



## Clara V. "Dolly" Estapa

June 29, 1932 - August 25, 2015

ESTAPA, Clara V. "Dolly"(nee Paraski) , age 83, August 25, 2015. Beloved wife of the late Woodruff Estapa. Dear mother of Marilyn (Mark) Crawford, Tom (Denise) Estapa, Carol Estapa, Nancy Estapa, and Mark (Carrie) Estapa. Proud grandmother of twelve grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Also survived by her seven siblings. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends. Visitation will be Friday 2:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. with a 7:00 p.m. rosary at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Road (3 blks east of Van Dyke) Utica. Saturday, she will lie in state at 9:30 a.m. until time of her funeral mass at 10:00 a.m. at St. Thecla Catholic Church, 20762 S. Nunneley Road, (east of Grosbeck and off 16 Mile Road) Clinton Township. Burial is Resurrection Cemetery, Clinton Township. Please share a memory with her family at: [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road  
Clinton Township, MI 48038

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 28.** 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home  
8459 Hall Road  
Utica, MI 48317  
(586) 731-2411  
utica@sullivanfh.com  
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

## Rosary

**AUG 28.** 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Visitation

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AUG **29**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Thecla Catholic Church  
20740 Nunneley  
Clinton Township, MI

## Funeral Mass

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AUG **29**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Thecla Catholic Church  
20740 Nunneley  
Clinton Township, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Clara V. "Dolly" Estapa.*



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August 28, 2015 at 08:19 AM



“ *Bernice Wichtner (sister) Pastor Todd David Wichtner (nephew) purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Clara V. "Dolly" Estapa.*



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**Bernice Wichtner (sister) Pastor Todd David Wichtner (nephew)** - August 27, 2015 at 05:25 PM



“ *A couple of things I remember about Dolly - She came out to California and stayed with Mark and Carrie at the Marina Apt. Didn't you guys travel a lot around the state too? A Vegas trip?! That was like 20 years ago! Dolly was very close to her daughters - she was one of the girls. There's nothing more fun than being one of the girls! But she also had those two boys that she loved! From what Carrie told me, I knew (more importantly they knew) that she loved and supported her grandchildren. And of course, will all remember Dolly's Daisies at Crystal Lake! The circle of life goes on and on. Love to you Mark, and your family. Ann*

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**Ann Fredal** - August 27, 2015 at 08:51 AM

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*Dolly was visiting up at Crystal Lake when Mark bought the daisies. We named them c daisies, and they continue to grow year after year. We will always think of dolly when we look at the beautiful daisies. I am so grateful that Dolly got to spend some time with the Fredal family.*

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**Carolyn Fredal** - September 08, 2015 at 01:20 PM

CZ

“ Mark,

*I was sorry to hear about the passing of your Mom. From what Carrie wrote, I can see many of her attributes in you - her humor and love of life - you represent her well. The best advice I had after losing my Dad suddenly was that " in the most difficult times, you can receive unexpected gifts." Soak up every story about your Mom from her friends and relatives, you will learn a lot over these next few weeks. Let people help you and your family. Also look for little signs that she is still with you - my guess is she will never be far away. I'm praying for you, Carrie, Mark, and of course Spoon.*

*Lots of love -*

*Christine and Paul Zmuda*

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**Christine Zmuca** - August 26, 2015 at 09:18 PM

TJ

“ Tony,Denise and Joyce purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Clara V. "Dolly" Estapa.



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**Tony,Denise and Joyce** - August 26, 2015 at 04:42 PM

LL

“ Love Joel & Grace Lewis purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Clara V. "Dolly" Estapa.



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**Love Joel & Grace Lewis** - August 26, 2015 at 07:41 AM

TF

“ The Hauger Family purchased the Basket of Joy for the family of Clara V. "Dolly" Estapa.



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**The Hauger Family** - August 25, 2015 at 09:31 PM

DH

“ Sending hugs and prayers to all of you. Ami Morrison and Family. Deborah William and Kayla Hurren

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**Deborah Hurren** - August 25, 2015 at 08:11 PM