



Ruth A. Kelly

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Ruth A. Kelly, age 76, of Spring Lake passed away Thursday, June 3, 2021 at Mercy Hospital. She was born February 6, 1945 in Grand Haven to Clyde and Helen (Jannenga) Kieft. She married Henry “Harry” Kelly on March 14, 1970 in Grand Haven and he preceded her in death on April 6, 2021 after 51 years of marriage.

Ruth was a member at St. Mary’s Catholic Church and the Charles A. Conklin American Legion Post 28 Auxiliary. She was a talented knitter, an avid reader, and loved to feed a crowd. Ruth also enjoyed going to the cabin with her family and friends. Ruth worked for over 60 years with her family at Kieft Insurance Agency. She will be sadly missed by all who knew her.

She is lovingly remembered by her three sons: Byron (Donna) Kelly, Ryan (Jill) Kelly and Michael (Rebekah) Kelly; eleven grandchildren: Nathan (Becca) Kelly, Tyler, Emily, Clyde, Rosemary, Penelope, Ginger, Judd, Anabelle, Evelyn and Mason Kelly; brother, Garry (Francine) Kieft; two sisters-in-law, Sharon Dean and Mercedes Kelly; brother-in-law, Thomas (Liz) Kelly; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Clyde and Helen.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 AM Thursday, June 10, 2021, at St. Mary’s Catholic Church with Rev. David Gross as celebrant. Friends may meet the family one hour prior to the funeral at church. Memorials to St. Mary’s School Annual Fund are appreciated. Arrangements entrusted to The Spring Lake Chapel of Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services, 213 E. Savidge Street, Spring Lake, MI 49456. Share memories with the family at their online guest book at www.sytsemafz.com.




Events


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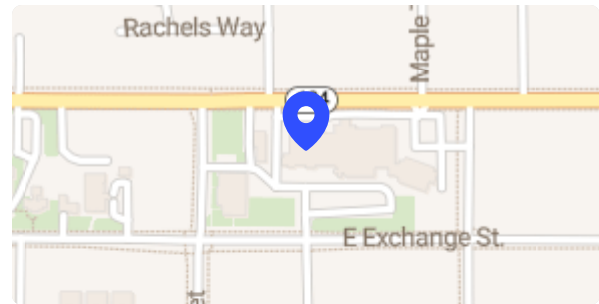
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Visitation

 **Thursday**, June 10, 2021

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

 **St. Mary's Catholic Church**
406 E. Savidge St., Spring Lake MI 49456




Mass of Christian Burial

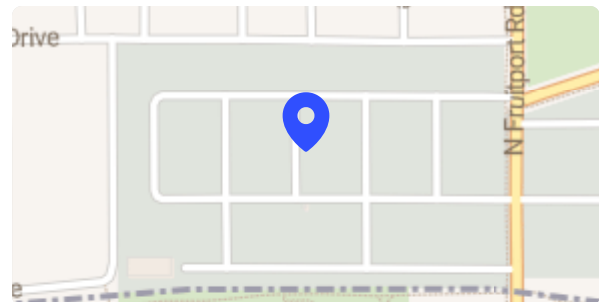
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 St. Mary'S Catholic Church

Cemetery Details

 **Spring Lake Cemetery**
17181 North Fruitport Road, Spring Lake MI 49456





Tribute Wall

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Vicki Steiner posted:

We miss you so much! Played Rubyque Sunday. Judy won 3 and me 2. Xoxo

August 3 at 3:44 PM



Anonymous sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Kelly family.



June 8 at 11:24 AM



Bob And Laurel Herrmann posted:

To Byron and the entire Kelly family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you in your loss. Losing both parents in a short period of time is very tough to endure. Bob and Laurel Herrmann

June 7 at 3:20 AM



Ruth Baldus posted:

I will certainly miss Auntie Ruth and I feel so blessed to have gotten close to her and Uncle Harry especially in this last year...She and uncle Harry will Always share a special place in my heart ❤️❤️

June 6 at 12:46 PM



Cindy Pastotnik posted:

We are so sorry to hear of Ruth's passing. Our deepest condolences to the family. The neighbor will certainly miss the Ruth and Harry. Rest In Peace. Greg and Cindy Pastotnik

June 6 at 6:46 AM



Larry And Carol Guyer posted:

We are so sorry to learn of the passing of Ruth. She was really always on top of things at the Kieft agency and helped us with our insurance needs over the years. Our sympathy to the family. She will be missed.

June 5 at 12:25 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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