



## Nelda B. MacLean

May 19, 1930 - July 25, 2023

Nelda B. MacLean, age 93, of Fort Gratiot, passed away on July 25, 2023. She was born on May 19, 1930, in Wales Twp., to the late Alfred and Nellie Mudge.

She married Robert G. MacLean on May 19, 1951. He preceded her in death on December 21, 1989.

Nelda was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and belonged to the church 90's Club.

Nelda began her teaching career at the age of 19 in a one room schoolhouse. She retired from Eddy Elementary School in St Clair in 1985. Nelda was an avid softball player until the age of 85 and was the first varsity girls basketball and softball coach at St. Clair High School.

She is survived by her children; Thomas (Melissa) MacLean, and Constance (Scott) Hill, 9 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, and one great great granddaughter, along with many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her siblings; Helen Ferriby, Clyne Mudge, Hector Mudge, Guyla Dease, Lavern Hollis Mudge, and Vivian Konyha.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, July 28, 2023 at 1:00pm in the First United Methodist Church – 828 Lapeer Ave., Port Huron. Dr. John Grenfell III will officiate. There will be a luncheon following the service in the church with a burial immediately following the luncheon at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery. Visitation will be on Thursday, July 27, 2023 from 3:00pm until 7:00pm in the Jowett Funeral Home -1634 Lapeer Ave., Port Huron and again on Friday at church

from 12:00pm until time of service at 1:00pm.

Memorial contributions can be made to: The First United Methodist Church.

Jowett Funeral Home is privileged to serve the MacLean family.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

Wales Township, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 27. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - Port Huron  
1634 Lapeer Ave.  
Port Huron, MI 48060  
(810) 985-5123  
jowettfamily@comcast.net  
<https://www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com>

## Visitation

JUL 28. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
828 Lapeer Ave  
Port Huron, MI 48060

## Funeral Service

JUL 28. 1:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
828 Lapeer Ave  
Port Huron, MI 48060



# Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nelda B. MacLean.*



July 28, 2023 at 09:17 AM



“ *Sorry for the loss. Nelda and husband Bob were great friends to our family (loved them both). Nelda also was all 5 of us Kilbourne kids teacher at the Caster one room school. Have a lot of memories. Will be praying for your family.*

**Shirley Slicker** - July 27, 2023 at 01:41 PM



“ *Mrs. MacLean was my 3rd grade teacher at Eddy Elementary. I loved her reading to us. She had to walk us to the Intermediate School on 6th Street because we were going to have to go there for 4th grade while they built Gearing School. She was so nice and took the worries away.*



**Nancy Beaudua** - July 27, 2023 at 09:48 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Nelda B. MacLean.*



July 26, 2023 at 11:25 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Nelda B. MacLean.



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July 26, 2023 at 10:49 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Nelda B. MacLean.



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July 26, 2023 at 10:35 PM



“ Aunt Nelda held a special place in the memory and hearts of many people  
So blessed to be able to call her Aunt . Kingsley spoke often of the days he spent with your family when he was young . Thinking of your family at this very difficult time . " Grief only exists where love lived first "She was deeply loved .

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**Thelma Archer** - July 26, 2023 at 10:24 PM



“ Love Gaye, Larry and families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nelda B. MacLean.

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**Love Gaye, Larry and families** - July 26, 2023 at 06:00 PM



“ Love Gaye, Larry and families purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Nelda B. MacLean.



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**Love Gaye, Larry and families** - July 26, 2023 at 06:00 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Nelda B. MacLean.



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July 26, 2023 at 05:40 PM