



## Marilyn Mae Zeilenga

September 4, 1930 - November 18, 2015

Marilyn Mae Zeilenga, age 85, of DeMotte, IN, passed away Wednesday, November 18, 2015 at her residence. Marilyn was born on September 4, 1930, in Chicago, IL the daughter of Peter and Jessie (Swier) Prince.

Marilyn was a 1948 graduate of the Pullman Free School of Manual Training. In 1950, in Roseland, IL Marilyn married the love of her life Jacob (Jack) Zeilenga and he survives. Marilyn devoted her life to being a housewife, homemaker and mother. She was a member of the Community Christian Reformed Church in Roselawn, IN where she was involved in many activities. Marilyn loved tending her flowers and large vegetable gardens. She shared her tasty homemade baked goods and meals with many over the years.

Marilyn leaves behind her loving husband, Jack; children, Jacklynn (Darryl) Ketelaar, Paul (Mary) Zeilenga, Caryn (John) Boon and Mark (Tracy) Zeilenga; a brother, Ralph (Pearl) Prince; 2 sisters, Brenda Venhuizen and Elaine (William) Stoub; 13 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Marilyn was preceded in death by her parents, a sister, Carole DeBoer and a brother, Gordon Prince.

Friends may call on Sunday, November 22, 2015 from 4:00 to 8:00 PM at

Jackson Funeral Service, DeMotte, IN. Friends may also call from 10:00 to 11:00 AM on Monday, November 23, 2015 at the Community Christian Reformed Church in Roselawn. Funeral Services will be held on Monday, November 23, 2015 at 11:00 AM at the Community Christian Reformed Church in Roselawn, IN with Pastor Jim Busscher officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Jews for Jesus, 60 Haight Street, San Francisco, CA 94102-5895.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **22**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Service of DeMotte  
200 3rd Street, SW  
P.O. Box 681  
DeMotte, IN 46310  
(219) 987-5300  
info@jacksonfuneral.com  
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

## Service

NOV **23**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Community Christian Reformed Church  
10498 N 450 E  
DeMotte, IN 46310  
(219) 345-3388  
<http://www.communitychurchroselawn.com>

# Tribute Wall

JM

“ I would not be where I am with the Lord if it wasn't for This precious lady Marilyn Zielenga. She will be missed by all who knew her. She was a true example of what JJesus would treat people like.Her love and care for others was an example to all.I thank the Lord for having her in my life for the years I did.we send our love to all the family..

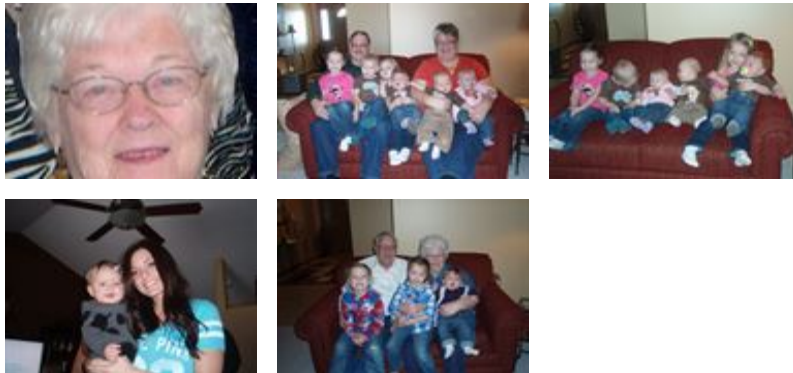


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Jackson Funeral Chapels - November 22, 2015 at 03:29 PM

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“ I remember when Marilyn had a gals luncheon in DeMotte. Marilyn had the rabbit hutch in yard--which we could see from the dining room table-- and we had rabbit for lunch and I thought it was chicken. She loved to cook . Anyone who needed help or assistance --it seemed that Marilyn was always there to help. How she managed to do all she did--I don't know. She was a wonderful human being. Everything I remember about my cousin Marilyn was involved with her helping people. God love her. She will truly be missed by everyone she touched. Cousin Sue Bartkus of Aunt Ann

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**Sue Bartkus** - November 19, 2015 at 11:43 AM