



## Donabelle Jean Hoffman

April 13, 1922 - July 19, 2021

Donabelle Jean Hoffman, 99, of Akron, Indiana passed at 3:48 am, Monday, July 19, 2021 at Timbercrest Health Care of North Manchester, Indiana.

Donabelle was born on April 13, 1922 in Nappanee, Indiana to the late Paul and Alma (Buss) Sheets. She married on April 13, 1942 in Nappanee, Indiana to E. Wayne Hoffman, who passed on March 18, 2008.

Donabelle was a homemaker and proudly raised her family. She also worked in earlier years for Dan Leininger and Sons until the store closed. She was a longtime member of the Silver Creek Church of God. She had been a seamstress doing all kinds of alterations and making 3 bridal gowns. She was honored in 2018 as the Akron 4th of July Parade Marshall for being Akron's oldest living resident. She and her husband enjoyed camping and they spent 20 years together at Barr Lake.

She is survived by her two daughters, Sharon Hartz, Culver, and Connie and husband Dennis Helvey, South Whitley; six grandchildren, Jeff Hartz, Troy Hartz, Todd Helvey, Talisha Herendeen, Trina Semler and Trista Brubaker; 12 great-grandchildren; 2 great great grandchildren.

Donabelle was preceded in death by her parents, husband, a great granddaughter Alea Dawn Brubaker, son-in-law Hugh Hartz, brother Max

Sheets, and an infant sister.

The funeral service will be held at 1:00 pm, Friday, July 23, 2021 at Silver Creek Church of God, Silver Lake, Indiana with Pastor Thomas Craig officiating.

The interment will be in the Silver Creek Cemetery, Silver Lake, Indiana next to her husband.

Visitation will be from 11 am to 1 pm, Friday, July 23, 2021 at Silver Creek Church of God, Silver Lake, Indiana.

Memorial contributions can be made to Silver Creek Church of God or to Heart to Heart Hospice.

# Cemetery Details

## Silver Creek Cemetery

6504 West 1300 South  
Silver Lake, IN 46982

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 23. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Silver Creek Church Of God  
6504 West 1300 South  
Silver Lake, IN 46982

## Funeral Service

JUL 23. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Donabelle Jean Hoffman



Hartzler Funeral Services - July 20, 2021 at 10:07 AM

AH

We were a newly married couple in 1970, moved to Akron and Donnabelle stopped by our home with a welcoming basket. She then continued to visit me often. What a very sweet lady!

Aggie Hartz - July 20, 2021 at 11:46 AM

JV

Donna was like our grandma since we moved to Akron right across her house!! She always baked cookies and brownies for me, because she always loved to bake.. I remember always helping her with the yard and the snow, it was a pleasure to do that for her, because since day one, she treated us like her grandkids too. I loved talking to her, me and my sister's and parents denifitely going to miss our grandma Donna. Un abrazo hasta el cielo 🙏😭🥺. Familia Baca!!

Jaime Baca Villaseñor - July 23, 2021 at 12:16 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Donabelle Jean Hoffman.



July 22, 2021 at 04:01 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Donabelle Jean Hoffman.



July 21, 2021 at 06:59 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Donabelle Jean Hoffman.



July 20, 2021 at 11:54 AM



“ 44 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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“ Sharon & Connie, so sorry to hear of your mothers passing, she was a very sweet lady, she always let all of us set on the porch and talk and have lots of laughs. Thanks for the fun times,

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**Norman Benzing** - July 20, 2021 at 09:23 AM