



Clare C. Nieters

October 7, 1945 - July 25, 2025

A graveside service will be 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 30, 2025, at St. Boniface Parish Cemetery, Cold Spring, MN for Clare C. Nieters, age 79, who died Friday at Benedictine/Assumption Home, Cold Spring, MN after a long battle with Alzheimer's. Service will be officiated by Denny Curran, pastor at River of Life Church, Cold Spring.

Clare was born in Avon, MN to Elmer and Cornelia (Wolters) Zimmer. She married John Nieters, Jr. on February 14, 1972, in Las Vegas, Nevada. Clare was a homemaker, small business owner, and later retired from Cold Spring Granite. Above everything she loved her husband and three girls.

Clare was an active member of River of Life Church, devoted to prayer and loved spending time with her grandkids. She was an accomplished artist and loved gardening and spending many hours tending to her flowers.

Clare had polio as a child. She spoke of the day she would walk into heaven without a limp and because of her relationship with the Lord, she did just that!

Survivors include her daughters, Gretchen (Scott) Rogge, Audrey (Eric) Nierenhausen, Caroline (Brad) Nierenhausen; grandchildren, Chloe (CJ), Sophia (Braden), Henry, Hope, John, Matthias, Cecelia, Lucille, Katherine; great-grandchildren, Augustus and Eleanor; siblings, Giles, Allen (Rose Ann),

Kevin (Joan), Faith (John), and Jules (Jule).

She was preceded in death by her husband, John; infant son, Royce; son-in-law Duane Heinen; sister-in-law, Peggy Zimmer.

Special thank you to Benedictine/Assumption Home Staff and St. Croix Hospice Staff for the wonderful care of Clare.

Cemetery Details

St. Boniface Parish Cemetery

Cold Spring, MN 56320

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUL **30**. 4:00 PM (CT)

St. Boniface Catholic Church
501 Main Street
Cold Spring, MN 56320

Tribute Wall



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White* was purchased for the family of Clare C. Nieters.



July 29, 2025 at 09:57 PM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers* was purchased for the family of Clare C. Nieters.



July 29, 2025 at 04:42 PM



“ *Kathleen(S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Clare C. Nieters.*

Kathleen(S. - July 29, 2025 at 03:01 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Yellow and White* was purchased for the family of Clare C. Nieters.



July 29, 2025 at 01:27 PM



“ *Yellow & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Clare C. Nieters.*



July 28, 2025 at 04:51 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All Pink was purchased for the family of Clare C. Nieters.*



July 28, 2025 at 09:46 AM



“ *So many memories of Clare as she perfected her flower gardens while the three girls played outside in our old neighborhood. We are blessed to call Audrey our daughter in law and to share the title of grandparents with her and John. They now walk together, enjoying comfort, peace and happiness with the Lord after a life well lived. God bless their beautiful souls. John & Jan Nierenhausen*

John & Jan Nierenhausen - July 27, 2025 at 03:42 AM



“ *Fields of Europe was purchased for the family of Clare C. Nieters.*



July 26, 2025 at 06:18 PM