



Juanita Kay Schnitkey

May 11, 1936 - February 14, 2025

Juanita Kay Schnitkey, 88, of Ridgeville Corners, Ohio passed away peacefully on Friday, February 14, 2025 at Northcrest Rehab in Napoleon, Ohio. She was born May 11, 1936 in Holgate, Ohio to the late Ray and Fredia (Huber) Eberle. On March 2, 1958, she married Franklin Schnitkey and he preceded her in death on August 15, 2014.

Juanita worked at Four County Vocational School where she enjoyed baking cookies and pies in the cafeteria. She was a faithful member of St. John Lutheran Church, Stryker, Ohio.

She is lovingly survived by daughters, Lou Ann (Randy) Rosebrock and Nancy Thomas, both of Napoleon; grandchildren, Michael (Samantha) Cohrs and Michelle (Ben) Weddelman, Benjamin (Taryn) Thomas and Rachel (Andy) Brinkman; great grandchildren, Axel and Peyton Cohrs, Ryan, Lucy, Kate, and Henry Weddelman, and Annabelle and Theodore Thomas, and Baby Brinkman on the way; and sisters-in-law, Marlene Eberle and Marie Schnitkey, and many nieces and nephews. She was also preceded in death by a grandson, Ryan Rosebrock; son-in-law, Alvin Cohrs; sisters, Ethel (Merl) Dietrick and Madeline (Robert) Gilliland; and brothers, Donald (Jeanette, Hildegard), Robert (Mildred), Arthur (Lillian), James (Patricia), Nelson (Marcille), Darrell (Gertrude), Keith, and three infant brothers; and in laws, Donald Schnitkey, Walt (Bernice) Elling.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday from 2-8 p.m. and Wednesday from 10-11 a.m. at St. John Lutheran Church, Stryker (ST RTE 6 & 66).

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday Feb. 19th, 2025 at the church with Pastor Aaron Bueltmann officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

The family suggest memorials be given to St. John Lutheran Church Benevolence Fund or a charity of the donor' choice.

Cemetery Details

St. John Lutheran Cemetery, Stryker

23120 US Highway 6
Stryker, OH 43557

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 18. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

St. John Lutheran Cemetery, Stryker
23120 US Highway 6
Stryker, OH 43557

Public Viewing

FEB 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

FEB 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TW

“ So sorry to hear of your loss LuAnn and Nancy and Families.
Prayers for all of you during the time of your loss.

Trudy Wachtmann & Family

Trudy Wachtmann - February 19, 2025 at 03:12 PM

MJ

“ So sorry to hear of her passing .I work with her at Foster &Handy
back in 56 .she was so nice

Marty Jackson - February 18, 2025 at 05:17 PM

TD

“ Teresa D. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathip
hyllum for the family of Juanita Kay Schnitkey.



Teresa D. - February 18, 2025 at 08:52 AM

SF

“ Schwiebert, Osolin, Hoops Elling Family
purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for
the family of Juanita Kay Schnitkey.



Schwiebert, Osolin, Hoops Elling Family - February 17, 2025
at 09:50 AM



“ *To Juanita’s family,
I was privileged to spend time with her and get to know her at
Alpine. She was always friendly and had a smile. She will be
missed! Take care as you move through your grief.*
Elaine Wells

Elaine Wells - February 16, 2025 at 03:12 PM

BB

“ *Louanne, Nancy and family. My thoughts are with you at this hard
time. Juanita will be very missed by all of us that knew her at Alpine.
She was one of kindest ladies I have ever known and she loved her
family very much.*

Brandy Burditt - February 16, 2025 at 10:26 AM

SO

“ *LouAnn, Nancy, Linda, Donna, Laurie and Dave. So sorry to hear
about Juanita. She was a smiling face in the Four County Cafeteria.
Never had a cross word for anyone. May she rest in peace. She will
be missed. Sally Orwig*

Sally Orwig - February 15, 2025 at 07:18 PM