



## Beth G. Dryer

November 19, 1929 - October 28, 2022

Beth G. Dryer, age 92, of Holly, died Fri. Oct. 28, 2022. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Thurs. Nov. 3, 2022 at the Dryer Funeral Home, Holly with Rev. Jack G. Harris and Rev. Brooke Pickrell officiating. Burial will be in Lakeside Cemetery, Holly. Visitation will be from 3-8 PM Wed. Beth was born in Flint on Nov. 19, 1929 to Lee and Leone (Haddon) Gordon. She grew up on the family farm in Tyrone Township and graduated from Fenton High School. She then attended Western Michigan University and worked for Buick in Flint. She married Bruce Dryer on June 29, 1952 and together she helped Bruce run the Dryer Funeral Home in Holly while raising 4 children. She was a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She was a tireless worker all her life. She enjoyed playing bridge and any card game, gardening, reading, following her children's, grandchildren's, and great-grandchildren's sports and activities, and spending time at her cabin at Houghton Lake. She was a faithful member of the Holly Presbyterian Church and was a member of the Holly Historical Society. Surviving are 4 children Lori (Chuck) Keefer, Bruce Gordon (Peggy) Dryer, Jane (Thom) Watkins, and Nancy (Dr. Michael) Deeb; 12 grandchildren; and 27 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Bruce Dryer, daughter Paula, and brother Lee Gordon. Memorial donations may be made to the Holly Presbyterian Church or the Holly Historical Society. The family extends their gratitude to the staff at Brookdale Assisted Living, the Care Team Hospice, and Dr. Larry Braver for their loving care.

[www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com](http://www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Lakeside Cemetery

Holly, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 2. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

DryerFuneral Home, Inc.  
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## Funeral Service

NOV 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

PL

“ To the Dryer Family, we're sorry for your loss. Your Mom was a special person who we admired greatly. She was great to work with and was so very kind to our family. The last time I was at the funeral home I'm so glad I had the chance to visit with her, our prayers with your family.

*Phil & Linda Lester*

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**Phillip Lester** - December 01, 2022 at 05:14 PM

NF

“ Today is Aunts Beth's Birthday. Never someone to forget another's Birthday, she was dependably thoughtful and giving. She was appreciated and she is being missed

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**Noralee Free** - November 19, 2022 at 05:21 PM

CG

“ So sorry for your loss. Beth was such a sweet soul. I always loved seeing her and Bruce and so did Mike. Especially loved when they hosted those big Christmas dinners. I know how proud she was of all her family and I'm sure you will all miss her.

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**Chris Gordon** - November 08, 2022 at 05:23 PM

CG

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**Chris Gordon** - November 08, 2022 at 05:22 PM

JP

“ To the Dryer Family. So sorry for your Loss. Your Mother was an exceptional person and very special to us. She was a great Comforter to all who came to the Business May she Rest In Peace with the Lord The Genevieve Parker Family. Dick & Julie, Shirley Poff, Scott & Harriette Blaine

Julie A. Parker - November 05, 2022 at 08:05 PM

JR

“ Our sincere condolences on the loss of your mother. She was so sweet and had a smile for everyone.



Jack&Kathy Rhoades - November 04, 2022 at 02:44 PM

BC

“ I am so sorry for your loss. She was a very special lady. God bless and comfort you all



Bonnie cassin - November 03, 2022 at 05:11 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Beth Dryer



Bruce Dryer - November 03, 2022 at 02:40 PM

DA

“ *Your families are in my thoughts...she was a very special lady.*



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**Deb (Diehl) Asbel** - November 03, 2022 at 09:18 AM

JS

“ *Condolence Gordie  
I know how difficult it is loosing your mom,  
but comforting to know you will see her again.  
God give peace to you and your family*

*Bill and Jan Staricha*

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**Jan Staricha** - November 03, 2022 at 05:49 AM



“ *John Kastner lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer*



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**John Kastner** - November 02, 2022 at 02:33 PM

TF

“ *Our deepest sympathy for the loss of your mother. So soft spoken with a gentle soul. Keeping your family in our prayers. The Galuszka family...Felix, Barb & Dianne*



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**The Galuszka family** - November 02, 2022 at 10:41 AM

LF

“ Love your Brookdale Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Beth G. Dryer.



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**Love your Brookdale Family** - November 02, 2022 at 10:36 AM

JB

“ Our deepest condolences to the entire Dryer family. I have been a part of your family for 60 years and will deeply miss your Mom. My kids called her Auntie Beth because she was always there for us. I have very fond memories of our times together. We had many laughs over the years as we worked together. She was an inspiration to me and taught me many things over the years. I'm sure Bruce is happy to see her as they meet in Heaven I know she is happy to be back with him. RIP

JOHN AND CJ  
BRUMMELER

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**john Brummeler** - November 01, 2022 at 11:18 PM

YF

“ Your Cox Support Services Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Beth G. Dryer.



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**Your Cox Support Services Family** - November 01, 2022 at 09:09 PM

SS

“ *Sally Stotler lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer*



Sally Stotler - November 01, 2022 at 08:49 PM

DC

“ *I have know Beth for many years as a member of Holly Presbyterian Church and her commitment to her faith was an inspiration for me. She will be missed but not forgotten.*

Dessalee Cook - November 01, 2022 at 06:14 PM

JC

“ *Judie c,ubik lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer*



Judie weeks c,ubik - November 01, 2022 at 02:36 PM

SM

“ *I have no doubt she was told "Well done thy good and faithful servant" when she got to heaven. And Bruce was waiting for her which made her smile even more. She was always there to lend a hand or do a job with a smile. I will deeply miss her. I am sorry for your loss. Sherry McLaughlin*



Sherry McLclaughlin - November 01, 2022 at 02:01 PM

SM

*Sorry for your familys loss she was a really nice person praying for family .god bless lori and gordie sue moore and family*

**Sue Moore** - November 02, 2022 at 01:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Beth G. Dryer.*



November 01, 2022 at 10:15 AM

LR

“ *I am deeply saddened for the Dryer family at the passing of Beth. The best neighbor I have ever had! She always made me smile and I feel very blessed to have known her. An absolutely beautiful lady! May she rest in peace.*



**Linda Rasmussen** - November 01, 2022 at 09:50 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Beth G. Dryer.*



November 01, 2022 at 09:42 AM

GA

“ I am deeply saddened to hear of the passing of your mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. I'll always remember Beth, my mom (Pat Johnson) and the Bridge Club. Those ladies really enjoyed those nights! Then there was the 40th birthday club that continued for 30 years. Rest In Peace Beth.

Gail Anderson - October 31, 2022 at 08:50 PM

LW

“ Knowing Beth was such a privilege and I will profoundly miss her sweet hugs and kisses. She truly made the world a better place.

Loretta Weiss - October 31, 2022 at 05:19 PM

KW

“ Karin Winchester lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer



Karin Winchester - October 31, 2022 at 11:23 AM

SR

“ Beth always represented to me a stellar example of poise, high class and elder beauty that made Holly a very special town to belong to. I strive to live up to her reputation in my elder years. She was just a superior lady.

Sharron Reid - October 31, 2022 at 06:04 AM

JH

“ *Jim Paula Hansen lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer*



Jim and Paula Hansen - October 30, 2022 at 11:41 PM



“ *Having known Beth from Holly Presbyterian church for 30 years was a blessing. She and Bruce were the most kind people you could meet. We have an angel among us!*  
*Karen Haneline*

Karen Haneline - October 30, 2022 at 08:24 PM

MW

“ *Mrs. Dryer was such a lady who truly believed in teaching her family the importance of family and the love and respect of family. Her finishing her mission on this earth will certainly leave a void in the family, but they have so many great memories to retain. RIP*

*Mary Ann Watkins*

Mary Ann Watkins - October 30, 2022 at 06:30 PM



“ *Connie Austin-Davis lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer*



Connie Austin-Davis - October 30, 2022 at 04:51 PM

BD

“ *Barbara Dryer purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Beth G. Dryer.*



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**Barbara Dryer** - October 30, 2022 at 04:04 PM

JT

“ *Lori:  
I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. She was such a kind and gentle lady. She was so kind to our family when our mother passed away. She also made a pretty good pie. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your entire family.*



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**Jenice Taylor** - October 30, 2022 at 03:55 PM

LC

“ *Lisa Cunningham lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer*



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**Lisa Cunningham** - October 30, 2022 at 01:32 PM

DM

“ *Gordy, Peggy, and family,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you all, in the loss of your mom. There are no words to say, that can take away the sadness, but please know I am praying for Gods comfort for you through this. Rest In Peace Mrs. Dryer.*

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**Debby Musgrave-Rood** - October 30, 2022 at 12:09 PM

SV

“ To all of the Dryer family. May you find peace in the loss of your Mom, Grandma, Great Grandma. I was just speaking of her a week ago while playing Euchre. I talked about what a sharp player she was and how I had to be on my toes if I had her as a partner. I enjoyed her company very much! Juan and Sandi Villarreal

Sandra Villarreal - October 30, 2022 at 11:59 AM

DB

“ Beth was such a great role model for so many. She has earned her special place in heaven and I know you will celebrate her life with great sadness, laughter and love. My sincere condolences💙



Dottie Bradsher - October 30, 2022 at 11:19 AM

DA

“ To the Dryer family, I am truly sorry for your loss. Your mother, grandmother and great grandmother was liked by everyone she made contact with. Her memories will forever carry on with those who knew her.

Douglas Alexander - October 30, 2022 at 11:08 AM

CE

“ Charlene Estes purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Beth G. Dryer.



Charlene Estes - October 30, 2022 at 09:14 AM

DD

“ So sorry for your family's loss.



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**DIANA DAVIS** - October 30, 2022 at 07:24 AM

DJ

“ To the Dryer family , nothing I can say will ease your pain. I am forever sorry for the loss of your Mom, Grandma and Great-Grandma. Hugs  
Denise Jensen

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**Denise Jensen** - October 30, 2022 at 01:43 AM

SR

“ She was a sweet lady. Always looking for a good book to read while I worked at the library. So sorry for your loss. Shirley and Carl Roos

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**shirley Roos** - October 29, 2022 at 10:08 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Beth G. Dryer.



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October 29, 2022 at 08:19 PM

JH

“ Beth will be missed...our condolences to the Dryer family...Jim and Nancy Hanks

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**Jim and Nancy Hanks** - October 29, 2022 at 07:58 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Beth G. Dryer.* ”



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October 29, 2022 at 07:08 PM



“ *Kim Isenhower & Aaron Howell lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer* ”



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**Kim (Lake) Isenhower & Aaron Howell** - October 29, 2022 at 06:18 PM



“ *Tony Jean Heron lit a candle in memory of Beth Dryer* ”



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**Tony and Jean Heron** - October 29, 2022 at 03:33 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Beth G. Dryer.* ”



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October 29, 2022 at 03:10 PM

MJ

“ *Mary Anne, Dave, Deb, Kevin, Beth, Jeff purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Beth G. Dryer.*



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**Mary Anne, Dave, Deb, Kevin, Beth, Jeff** - October 29, 2022 at 02:56 PM

LY

“ *Linda Young sent a virtual gift in memory of Beth Dryer*



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**Linda Hart Young** - October 29, 2022 at 01:14 PM

BM

“ *Heaven has welcomed a special angel. We are so sorry to hear of Beths passing. She was one special lady who was always there for any one any time. Missing her is huge but the wonderful memories will be forever....*

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**Butchie and Tom Mackey** - October 29, 2022 at 01:06 PM

SF

“ *Sorry sorry to hear of Beth passing she was a great lady and a pillar of the community Holly will miss her*

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**Sharon Franklin** - October 29, 2022 at 12:57 PM

MA

“ My condolences to Lori, Gordie, Jane, Nancy and their Family. A huge loss for them, our community and my heart. Such a kind, caring and loving Woman. Mrs. Dryer was so good to my Mother after my Dad passed and when she was Convalescing, always there.

I grew up at the Dryer's, so many memories and the Best French Toast Ever! Sending much love, strength and courage to all, during this most difficult time. Peace 🤝💜💜



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Marti Addis - October 29, 2022 at 12:56 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Beth G. Dryer.



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October 29, 2022 at 10:50 AM