. Leppink.*



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**HHMG Leadership Family** - September 23, 2024 at 09:09 AM

HF

“ HHMG Leadership Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

HHMG Leadership Family - September 23, 2024 at 09:09 AM

JM

“ Jeff and Leslie Martin planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

Jeff and Leslie Martin - September 22, 2024 at 01:22 PM

LC

“ Deepest sympathies to the family. We have fond memories of Steve and Lori being a part of the Holland Christian volleyball support group. The Curnick Family

Lori Curnick - September 22, 2024 at 11:38 AM

MG

“ Mike & Melissa Golden purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



Mike & Melissa Golden - September 22, 2024 at 07:37 AM

WB

“ William B. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

William B. - September 20, 2024 at 12:45 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.*



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September 20, 2024 at 11:50 AM

MD

“ It was in the year 2003 when Lori and Steven poured out their lives for me so that i stay in school. They sponsored me until i graduated in 2017. i remember the lovely letters they sent and the birthday and gift annualy.

This family made me to desire to sponsor a kid one day. and im doing it. Lori and Steve inspired me to marry so that i could also have a family that love God like their's. and i did.

Lori and Steve became part of my sucess story. i can confidently speak that you two changed a life and thats me..

I truly honor you Steve for being an available husband and dad.

We stand with you in prayer and i know God is helping you and your family in these trying times...

this is the scripture that came to me;

37 Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. 38 For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, 39 nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

I and my wife Cathy, we love you.

sicerely Denis Mwanje.

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**Mwanje Denis** - September 20, 2024 at 08:06 AM

AB

“ It was my very first year teaching and I had Hope as a student. Lori made me feel so loved and taken care of. Her Cookies were out of this world!!! Praying for all of her loved ones ❤️

Amy Berkenpas - September 19, 2024 at 09:25 PM

BM

“ We knew Lori as a friend & fellow band member of our daughter, Laurilee at HC. Many pleasant, fun memories! We also knew the Leppink family well.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Steve & the entire family.

Sincerely,

Beverly Mulder

Beverly Mulder - September 19, 2024 at 07:53 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



September 19, 2024 at 06:22 PM

CT

“ Carthage Men's Lacrosse Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

Carthage Men's Lacrosse Team - September 19, 2024 at 06:22 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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September 19, 2024 at 05:31 PM



“ Lily Shen & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

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**Lily Shen & Family** - September 19, 2024 at 05:31 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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September 19, 2024 at 04:46 PM



“ Hi Steve, So sorry to hear about Lori. She was a great person and I have fond memories of you two at Ferris! Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Unfortunately I will not be able to attend the services on Monday. Sincerely, Scott DeVries

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**Scott DeVries** - September 19, 2024 at 04:10 PM

FT

“ From Jon Nemeth and the entire SIG Team purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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**From Jon Nemeth and the entire SIG Team** - September 19, 2024 at 01:53 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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September 19, 2024 at 01:35 PM

MV

“ Megan Lenhart and CU Volleyball planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

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**Megan Lenhart and CU Volleyball** - September 19, 2024 at 01:35 PM

YF

“ Your Centre for Plastic Surgery Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

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**Your Centre for Plastic Surgery Family** - September 19, 2024 at 12:49 PM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



September 19, 2024 at 12:49 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for peace and comfort during this difficult time.

**Barb Meiste** - September 19, 2024 at 11:59 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for the family.

**Sheree Baskin** - September 19, 2024 at 10:08 AM



“ Tracy S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

**Tracy S.** - September 19, 2024 at 07:04 AM



“ Katherine, Jennifer and families (UK) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

**Katherine, Jennifer and families (UK)** - September 19, 2024 at 05:29 AM

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“ Katherine, Jennifer and families (UK) purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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**Katherine, Jennifer and families (UK)** - September 19, 2024 at 05:29 AM

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“ Love, Allison Senna (AZ) purchased the Rose Reembrance for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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**Love, Allison Senna (AZ)** - September 18, 2024 at 11:06 PM

TK

“ Dear Steve and all of your family you have my heartfelt sympathy. May God be with you and bless you during this time of the loss of your wife/mom. Loving thoughts to you all. ❤️

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**Tammy Kruse** - September 18, 2024 at 09:35 PM

MD

“ Thinking of you, Connor, Hope, and Evan. Your mom was a light to be around and always ready to welcome people into her home. I cherish the childhood memories I got to make with her.

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**Mallory Draisma** - September 18, 2024 at 09:11 PM

WE

“ We were so saddened to hear about Lori’s passing over! When I would see Lori we always talked about our kids and recipes! Her love for Jesus was always evident! She will be missed! Sending much love and prayers to the whole family! Especially to Steve and to your children!

Wendy Edewaard - September 18, 2024 at 06:27 PM



“ I couldn't hardly believe this was true. Lori was such a sweet lady. One of the best on the volleyball support team of parents! You will be missed dear lady. Our deepest sympathies go out to your entire family Hope, especially you Steve. May God wrap his arms around you and his Holy Spirit reach down to you and comfort you now and forever. So sorry Leppink family. Love, The Buikemas

Luanne Buikema - September 18, 2024 at 05:32 PM

BY

“ Brenna Y. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



Brenna Y. - September 18, 2024 at 05:17 PM

LS

“ Love, Tarik, Jessica, & Kasen Skubal planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

Love, Tarik, Jessica, & Kasen Skubal - September 18, 2024 at 05:12 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.*



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September 18, 2024 at 05:12 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.*



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September 18, 2024 at 05:05 PM



“ *Lori was the first employee of Lakeshore surgical associates and was still employed as a practice manager 36 years later at the time of her passing. She embodied the value of putting patients first and was equally loved and appreciated by her colleagues. Lori often talked fondly of her family, and I join many others in thinking and praying for them at this time.*

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**Stephen VanWylen** - September 17, 2024 at 08:16 PM

RJ

“ I knew Lori from work, and thought highly of her as a leader and a human. Lori was unfailingly steady, thoughtful, and generous and, as a manager of a busy medical practice, created an environment that was simultaneously professional and respectful - she "grew" a team with very little turnover and a team exceling in the excellence of care toward patients and as kind and cooperative group in all of their interactions at our specialty medical building. This speaks volumes about Lori. It is memorable that Lori always ALWAYS had a variety of candy on hand for staff: "You don't have to ask" before you came into her office to get your chocolate fix. Her passing is a significant loss to work as well as to the community, and my heartfelt sympathy goes out to her husband, children, family, friends, and co-workers who knew her better and longer than I did.

Reka Jellema - September 17, 2024 at 03:04 PM



Well written Reka. I feel exactly the same. She is missed.

Mary Rottschafer - September 18, 2024 at 11:43 AM

TS

“ Lori is going to missed very much. She was a very kind and caring person and I really appreciated her as a manager and as a friend. I am very thankful that I was able to know her.



Teri Simon - September 17, 2024 at 02:26 PM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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September 17, 2024 at 09:48 AM



“ Tracy S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

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Tracy S. - September 17, 2024 at 09:17 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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September 17, 2024 at 02:53 AM



“ The Vryhofs planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lori L. Leppink.

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The Vryhofs - September 16, 2024 at 09:14 PM



“ The Vryhofs purchased the *Full Of Love Bouquet* for the family of Lori L. Leppink.



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The Vryhofs - September 16, 2024 at 09:14 PM

LB

“ *Lori will truly be missed as a Manager and community friend. Heartfelt sympathy to the family during this time.*



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**Lynnae Bergman** - September 16, 2024 at 08:54 PM

AH

“ *Steve and family, Bill and I are so very sorry and just heartbroken over the news of Lori's passing. Lori's presence and dedication to Lakeshore Surgical and now Holland Hospital General Surgery has been such a blessing. She has been such a wonderful friend to us and an amazing colleague of Bills. We feel so fortunate to have known her and experienced her kindness and friendship all these years. Keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Bill and Amy Houskamp*

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**Amy Houskamp** - September 16, 2024 at 07:30 PM