



## Kathleen Joyce Blumenschein

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Kathleen Joyce Blumenschein (Brasher), age 88, passed away Thursday, April 30, 2026. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM on Thursday, May 7, 2026 at Dryer Funeral Home, Holly. Burial will be held at Great Lakes National Cemetery, Holly following the funeral service. Visitation will be from 9:00 AM until the time of the service Thursday. Joyce was born in Flint, MI on April 30, 1938 to J.W. and Ida (Ferguson) Brasher. She was a loving wife and mother and ran a successful Granny's Day Care for many years. Surviving are her children, Diana Renee (Paul) Kotzian, Thomas (Melody) Blumenschein, and Timothy G. Blumenschein; 7 grandchildren, Ben (Michelle) Kotzian, Anthony (Mara) Kotzian, Cari (Kotzian) Lang, Timothy D. Blumenschein, Amanda Blumenschein, Olivia Blumenschein, and Gabi Blumenschein; 4 great-grandchildren, Alexander Kotzian, Ian Kotzian, Ronan Blumenschein and Jameson Lang. She was preceded in death by her husband, Gerald Blumenschein, daughter Judith Ann, sister and brothers, Geri Gonyea, Bill Brasher and Jack Brasher. Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude's Children Hospital.

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Rd.  
Holly, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 7. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Dryer Funeral Home  
101 First St.  
Holly, MI 48442  
<http://dryerfuneralhomeholly.com>

## Funeral Service

MAY 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Dryer Funeral Home  
101 First St  
Holly, MI 48442  
(248) 634-8291

## Burial

MAY 7. 12:30 PM (ET)

Great Lakes National Cemetery  
4200 Belford Rd.  
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# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Funeral Service for Kathleen Blumenschein*



Bruce Dryer - May 08 at 10:02 AM



“ 26 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - May 06 at 01:36 PM

MG

“ Mike, Vicki and Patti Gonyea purchased the *Beautiful Heart Bouquet* for the family of Kathleen Joyce Blumenschein.



Mike, Vicki and Patti Gonyea - May 06 at 10:32 AM

MG

“ Mike, Vicki and Patti Gonyea planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kathleen Joyce Blumenschein.

Mike, Vicki and Patti Gonyea - May 06 at 10:32 AM

CP

“ Christopher, Meagan, and Wesley Pontin purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Kathleen Joyce Blumenschein.



Christopher, Meagan, and Wesley Pontin - May 04 at 07:15 PM

GP

“ Gary, Linda, Wayne & Sue Pontin purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Kathleen Joyce Blumenschein.



Gary, Linda, Wayne & Sue Pontin - May 04 at 06:41 PM



“ Angel's Embrace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathleen Joyce Blumenschein.



May 04 at 04:59 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kathleen Joyce Blumenschein.

May 04 at 04:59 PM



“ I also remember Joyce from First Baptist Church in Holly. My mother, Onalee Hoffman, taught Sunday School with Joyce in the Primary department. (Renee was my sister's age). We moved from the area in 1975. I remember Joyce as being very pretty, petite, and soft spoken. Sympathy sent to all her family. Sarah Hoffman Gregory

Sarah Lee Hoffman Gregory - May 04 at 10:51 AM



“ So sad to hear about Aunt Joyce she was always one of my favorites. Good heart and a beautiful person. My condolences to the family. Love and prayers



Deb Asbel - May 02 at 09:58 PM



“ I knew Joyce. She attended church at First Baptist Church of Holly, many years ago, when we were on South Saginaw Street. My sister Karen Plew(now deceased) babysat for Joyce & Jeri when they lived on Dixie Highway, Holly. She was a Beautiful woman, very kind. i remember her working in the Nursery on Sunday Morning's.

Wendy (PLEW) Fishback - May 02 at 11:07 AM