



## Ruth Hulst

April 2, 1941 - September 14, 2018

Ruth Hulst, age 77, of Holland, loving wife, mother, grandmother and faithful servant, went home to be with her Lord and Savior Friday, September 14, 2018. She is survived by her husband of 56 years, Ron; her children: Debra (Dann) Elzinga, Kathy (Jim) Timmer, Joy (Joseph) Graffeo and Paul (Jennifer) Hulst; grandchildren: Denise (Kevin) Rauwerda, Darin (Jamie) Elzinga, Darcy (AJ) Frank, Anna (Nate) Drews, Christian Timmer and fiancé Lauren Zeerip, Gabrielle Timmer, Cora Graffeo, Josie Graffeo, Mae Graffeo, William Graffeo, Adeline Graffeo, Rachel Hulst, Jake Hulst and Emma Hulst; her siblings: Marilyn Ryzenga, Norma Klingenberg, Jay (Shirley) Hop, LuWayne (Beverly) Hop, Glenn (Kathy) Hop; her sister-in-law Mildred (Ronald) Wedeven. Ruth was preceded in death by her brothers: Carl Hop and Edgar Hop. She was a member of North Holland Reformed Church where she was a Bible Club instructor for 39 years and was involved in many annual mission projects. Visitation will be 1-3 and 6-8 p.m. Sunday, September 16, 2018 at Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 East 16th Street, Holland. A memorial service will be held 1 p.m. Monday, September 17, 2018 at North Holland Reformed Church, 12050 New Holland Street, Holland. Interment will be in Port Sheldon Township Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be given to Mission India or North Holland Reformed Church Kids Life Bible Club. [www.langelandsterenbergh.com](http://www.langelandsterenbergh.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Hulst*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"Dear Hulst Family ,We are so sorry for your loss .Ruth was the most kind and giving person she will be missed ."*

**Tammy** - September 18, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Dear Hulst Family, We are so sorry for your loss, and we are praying for your comfort and peace during these times. We feel privileged to have known her, and know she is smiling from above at her family."*

**Jeff** - September 17, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"We prayed for you all twice yesterday in our church services here in Mexico and are praying for you right now...may the funeral service point to Christ our great redeemer and the blessed hope of life everlasting with him! May God's peace be on you all."*

**Sandra Anderson** - September 17, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Ron and family,We will truly miss Ruth at Kids' Life bible Clubs. Her tender, humble heart, and love for kids and Jesus was an inspiration to all who knew her. God bless you as you go through this difficult time of losing your dear wife, mom, grandma, sister..."*

**Christy Ham** - September 17, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AF

“*Never a more Godly woman will you ever find! Ruth had a loving heart for everyone of all ages, all races and all economic backgrounds. Ron and Ruth supported many missions locally and around the world. They supported us as missionaries in Juarez, Mexico. What a shining light in this dark world! We love you Ruth and will see you again someday. Ron, God is wrapping his arms around you right now! Prayers are with you always! Rob and Kristi DeHaan and family*”

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**A friend** - September 17, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DA

“*She was a kind hearted woman with love for all she met. We remember so fondly the grilled turkey dinner that she had our family over for. Let precious memories help you as you go through the grief of losing such a beautiful person.*”

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**Dan** - September 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“*Words to Ruth from the Savior, "Well done good and faithful servant. Enter the joy of your reward." My sympathies to your family. Betty Roelofs*”

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**Betty Roelofs** - September 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“*Dear Ron and Family, I came to know Ruth through her loving-kindness shown to my cousin Shirley Priem. I spoke to Ruth a few weeks ago at Aldi's and her testimony to the grace of God was amazing. May this wonderful grace of our Lord be with you at this time. I am praying for you all may the God of all comfort , comfort you.*”

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**Susan Coppersmith** - September 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CZ

“*She was a warm kind hearted person. She will be sadly missed. The kids in bible club enjoyed all of the lessons and stories. We have been blessed to have known her. Our family will miss her.*”

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**Cassandra Zeivel** - September 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“*Ron. We loved Ruth and her love for people and the Lord. She was always so friendly to us at North Holland and Marc enjoyed the mission trip and making pigs with both of you. God bless you during this time of sorrow. She will be missed by many.*”

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**Marc and Barb Aalderink** - September 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“*Ruth was the sweetest woman I have ever known. God has gained an amazing angel!*”

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**Amanda Blanton** - September 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM