



## Jessie Maxine Richardson

April 27, 1919 - December 4, 2016

Jessie Maxine Richardson, 97, of Napoleon, Ohio died peacefully Sunday, December 4, 2016 at Genacross Lutheran Services, Napoleon, Ohio. She was born April 27, 1919 in Fontanet, Indiana to the late Clifford and Nora (Pitts) Jeffries. On May 25, 1941 she married Earl C. Richardson who preceded her in death in March of 1997.

Jessie was a homemaker. She was a faithful member of Christ United Methodist Church, Napoleon, Ohio. She enjoyed gardening and was active in a local garden club. She was an excellent seamstress and enjoyed cross stitch, embroidery, and quilting. She also volunteered for the American Red Cross. She was an avid reader and loved spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She is survived by her children, Earl C. "Butch" (Suzanne) Richardson, Jr. of Napoleon, Ohio, Michael D. (Cathy Elliot) Richardson of Tempe, Arizona, and Pamela (Timothy) Downey of Napoleon, Ohio; grandchildren, Chad (Jodi) Richardson, Matthew Richardson, Wendy (Mike) Clark, Cory (Sybil) Richardson, Jodi (Sam) Delgado, Christi (Andy) Richardson-Zboralski, Michael (Kathryn) Downey, Ben (Alissia) Downey, Sara (Cully) Brownson, and Andrew Downey; 15 great grandchildren; sisters, Pauline Mosteller and Ann Threlkeld. She was preceded in death by her siblings, Helen Adams, Mary Crowther, Bud Jeffries, Robert Jeffries, and Betty Ruth Jeffries.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 10, 2016 at Christ United Methodist Church, Napoleon, Ohio. Interment will follow at

Glenwood Cemetery.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. on Friday at Rodenberger Funeral Home and Saturday from 10-11 a.m. at the church.

Memorial donations can be made to Christ United Methodist Church, Hospice of Henry County, or a charity of the donor's choice.

Online condolences may be made at [www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com](http://www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Glenwood Cemetery

Napoleon, OH 43545

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 9. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

## Visitation

DEC 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Christ United Methodist  
1255 Glenwood Ave  
Napoleon, OH 43545

## Service

DEC 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

Christ United Methodist  
1255 Glenwood Ave  
Napoleon, OH 43545



# Tribute Wall



“ So very sorry we could not be there for the service. We are saddened for your loss, but rejoice in Heaven's gain! Bill, Kathy and Jeremy

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