



# **Myrtle L. Black**

AUG 17, 1928 - JAN 31, 2014



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## **Myrtle L. Black**

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**M**rs. Myrtle L. (Burgin) Black, age 85, passed away Friday, January 31, 2014 at Newaygo County Medical Care Facility. She was born August 17, 1928 in Lecompte, LA, to Joseph and Cora (Holland) Burgin and was a resident of the Muskegon area most of her life. On October 10, 1945, she married Keith Black in Louisiana and he preceded her in death on March 18, 1994. Prior to retirement in 1989, she worked 20 years as a sales clerk for Hardy-Herpolsheimer's Department Store. Myrtle was a member of Fellowship Reformed Church and was a former member of Unity Reformed Church. She was very active in the DeColores Movement, Myrtle enjoyed spending time with her family, bowling, playing cards with her friends, reading, solving crossword puzzles and working in the yard taking care of her roses. SURVIVORS include 4 children, Mark (June) Black of Dewitt, Keil (David) Basch of Big Rapids, Chris (Lena) Black of Twin Lake, Kimberly (Gary) Boss of Muskegon; 12 grandchildren and 4 step-grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. She was also preceded in death by her parents, 2 brothers and 1 sister. A FUNERAL SERVICE will be held 2:00 PM Thursday, February 6, 2014 at Fifth Reformed Church (2330 Holton Rd.) with Pastor Paul Burmeister presiding. INTERMENT will take place at Sunrise Memorial Gardens. VISITATION will be one hour prior to the service at church, 1-2 PM Thursday. Memorial contributions may be directed to the Alzheimer's Association or the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements handled by

The Sytsema Chapel

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Sign the guest book on-line at [www.sytsemafh.com](http://www.sytsemafh.com)



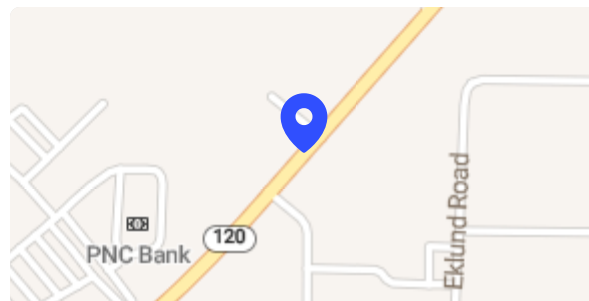
# Events

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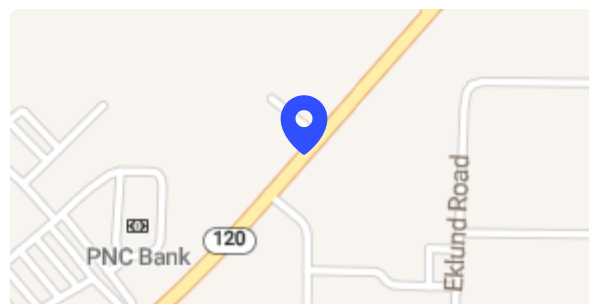
## Visitation

- Thursday**, February 6, 2014
- 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM ET
- Fifth Reformed Church**  
2330 Holton Rd., Muskegon MI 49445



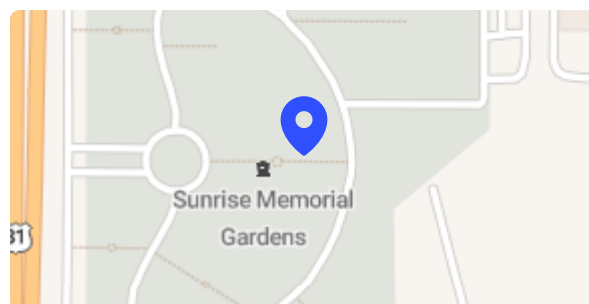
## Funeral Service

- Thursday**, February 6, 2014
- 2:00 PM ET
- Fifth Reformed Church**  
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## Cemetery Details

- Sunrise Memorial Gardens**  
2188 Remembrance Dr., Muskegon MI 49442





## Tribute Wall

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RH

**Ruth Horaczko** posted:

Mark, Chris Keil and, Kim - Edward and I send our condolences and prayers on the passing of your mom. Aunt Myrtle working at Hardy-Herpolsheimer's is one of the fond memories of my childhood . As a child I would go in often to see her while she was working and have popcorn.Take comfort in knowing she is truly in a better place and will always be in your hearts.Love to all,Ruth (Black) and Edward Horaczko

February 7 at 6:41 AM

JF

**Jan Furman** posted:

Chris, Lena and family,Sorry for your loss. Prayers go out to you and your family. Jan Furman

February 4 at 12:52 AM

MR

**Mary Jane Rogers** posted:

I will not be able to attend Myrtle,s service but I want to tell her children what a wonderfulwoman their mother was. I know God will take care of her now,she is in good hands.George and I spent a lot of time together with her and your dad when we were young.and they were great times. rest in peace Myrtle.I will always remember you Mary Jane Rogers.(cousin)

February 3 at 12:19 PM

CB

**Charles D. Burgin** sent a Sweet Tenderness to the Black family.



February 3 at 11:36 AM

YT

**Your Family In Texas** sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the Black family.



February 3 at 2:26 AM



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**Jim Mcelfish** lit a candle in honor of Myrtle.

Dear family, I met your mom at Fellowship Church many years ago and it was my great pleasure to know her. She was always a kind and loving woman, and obviously raised fine children, two of which I had the pleasure to know also, Mark and Kiel. God has her full time now, and her memories are clear.

February 2 at 7:57 AM



**Sandy Richards** lit a candle in honor of Myrtle.

February 1 at 3:35 PM



**SR** **Sandy Richards** February 1 at 3:36 PM  
May you rest in peace with your Lord and Savior



# **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Myrtle by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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