



## Myrle Joan Vander Heyden

November 29, 1930 - January 26, 2012

Myrle Joan Vander Heyden age 81, of DeMotte, IN passed away on Thursday January 26, 2012 at St. Anthony Medical Center, Crown Point, IN. She was born on November 29, 1930 in Roseland, IL to Harold and Irene (Jones) Nichols, both deceased. Myrle was a 1948 graduate of Fenger High School, Roseland, IL and attended 2 years at Thornton Community College. On June 6, 1953 she married Cornelius Vander Heyden who passed away in October 2006. She was a retired secretary for the Reformed Church of American Midwest office in Lansing, IL. She previously had worked as a secretary at The United Way, Ontario, CA. She was a member of American Reformed Church, DeMotte where she was active as a piano player, Sunday School Teacher and sang in the choir. Myrle is survived by her loving children; Carol Lynn (Sam) Sietsma, DeMotte, IN and Thomas R. (Kathy) Vander Heyden, Dyer, IN. Six grandchildren; Tim (Amy) Sietsma, Jennifer Klomp, Amy (Matthew) Smit, Becky (Doug) Hanson, Dr. Tom (Julie) Vander Heyden & Matt (Erin) Vander Heyden. 9 Great Grandchildren and a sister, Geraldine (George) Harro, Waukegan, IL. Preceded in death by her parents and husband.

Friends may call on Monday January 30, 2012 from 2 - 8 PM at Jackson Funeral Service, DeMotte. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday January 31, 2012 at 11 AM at the American Reformed Church in DeMotte, IN with Pastor Dan Jelsma officiating. Internment at Holland Cemetery, DeMotte, IN.

Memorials may be made to the Salvation Army, at Salvation Army, Memorial Program, 3100 North Meridian St., Indianapolis, IN 46208-4718 or to Gideon's International.

# Cemetery Details

## Holland Cemetery

Holland Cemetery  
DeMotte, IN 46310

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 30.** 2:00 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](mailto:info@jacksonfuneral.com)  
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

## Service

**JAN 31.** 11:00 AM (CT)

American Reformed Church  
1021 S. Halleck St.  
DeMotte, IN

# Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Myrle Joan Vander Heyden



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**Jackson Funeral Chapels** - January 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM