



Phyllis Hightower

August 14, 1927 - September 25, 2019

Phyllis Hightower, age 92, of Zeeland, was welcomed into the arms of her Heavenly Father on Wednesday, September 25, 2019. Phyllis was known for her quick wit, her willingness to lend a helping hand, her continual encouragement given to her friends and family, and her ability to make everyone in her life feel important. Everyone who knew Phyllis, realized the most important things in her life were faith and family. Phyllis was a longtime member of Burnips Wesleyan Church (now LifeChange Community Church) as well as Emmanuel Wesleyan in Roanoke, VA. When time permitted and as long as her hands allowed it, Phyllis enjoyed quilting, knitting and crocheting. Phyllis was preceded in death by her first husband Elmore Hightower in 1984 and her second husband Roger Hightower in 2013, as well as her parents and all of her seven siblings. Phyllis leaves behind a legacy including her children: Paul and Denise Hightower, Stephen and Carol Hightower, Peggy Hightower, David and Lois Hightower and Amy Shelton. Also surviving are numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren as well as many nieces and nephews and a long list of others whose lives she has touched. Visitation will be 4-7 pm on Saturday, September, 28 at the Yntema Funeral Home, 251 South State St., Zeeland, MI 49464. Funeral services will be 10:00 am on Monday, September 30, 2019 at LifeChange Community Church, 3014 Newell St. Burnips, MI 49314, with the Reverend Steve Jones officiating. Memorial contributions may be given to Hospice of Holland. www.yntemafh.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Phyllis Hightower*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - September 25, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Phyllis Hightower*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"Always a warm hearted greeting when visiting Phyllis and Elmore . Many good memories from homestead on 139th ave. Our condolences. God bless. Carol & Rodney Mulder"*

A friend - September 28, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *"It sounds like Phyllis had a long and faithful relationship with her Lord. And she extended that love to all of her family and friends. Sending our condolences to all who knew her."*

Francie Talsma - September 27, 2019 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ *"I will miss our Saturday laughs, selfies, lunches, feet soakings along with our laughs as to why I weighed you after lunch (so not fair per Grandma), You will be missed greatly but knowing you are with Grandpa makes my heart smile. I will love you forever and will see you in Heaven...until then I will honor your memories, hugs and kisses here on earth, Love you Tina"*

Tina Hightower - September 27, 2019 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *"I had the pleasure of being a helper to Phyllis at Royal Atrium in Zeeland. I loved her humor and just plain sweetness. My condolences to her family and friends."*

Jenna Campau - September 27, 2019 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *" So sorry for your loss, Thoughts and prayers to your Family and friends.."*

Gary Chrispell - September 26, 2019 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ *"My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Love you."*

Beverly Putt - September 26, 2019 at 12:00 AM

CY

“ *"She sounds like she lived a life of loving her family. Prayers for all of her friends and family as you grieve."*

Cinda Yonker - September 26, 2019 at 12:00 AM