



Esther Lee Draper

October 19, 1938 - April 7, 2022

Esther L. Draper, April 7, 2022, age 83 of Royal Oak. Original owner of Monty's Grill (Royal Oak) and Esther's Red Den (Centerline) with the late Montrose L. Draper. Survived by brother Jerry (June) Dolson, 13 nieces and nephews, and many great-nieces and great-nephews. Predeceased by siblings George Dolson, Leonard (Margaret) Dolson, Judy (Cliff) Trimper and Roberta (Walter) Dutcher.

Visitation Tuesday, April 12, 2022 from 2-8 pm at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 Mile Rd. (4 blocks east of Woodward), Royal Oak. Funeral service Wednesday, April 13, 2022 at 11 am at Royal Oak Church, 411 E. 11 Mile Rd. Memorials to the Michigan Humane Society in Detroit, Paralyzed Veterans of America, or Shriners Hospitals for Children.

Although Esther and Monty never had children of their own, she was a mother and grandmother to many "children of God" from Royal Oak Church, touching multiple generations of families through her years as a Bus Captain and Sunday School Teacher.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **12**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak
705 W. Eleven Mile Road
Royal Oak, MI 48067
(248) 541-7000
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<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

Funeral Service

APR **13**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Royal Oak Church
411 E. 11 Mile Road
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Tribute Wall

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“*Esther was a dear, dear lady! Whenever I had my doctor's appointment ... she was always there to take care of me! She took a personal interest in my well being, too! I always made it a point to visit with her when I was in the office! She had a GREAT memory! She remembered special dates of mine! You WILL missed! RIP*

Darrell Louks - April 18, 2022 at 07:42 PM

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“*Esther you were one great lady and such an ambassador for God. We have 2 of those “children of God” from Royal Oak Missionary Church, you will always be known as the "Kool-Aid" lady!!! Thanks for sharing your life with us.*

*Love;
Ken, Kathy, Nicole & Stephanie Crawford*

Kathy Crawford - April 12, 2022 at 10:04 AM

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“*RIP Esther I was shocked to hear of your passing. I have known you for 20 years Doug Goldberg*

Douglas Goldberg - April 11, 2022 at 05:09 PM

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“When Your Beautiful Heart stopped beating, My Heart just Broke in Two; Knowing that Here on Earth, There will Never be Another Like You”

Author Unkown

How does one sum up 60+ Years of Friendship, Caring, Love.

Esther, My Sister in Law by Marriage..My Dear Friend By Choice. A Wonderful Aunt to My Sons.

Ceil Schaible



Cecilia A. Schaible (Ceil) - April 11, 2022 at 03:20 PM

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“Esther was a friend, and mother to many. She will be missed.

Charles Kesnre - April 09, 2022 at 01:56 PM