



## Gracie Lulfs

July 18, 1932 - August 15, 2017

Gracie Lulfs, 85, of Napoleon, Ohio died Tuesday, August 15, 2017 at her home. She was born on July 18, 1932 in Hancock County, Ohio to the late Howard and Mary (Keckler) Spence. She was married to Marvin A. Petersen and later Harvey H. Lulfs who both preceded her in death.

Gracie was a homemaker she also worked at Wendy's as a hostess and at the County Home as a volunteer hairdresser. She enjoyed her flowers, crafts, painting, sewing, music, and dancing. She was an avid camper and enjoyed genealogy and discovering her family tree. She loved spending time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by her children, Terry Petersen of Liberty Center, and Lisa (Ronald) Lunsford of Napoleon; step children, Kathryn (Don) Paschall, Sandra L. (William) Miller, Roger (Karen) Lulfs, and Harvey R. Lulfs; special friend, Robert Kuhn of Napoleon; 7 grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren; 3 great great grandchildren; many step grandchildren and step great grandchildren; siblings, Alice M. Stanton of Napoleon, Orlo (Betty) Spence of Leipsic, and Doris Botjer of Deshler. She was preceded in death by siblings, Anna Hurley, Howard "Buck" Spence, George Spence, Thomas Spence, Virginia Like, and Sarah Lotz.

Funeral services will be held at 6 p.m. on Saturday, August 19, 2017 at Rodenberger Funeral Home in Napoleon. Interment will be held privately at a later date.

Visitation will be held from 2 - 6 p.m. on Saturday, August 19th at

Rodenberger Funeral Home in Napoleon.

The family suggests memorials be given to the family to help with funeral expenses.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 19. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Napoleon Funeral Home  
1010 Westmoreland Avenue  
Napoleon, OH 43545  
(419) 592-2333  
help@rodenbergergray.com

## Service

AUG 19. 6:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

CH

“ Chris lit a candle in memory of Gracie Lulfs



chris - October 29, 2017 at 06:03 PM

CH

“ Name is Chris Scarberry she was a good friend i live next to her and Husband on Washington but when i moved out i wold stop for a Visit and she was all way happy to see me i will miss so much

chris - October 29, 2017 at 06:00 PM

TP

“ The world lost a beautiful person,my grandma loved so many as so many loved her! We will miss her terribly! I love you Grandma!



Tina Petersen - August 20, 2017 at 01:59 AM

TP

“ My grandma was the very best,she was always there when you needed her, whether it was just a few encouraging words or if you needed a big hug! O love you grandma!



Tina Petersen - August 19, 2017 at 08:57 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gracie Lulfs.*



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August 18, 2017 at 02:25 PM



“ *I have an entire lifetime of sweet memories of our precious Aunt Gracie. From spending summers at her house as a kid - to sharing our faiths - to being Godparents to each others children - and understanding each other's hearts through the loss of loved ones. Aunt Gracie loved her family deeply and was gentle and kindhearted with everyone she met. The name Grace means “beautiful attractive one” and it was so fitting her entire life. She was not only beautiful on the outside, as we all know that she was meticulous with her hair and make-up, but she was even more beautiful on the inside. We loved her smile and her bright and positive outlook, always. She also had a sense of humor and all of us loved to pick on her about her tiny size, my Daddy said she wasn't even snack size and barely bite size, she would laugh so heartily – it was contagious – you couldn't help but laugh with her. All of us girls envied her polished manicured finger nails and wondered how she could keep them looking so good all the time. She was a totally unique one of a kind lady, and very special, all wrapped up in one package of LOVE. We love you Aunt Gracie, and will miss you, always and forever. Your niece Jeanne and Donnie*

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**Jeanne Waller** - August 18, 2017 at 07:21 AM



*Jeanne, Your beautiful tribute to Gracie's life and legacy is incredibly inspirational and uplifting, and is a blessing to read and remember. Thank You. Jane Macke*

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**Jane Macke** - August 18, 2017 at 12:57 PM

TF

“ Tom and Tina Myers, Michelle and Jennifer & Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Gracie Lulfs.



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**Tom and Tina Myers, Michelle and Jennifer & Family** - August 17, 2017 at 03:25 PM

TD

“ Tom & Genia Donley lit a candle in memory of Gracie Lulfs



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**Tom & Genia Donley** - August 17, 2017 at 10:13 AM

TD

*always loved running into her. Makeup perfect and always smiling.*

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**Tom & Genia Donley** - August 17, 2017 at 10:14 AM

TF

“ Tim and Michelle Townsend and family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Gracie Lulfs.



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**Tim and Michelle Townsend and family** - August 17, 2017 at 08:46 AM

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“ *Tonya Rice lit a candle in memory of Gracie Lulfs*



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**Tonya Rice** - August 17, 2017 at 08:31 AM



“ *Roy E Sterrett Jr. lit a candle in memory of Gracie Lulfs*



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**Roy E Sterrett Jr.** - August 17, 2017 at 07:03 AM



“ *Michelle Iffland Nadeau lit a candle in memory of Gracie Lulfs*



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**Michelle Iffland Nadeau** - August 17, 2017 at 05:50 AM