



# June Dora Zerbe

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**J**une Dora Zerbe, age 95, formerly of Big Rapids, passed away peacefully on Monday, June 16, 2025, in Bluffton, IN with family by her side.

She was born on June 30, 1929, in Wyandotte, MI, the daughter of John and Catherine (Schoen) Gering. June was a woman of great warmth and unwavering devotion to her family. On December 2, 1950, she married the love of her life, William L. Zerbe. Together they built a life centered on love, laughter, and faith, raising seven children.

June had a kind and social spirit. She loved playing cards with friends and family, always quick to share a smile or story. Her hands were rarely still—she found joy in crocheting beautiful blankets. June was deep in her faith and attended St. Peter's Lutheran Church for many years.

She is survived by her children: John (Cynthia) Zerbe, Cathy Parker, and Pam (Tony) Bennett; 20 grandchildren; 48 great-grandchildren; and 15 great-great-grandchildren. Her legacy lives on through each of them.

June was preceded in death by her beloved husband, William; sons, Robert, Roy, William (Bill) and Dennis Zerbe; daughter-in-law Ann Zerbe; and four siblings.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, June 20, at Mohnke Janowicz Funeral Home in Big Rapids. The family will greet friends beginning at 10:00 a.m. until time of service. Burial will follow at Hungerford Cemetery where she will be laid to rest next to William.

Memorial contributions in June's name may be made to Corewell Hospice or Heart to Heart, in honor of the compassionate care they provided.



# Events

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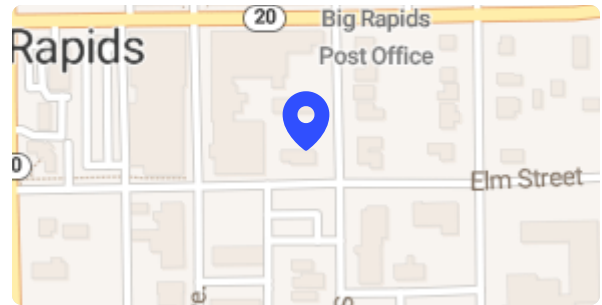
## Visitation

- Friday**, June 20, 2025
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- Mohnke Janowicz Funeral Home**  
128 S. Warren Ave., Big Rapids MI 49307



## Funeral Service

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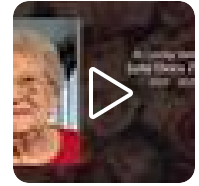


# Tribute Wall

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**Janowicz Family Funeral Home** shared a **Video**.



June 24 at 10:01 AM



**Linda Case** posted:

June we had many good times together you & my brother lived with me for awhile seen yo thru sickness I remember the flowers you planted in my flower bed and their were many more things we did now you are at peace and I heaven with my brother and four of your children love you

June 19 at 6:45 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Zerbe family.



June 19 at 6:35 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Zerbe family.



June 19 at 6:34 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Arrive in Style to the Zerbe family.



June 18 at 7:07 PM



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**Marre Parker** posted:

So grandma, I remember playing yatzy, sometimes u liked to do things u could or as they would say cheating... lol when I would say something to bout, u would say I can do that. I made a new rule.. then I would do the same thing you would tell me I couldn't then, I'd say u did and she would no I didn't.. or driving down road anything that was Shiney you would stop say, go get that can for me.... I sure will miss u love u lots grandma.. fly high and give that husband of urs some crap....Your granddaughter Cheryl

June 18 at 12:22 PM



## Media

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