



Mary Lu Herzog

August 4, 1934 - September 19, 2022

Herzog, Mary Luanne, age 88 of Grand Rapids, Michigan, passed away peacefully on September 19, 2022. She is preceded in death by her loving husband, Donald Joseph Herzog; parents, Gordon and Mary Cook; and her brother, James Gordon Cook. She will be deeply missed by her children, Jeannie (Bob) Dickey, Tom (Kate) Herzog, Kathleen (Pete) Geherin; and her two loving granddaughters, Anna and Katherine "KK" Geherin. Mary Lu was born in Grand Rapids, Michigan and attended St. Mary's College in South Bend, Indiana where she received her bachelor's degree. She received her master's degree in education from Michigan State University. Mary Lu enjoyed being a second-grade teacher and loved being a docent to the Grand Rapids Public Museum. Mary Lu was also a proud city guide to her beloved hometown of Grand Rapids. Mary Lu married the love of her life, Donald Herzog in 1964. Their 58-year marriage has defined the true meaning of love and has been an inspiration to many. Mary Lu had the most loving heart and her zest for life was infectious. She will always be remembered for being the "hostess with the mostess." Mary Lu's gift of hospitality and making others feel welcome will be cherished by all who had the pleasure of knowing her.

Funeral mass will be November 11, 2022, at 11 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish (1935 Plymouth Ave SE, Grand Rapids, Michigan). Funeral mass and Interment will be June 30, 2023, at 11 a.m. at St. Philip Neri (11411 S. Lacore Road, Empire, Michigan). In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Killgoar Foundation, www.ihmparish.com

Cemetery Details

Hillside Crematory

2610 19th Ave NE
Minneapolis, MN 55418

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

NOV **11**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish
1935 Plymouth Ave. SE
Grand Rapids, MI 49506

Graveside Service

JUN **30**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Philip Neri
11411 S. Lacore Road
Empire, MI 49630

Tribute Wall



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Lu Herzog.*



November 08, 2022 at 07:47 PM



“ *So many wonderful memories; such a special friend!*

Love and sympathy to her children and grandchildren!

Mary Passinault and family



Mary Passinault - September 26, 2022 at 09:48 PM



Our neighbors for many years on Chamberlain Court. Many memories of both Don and MaryLu. May they both Rest In Peace. the

Boven Family

Bruce Boven - September 28, 2022 at 10:18 PM