



## S. Helene Crockett

July 15, 1945 - March 8, 2017

RIGA- S. Helene Crockett, age 71, of Riga, passed away at the Hospice of Lenawee Home on Wednesday, March 8, 2017. She was born on July 15, 1945, in Austria, to Anton Dobrisek and Sophie Kropf Rapp. Helene emigrated from Austria with her family at the age of 9, following World War II. Her Austrian heritage was very important to her. Helene was proud to pass along her background and traditions to her children and grandchildren. She was also a proud graduate of Notre Dame Academy and attended Mary Manse College. Helene married Lowell Crockett on September 30, 1995, at Trinity Lutheran church in Riga, and he survives. She was employed by Merillat for many years as a cabinet maker and line supervisor. Helene was a member of the Light of Christ Parish in Blissfield. She is remembered for being a very giving person. Helene's family was the most important thing in her life. She truly loved them and spending time with them, especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Helene also found enjoyment in gardening, raising cacti and orchids, and her wonderful doll collection. Helene is survived by her husband, Lowell Crockett of Riga; her sons, Kevon (Karrie) Martis of Riga and Eric (Paula) Martis of Blissfield; her step-son, Jerry (Carol) Crockett of Grand Rapid; four grandchildren, Courtney, Noah, Garrett and Adam Martis; 3 great-grandchildren; her sister, Juliana (Hans)Belcsak and their daughter, Claudia of New Jersey. Through her marriage with Lowell, Helene was also able to share many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her nephew, Henry Peter Belcsak. A Mass of

Christian Burial will take place 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 14, 2017, at Light of Christ Catholic Parish in Blissfield with Rev. Jeffrey Poll as Celebrant. Visitation will take place at 10:00 to the time of Mass at the church. Burial will follow at Riga Cemetery. Visitation will take place at Wagley Funeral Home, Tagsold Chapel on Monday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Funeral Home. Contributions in memory of Helene may be made to Hospice of Lenawee. Arrangements have been entrusted to Wagley Funeral Home, Tagsold Chapel where online condolences and memories may be shared at [www.WagleyFuneralHome.com](http://www.WagleyFuneralHome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Riga Cemetery

Cemetery Road  
Riga, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 13. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home Tagsold Chapel (Blissfield)  
301 S. Lane St.  
Blissfield, MI 49228  
(517) 486-2133  
info@wagleyfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.WagleyFuneralHome.com>

## Prayer Service

MAR 13. 7:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home Tagsold Chapel (Blissfield)  
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## Visitation

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MAR **14**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Light of Christ Catholic Parish  
309 South Lane Street  
Blissfield, MI

## Funeral Mass

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MAR **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Light of Christ Catholic Parish  
309 South Lane Street  
Blissfield, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ *S. Helene Crockett*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



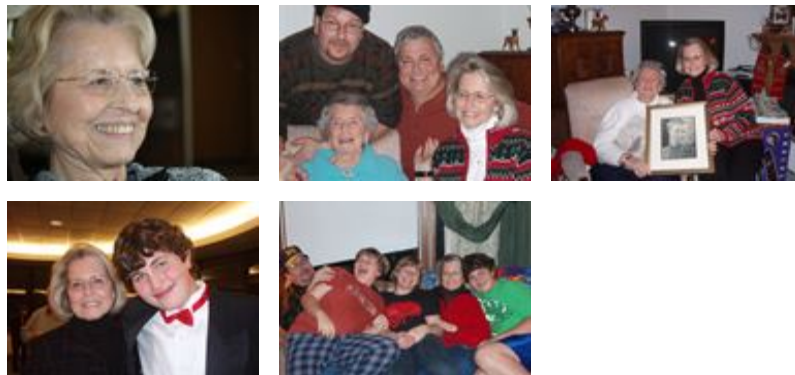
“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of S. Helene Crockett.*



March 13, 2017 at 01:25 PM



“ *55 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Wagley Funeral Home - March 13, 2017 at 08:38 AM

JU

“ *JudyGraf lit a candle in memory of S. Helene Crockett*



JudyGraf - March 12, 2017 at 05:23 PM

JU

*Thoughts are with you and your families at this time !*

JudyGraf - March 12, 2017 at 05:24 PM

SM

“ *Sallie, Steve & Dawn Miller purchased the Pretty Please for the family of S. Helene Crockett.*



Sallie, Steve & Dawn Miller - March 11, 2017 at 07:51 PM

BM

“ *So sorry to hear about S. Helen, I worked with her at Merillat. She was a wonderful, kind and generous person.*

Brenda McEwen - March 11, 2017 at 04:26 PM

EH

“ *Evelyn H. lit a candle in memory of S. Helene Crockett*



Evelyn H. - March 11, 2017 at 09:38 AM

SL

“ *Sherri Lange lit a candle in memory of S. Helene Crockett*



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**Sherri Lange** - March 11, 2017 at 08:40 AM

LF

“ *She was a great lady and I'm proud to call her my friend. I will truly miss her.* ❤️

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**Lori Flick** - March 10, 2017 at 09:23 PM

SB

*My heart is saddened to hear of the passing of this beautiful friend. Our thoughts go out to the family. Sending love & prayers. Sharon, Bob, John, Claudia & Angie.*

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**Sharon (Osterhage) Bedenbaugh** - March 12, 2017 at 02:31 PM

KR

*So very sorry for your loss. Helene was one of the nicest women I have ever met. Always a smile, and a kind word. My prayers and thoughts are with you and yours.*

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**Karen Ruhl** - March 14, 2017 at 09:58 PM