



Arleta Emma Oberhaus

September 19, 1932 - August 31, 2021

Arleta Emma Oberhaus, 88, of Napoleon, Ohio passed away on August 31, 2021. She was born in Napoleon on September 19, 1932 to Carl and Emma (Sonnenberg) Gebers.

After leaving school, she worked at the Five and Dime where she met the love of her life, Henry Oberhaus. Married for 67 years, they worked on the Oberhaus farm building their family legacy. After retirement, Arleta and Henry spent their winters in Lake Placid, Florida, playing cards and making friends.

Her strong Christian faith carried her through life. Arleta was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Napoleon Township, where she was very active with the Women of the Church and teaching Sunday school. Arleta enjoyed gardening, crocheting, and playing cards with friends and family. She found immense joy in spending time with her family.

Left to cherish her memory are her daughter, Brenda Palm; grandchildren, Megan (Rob) Andrews, Gregory (Denada) Palm; and Emily Palm; great grandchildren, Regan Andrews, Adria, Elha and Ruby Palm; and Sammy, Audriana and Alivia Cooley; brother, Marv (Shirley) Gebers; and many nieces and nephews. Also surviving are high school exchange daughter from Finland, Tarja (Seppo) Seuranen and her children Pauliina (Angelo) Meli and Mika Neimi; granddaughter Zoe; high school exchange son from Germany, Andy (Suzanne) Freytag and his children Judith and Lisa.

A memorial service will be planned at a later date due the health concerns surrounding COVID-19. In lieu of flowers, contributions will be designated to Uganda H2O to dig a fresh-water drinking well in Uganda. Donations may be made to Trinity Lutheran Church, 135 East Mount St, Circleville, Ohio, 43113 (memo line Uganda H2O--Oberhaus Memorial) or online at <https://www.trinitylutherancville.org/> through the giving link.

Online messages and condolences may be shared with the family at rodenbergergray.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ Arleta was always the family historianI remember so many Oberhaus reunions and she would provide updates on the previous year happenings in the Oberhaus family. My father Orlen and Veneta enjoyed many visits to their house. Arleta is now a heavenly angel looking down on us

Rita (Oberhaus) Carter - September 05, 2021 at 04:40 PM

MA

“ May our beloved Grandma Rest in Eternal Peace, Amen. 🌸🌸.

From Jane, Jacob, Daniel, Thomas, Mary and the children

Megan Andrews - September 03, 2021 at 08:30 PM

MA

“ My dear Mother Brenda Akello,
It is with profound shock that I have learnt of the passing on, of your dear Mother and my grandma too ARLETA. I know she has gone to be with OPA, HENRY And JULITA. The Lord gave us Her, and has taken her to Himself. May His name be praised for evermore! I particularly thank her (ARLETA) for giving us you!
Tomorrow morning I will offer Special Holy mass for a peaceful repose of her soul. You are Our thoughts. I will pass the message to everyone in Uganda.

I am keeping Vigil I her Honour. I praise God for her , I celebrate her life. A gift to Us ALL!

It is a difficult moment. The entire Uganda family stands with You in Prayers.

Son, Francis

Megan Andrews - September 03, 2021 at 08:29 PM

MA

“ Dear Brenda, my heartfelt condolences on the passing of your mother Arleta. I immediately let my family know and we were all very sad! At the same time, we are so grateful to have met you all and to have visited Henry and Arleta on their farm in Ohio. We think of that visit and you all very often! But now we wish you all a lot of strength, time to mourn and time to laugh about all the beautiful moments you had together. I am very happy that Emily lives with her family in the house and would be very happy if we could visit you there again one day. Then we can think of Henry and Arleta together once again!

I hope you are feeling a little better in the meantime? You have also reported that your health is not so good?

Please send our warmest greetings to your whole family - we are thinking of you very much!

Thank you very much for letting us know.

Love to all, Lisa (and of course, my father, my mother and my sister)

Megan Andrews - September 03, 2021 at 08:10 PM