



Janis Kay Benecke

April 27, 1946 - July 12, 2018

Janis K. Benecke, 72, of Ridgeville Corners, Ohio died Thursday, July 12, 2018 at St. Vincent Hospital in Toledo, Ohio. She was born April 27, 1946 in Wauseon, Ohio to the late Howard and Helen (Hoover) Fredrick. On May 7, 1966, she married Dexter Benecke at St. Peter Lutheran, Ridgeville Corners. Janis graduated from Liberty Center High school and the Toledo Academy of Beauty College. She was a beautician and owner of Ridge Beauty Bar in Ridgeville Corners for 53 years. She was also a corporate officer for Benecke Trucking, SanJan Inc. and Viking Trucking of Ridgeville Corners. She currently attended St. Martin's Lutheran Church, Archbold. She was a Women's Auxiliary Fire Department member, as well as a dedicated fire Chief's wife for many years.

Janis loved spending time with friends at the beauty shop, her family, the cottage at Bird Lake in Michigan, and tending to her Geraniums and flower gardens.

She is survived by her husband, Dexter; children, Michelle Detwiler of Defiance, Ohio, Jeffrey (Jo Ann) Benecke and Daniel (Gina) Benecke, both of Ridgeville Corners, Ohio; grandchildren, James (Meghan) Rodriguez, Jennifer, Jessica, and Jasmine Rodriguez, Matthew and Nicholas Benecke, Autumn, Ellison, and Kayla Benecke. She was also preceded in death by an infant daughter, Melissa Benecke.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, July 18 at St. Martin's Lutheran Church, Archbold. Interment will follow at St. Peter Lutheran

Cemetery, Ridgeville Corners, Ohio.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday from 2-8 p.m. at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Napoleon and Wednesday from 10-11 a.m. at the church.

Memorials are suggested to Ridgeville Fire and Rescue or Hope Services.

Online condolences may be made at www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Peter Lutheran Cemetery

CO RD X
Ridgeville Corners, OH 43555

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

JUL 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Martin's Lutheran Church
203 S. Defiance St
Archbold, OH 43502

Service

JUL 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Martin's Lutheran Church
203 S. Defiance St
Archbold, OH 43502

Tribute Wall

TL

“ Dear Dexter and family,

I am sorry to hear the news of the passing of Janice. I will always remember her bigger than life personality and how she treated everyone with kindness and respect.

I am thankful to have been a part of Beneke Trucking.

*Sincerely,
Todd A. Lane and family*

Todd Lane - July 18, 2018 at 04:50 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Janis Kay Benecke.*



July 17, 2018 at 10:43 AM

DR

“ *Dex & family, God be with you during this difficult time. May our precious Lord wrap you in His comforting arms as you go through your grieving. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Doug & Aris Rychener
Lake LeAnn, MI*

Doug & Aris Rychener - July 17, 2018 at 10:05 AM

BT

“ *Dexter & family,*

I am so incredibly sorry for your loss.

Beth at Jeff Barefoot's office.

Beth Tomlinson - July 17, 2018 at 09:45 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Janis Kay Benecke.*



July 16, 2018 at 07:33 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Janis Kay Benecke.*



July 16, 2018 at 06:47 PM

TC

“ *The Shelly Company purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Janis Kay Benecke.*



The Shelly Company - July 16, 2018 at 12:41 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Janis Kay Benecke.*



July 16, 2018 at 11:55 AM



“ *With Love From Lynn Reed and Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Janis Kay Benecke.*



With Love From Lynn Reed and Family - July 16, 2018 at 11:34 AM



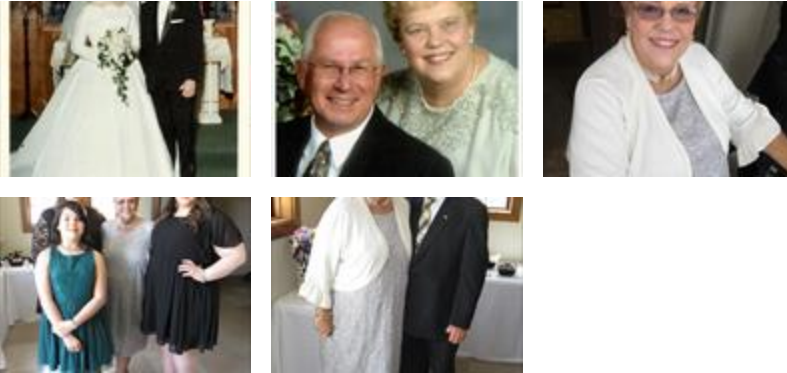
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shelley detwiler - July 16, 2018 at 12:54 AM

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shelley detwiler - July 16, 2018 at 12:51 AM

RR

“ On behalf of the Tiffin Township Fire Department you have our sincere sympathy and deepest prayers. Chief Ron Rethmel

Ron Rethmel - July 15, 2018 at 04:04 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Janis Kay Benecke.



July 14, 2018 at 03:39 PM

TM

“ Hi Dexter,

Sorry to hear about your loss. Always enjoyed seeing and talking to Janis and you at dialysis. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers at this time of loss.

Terry Miller

Terry Miller - July 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM

MB

“ *Dear Dexter and family: I was very saddened to read of Janis' passing. I will miss her sweet smile and her kindness to me whenever she was at Trinity Lutheran Church in Hillsdale. My heart is heavy for you and your family. May God be with each of you as you mourn her passing. It is never easy, but with God all things are possible. Love, Myrna Bailey Trinity Lutheran Church, Hillsdale, MI*

Myrna Bailey - July 14, 2018 at 01:00 PM

DO

“ Hi Dexter,

I am very sad to hear about your loss. I know what a strong person you are and I wish you strength and healing in this unsettling time. God bless!

Doug Meyer

meyerdouglass@gmail.com

Douglas - July 14, 2018 at 05:06 AM

TF

“ *The Paduano Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Janis Kay Benecke.*



The Paduano Family - July 13, 2018 at 11:02 PM

LH

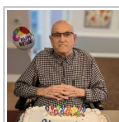
“ *Janis was a very kind and considerate and compassionate person. She enjoyed her friends, and we always felt welcome to their home in Ridgeville or their home away from home at the lake. So many fond memories with her and Dex.. She was a true friend to both Larry and I and we will miss her infectious laugh and smile and her many funny things she would tell us that happened to her at certain times in her life. We will always remember our friend Janis.*

Larry and Helen Hesterman - July 13, 2018 at 08:28 PM

ML

Dex sorry to hear about Janis passing. The days week's and months ahead will be difficult I'm sure but you have a full community around you that you can draw upon for support as you and Janis have supported us over the years with your work in a great community.

Mike Layman - July 14, 2018 at 02:42 PM



Dexter, You have my Sympathy on your wife's passing. I worked at Ramon's Shell when your Family had the Hardware in Wauseon. Hal Griffin

HalRuth Griffin - July 17, 2018 at 11:52 AM