



Virginia B. McKenney

April 17, 1923 - September 22, 2018

Virginia (Bottecelli) McKenney, Linden, MI (formerly Holly) died Saturday, September 22, 2018 surrounded by family. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11 am Thursday, September 27 at St. Rita Parish, Holly, MI. Father Peter Etzel, S.J. and Father David Blazek will be officiating. Visitation will be held 2-9 PM Wednesday at Dryer Funeral Home, 101 First Street, Holly, MI with Rosary prayers at 5 PM. Virginia was born in Fenton, MI to Joseph and Agnes Bottecelli, April 17, 1923. After graduating from Fenton High School in 1940, Virginia attended and was graduated from St. Lawrence School of Nursing in Lansing, Michigan. Virginia married Robert A. McKenney on September 22, 1945. The couple moved to Holly in 1951 where Robert and Virginia raised their six children, and worked together in their home and at Robert's law office for decades. Virginia cherished each of the more than one hundred extended Bottecelli family members. Virginia is survived by her husband Robert, children Michael (Kathy) McKenney of Durand, Patrick (Susan) McKenney of Holly, Maureen (David) White of Webster NY, Thomas (Jane) McKenney of Holly, Timothy (Marianne) of Carrollton, TX, eleven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Virginia was preceded in death by her son, Father William Gerard McKenney, S.J. Memorial donations may be made to Red Cloud Indian School. www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

Holly, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 26. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

Rosary

SEP 26. 5:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

SEP 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

St Rita's Catholic Parish
309 E Maple St
Holly, MI 48442-1647
(248) 634-4841

Tribute Wall



“ *Dryer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Virginia B. McKenney*



Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - September 26, 2018 at 11:30 AM

KS

“ *Prayers and comfort for family. Thank you for always making us feel like a part of your family. Jim & Kim Scherman*

kim scherman - September 27, 2018 at 12:24 PM

WK

“ *With love, Emily, Lauren and Kristen purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



With love, Emily, Lauren and Kristen - September 26, 2018 at 12:34 PM

MG

“ *Mike Gudith purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



Mike Gudith - September 26, 2018 at 12:06 PM



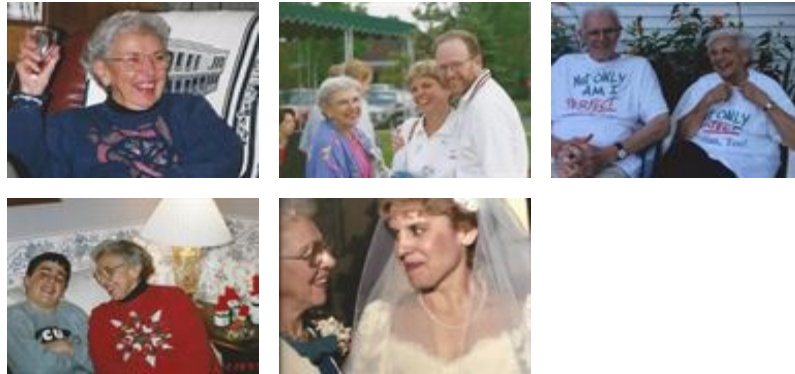
“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



September 26, 2018 at 11:28 AM



“ *25 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - September 26, 2018 at 10:12 AM



“ *I remember doing exercise class down in the basement of Saint Rita's church and they were always smiling a great team they were will be missed*
Janet Green

Janet Green - September 26, 2018 at 08:56 AM

MB

“ Marie Botticelli purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.



Marie Botticelli - September 25, 2018 at 11:33 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.



September 25, 2018 at 08:19 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.



September 25, 2018 at 05:44 PM

DB

“ Dottie Bradsher lit a candle in memory of Virginia B. McKenney



Dottie Bradsher - September 25, 2018 at 05:41 PM

MB

“ *Maureen Botticelli purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



Maureen Botticelli - September 25, 2018 at 01:33 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



September 25, 2018 at 09:59 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



September 25, 2018 at 12:27 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



September 24, 2018 at 08:45 PM

TS

“ *The White Sibs purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



The White Sibs - September 24, 2018 at 05:08 PM

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“ *Our HHS Class of '79 is sending our sincere sympathy to our Classmate Tim McKenney and his Family. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time.*



Holly High School Class of 1979 - September 24, 2018 at 04:48 PM

MG

“ *So blessed by Mrs. McKenney in my life. Such a warm, kind and loving soul that enjoyed a wonderful lifetime friendship with my Mother. My deepest condolences unto everyone. Peace.*



Marti Addis Goforth - September 24, 2018 at 04:44 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.*



September 24, 2018 at 04:30 PM

CM

“ Cheryl McDougal lit a candle in memory of Virginia B. McKenney



Cheryl McDougal - September 24, 2018 at 03:40 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.



September 24, 2018 at 02:51 PM

JW

“ JOYCE AND BILL WHITE purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Virginia B. McKenney.



JOYCE AND BILL WHITE - September 24, 2018 at 11:23 AM

KW

“ Karin Winchester lit a candle in memory of Virginia B. McKenney



Karin Winchester - September 24, 2018 at 09:02 AM

KR

“ So sorry to hear of Virginia's passing. She was someone I looked up to while growing up as she was the admired matriarch of her family. Another bridge partner playing in heaven. God bless. Kathy and Dan Rolls

Kathy Rolls - September 24, 2018 at 08:27 AM

MB

“ One of the great joys in our lives was spending time with Bob and Virginia on our annual visit to Holly for the Father Bill McKenney golf memorial. The golf was always secondary to the fellowship, and the highlight was always listening to stories -- usually about Billy -- from this lovely couple. We came to think of the McKenney clan as our "Michigan family." Our hearts ache for all of you, but the pain is eased thinking of the hug Billy gave his mom when the two were reunited. Rest in peace, dear Virginia. Mary and Gene Boyer

Mary Boyer - September 24, 2018 at 07:30 AM

JB

Our thoughts and prayers are with the McKenney Family during these difficult times. Cherish the memories.

John and CJ Brummeler

john Brummeler - September 28, 2018 at 10:51 PM



“ To the entire Mc Kenney family. I'm very saddened to hear of Mrs. McKenneys passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. God be with you.



Jinx Kincaid - September 24, 2018 at 07:20 AM

SM

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



Susan McKenney - September 23, 2018 at 08:33 PM