



Annabelle Kaiser

May 22, 1942 - August 14, 2020

Annabelle Kaiser, 78, of rural Mentone, Indiana went home to be with her Lord and Savior at 11:20 am, Friday, August 14, 2020 at her residence with family at her bedside.

Annabelle was born on May 22, 1942 in Normal, Grant County, Indiana to the late John and Luella Mildred (Bryan) Petro. She married on September 13, 1962 in the Curtisville Christian Church to Lawrence L. "Butch" Kaiser, he survives.

She was a graduate of Swayzee High School in 1960. She was a faithful church attender at both the Curtisville Christian Church and the Akron Church of God. Annabelle, being a beautiful homemaker, was happiest making memories with her family. She also enjoyed gardening and made the best noodles and cherry pies. For over 40 years, Annabelle was known to make nursing home favors and enjoyed getting others involved as a part of her ministry. She was always very resourceful... even making "scrubbies" to help fund her crafts.

Survivors include her husband Butch Kaiser, Mentone; daughters Lori and husband Max Huffman, Mentone, and Juli and husband Mike Gross, Cicero; grandchildren Tyler and wife Karla Huffman, Nick and wife Brooke Huffman, Karli Gross, and Adam Gross; great grandchildren Gage, Gunner, and

Brynne; a step sister Elizabeth DeLong, Winamac; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, brothers Jay and Max Petro, and a step brother Bill Walsh.

Following all county, state, and federal guidelines for social distancing, the funeral service will take place at 12:00 noon, Saturday, August 22, 2020 at Hartzler Funeral Home 305 West Rochester Street Akron, Indiana with Pastors Kathy Nelson and Mandy Nellans officiating.

The interment will take place following the service in the Sycamore Cemetery, Mentone, Indiana.

Visitation hours will be from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon, Saturday, August 22, 2020 at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, Indiana.

For many years St. Jude Children's Research Hospital held a very special place in her heart. Donations can be made in Annabelle's memory to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Cemetery Details

Sycamore Cemetery

Mentone, IN 46539

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 22. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Annabelle Kaiser*



Hartzler Funeral Services - August 19, 2020 at 09:26 AM

CH

“ *I know it's been 3 years since Annabelle's death but I just now read her obituary, & wanted to add a memory of this most beautiful wonderful lady! I have many, but the most special memories are of camping in the summer with your family ! I will always remember those happy fun vacations! Your mama was one of the kindest, loveliest, faithful woman that I have been blessed to know...& now she's in Heaven with my mama.... two beautiful souls! Hugs & love always to Butch, Lori(my dear dear friend), & Julie!❤️*

Cheryl - October 06, 2023 at 12:51 PM

CO

“ *Dear Julie and family,*

I was so sorry to read about the passing of your beautiful mama. I first knew her from school and then as your mother. I know your heart is breading right now so I also want to send prayers for all of you. Phil and Cathy Ogden

Cathy Ogden - August 21, 2020 at 04:09 PM

JG

Thank you so much, Cathy! 💕💕

Juli Gross - September 13, 2020 at 09:54 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Annabelle Kaiser.*



August 21, 2020 at 01:35 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Annabelle Kaiser.*



August 20, 2020 at 07:09 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Annabelle Kaiser.*



August 20, 2020 at 09:04 AM

LR

“ *Annabelle was truly a wonderful woman. She was always positive and friendly and she was a pleasure to know. She would brighten my day whenever she stopped by my work place. I will never forget the time she brought me an entire raspberry pie. I know exactly how much work and time and energy baking a homemade pie requires, and I appreciated that gesture so much . The thought was so lovely- and the pie was, of course, delicious. She will be missed.*
- Leanne R.

Leanne Reigner - August 19, 2020 at 04:46 PM

DL

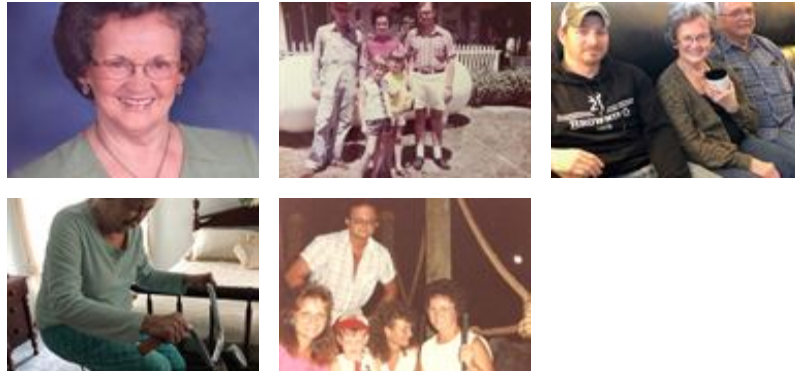
“ *Diane L. purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Annabelle Kaiser.*



Diane L. - August 19, 2020 at 09:39 AM



“ *89 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Hartzler Funeral Services - August 19, 2020 at 09:18 AM

VS

“ She and Mr. were the most beautiful people I've been fortunate enough to have blessed my life. And they truly have. I will miss u Beautiful Lady. But u will be watching over us. No more pain, no more treatments. Poison to kill the poison. I think of u and Mr. And ur beautiful daughter. I'll c u again someday. God blessed me with you. Thank u Jesus!
Valet Sandy from Plymouth Cancer Unit.

Valet Sandy - August 18, 2020 at 07:09 PM

JG

Thank you for loving my mom! We will all see each other again! 💕💕

Juli Gross - September 13, 2020 at 09:58 AM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Annabelle Kaiser.



August 17, 2020 at 10:44 AM

RV

“ Butch and family,
I'm so sorry for your loss, Annabelle was a wonderful lady and will be missed by all who knew her. I can't help but think of her in Heaven celebrating with Rosie.
With sympathy and love, Rosilyn Young Vyhnalek

Rosilyn Vyhnalek - August 17, 2020 at 09:04 AM

JK

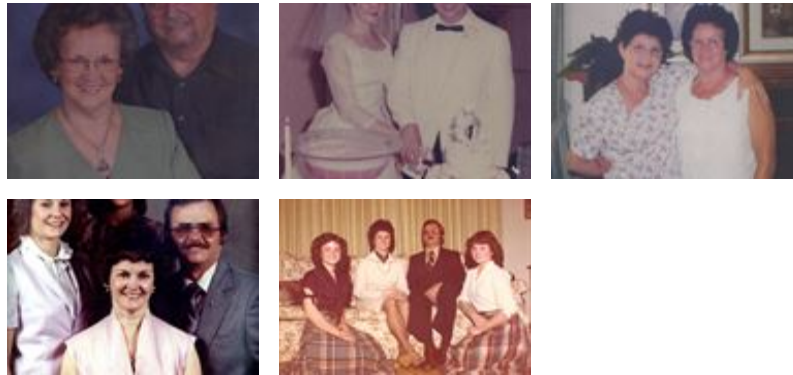
“ Jerry Dean and Donna Kaiser purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Annabelle Kaiser.



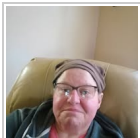
Jerry Dean and Donna Kaiser - August 17, 2020 at 07:50 AM



“ 151 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hartzler Funeral Services - August 15, 2020 at 07:35 PM



“ Annabelle was a very sweet lady. I'm so sorry for your loss to her family especially Butch, Lori & Juli. Lots of Love and God Bless you all.

Tina Huffman-Villalobos - August 15, 2020 at 07:11 PM

JB

“ A lovely lady I met at church. Always a smile on her face.



Jim and Shirley Bickel - August 15, 2020 at 05:20 PM

TC

“ Butch, Lori, Juli and family...Ruth and I send our deepest sympathy in Annabelle's passing. She truly was a Christ follower in every way. I was so blessed to be her pastor for twelve years. We have many memories...and a few extra pounds because of her delicious food. We laughed and cried as we walked through life. Our prayer is that the One she loved and served will be your strength in the days and weeks ahead.

Love, Terry & Ruth Canfield

Terry Canfield - August 15, 2020 at 05:07 PM

BC

“ We became acquainted with Annabelle & husband at fiSh fries. Loved getting to know them. So sorry to hear of her passing.

Barb& Bob Clyde - August 15, 2020 at 08:16 AM

KM

“ Was a beautiful lady and customer she loved her garage sales



kathy moore - August 14, 2020 at 01:34 PM