



Margaret Ann Busch

August 23, 1939 - April 18, 2025

Margaret Ann “Grandma Peggy” Busch, 85, of Napoleon, Ohio, passed away on Friday, April 18, 2025, in Napoleon, Ohio. She was born on August 23, 1939, to the late William and Olga (Miller) Kruse.

She was a faithful member of Emanuel Lutheran Church of Napoleon for many years. She loved her family dearly and especially loved to take trips to her children’s and grandchildren’s houses for visits. Margaret was an avid fan of The Ohio State Buckeyes and never missed a game. Being a mom and grandmother was her favorite pastime and gave her so much joy. She was very close to her neighbors and even had their own lunch group. Margaret had many hobbies including reading, puzzles and collecting angels. In her earlier years, she managed the Holiday Inn Hotel in Napoleon for 25 years and ended her working career with JBS Office Solutions.

Margaret is survived by her children, Kim Middleton, Steve (Julie) Busch, and Rick (Amy) Busch; daughter-in-law, Andi Dalton; grandchildren, Trevor Busch, Dalton (Shayna) Middleton, Parker Middleton, Amanda (Robert) Myatt, Nate (Tiffany) Busch, Katie (Matt) Ludewig, Aleigh (Josh) Jewell, Christopher (Allison) Busch, Laura (Trey) Whitaker, and Michael (Kendall) Busch; 20 great grandchildren; siblings, Lester Kruse, Shirley (Robert) Walker, and Nancy Behnfeltdt; sisters-in-law, Elvira Kruse and Sharon Kruse; brother-in-law, Robert Walker, and many nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her children, Kevin Busch, and infant daughter, Vickie Busch; grandchild, Logan Busch; siblings, William Kruse, Norma Behrman,

Arleen Bressler, Ronald Kruse, and Donna Kruse; sister-in-law, Dianne Kruse; brothers-in-law, Howard Behrman, Glen Bressler, and William Behnfeldt. Friends and family will be received at the Rodenberger-Gray Funeral Home, Napoleon, on Tuesday, April 22, 2025, from 2-7pm. A funeral service for Margaret will be held on Wednesday at Emanuel Lutheran Church, Napoleon at 11am, with an hour of visitation prior to services. A luncheon will take place at the church immediately following services, with interment at Riverview Memory Gardens, Defiance to follow at 2pm. Memorial contributions can be made out to Hope Services or Henry County Relay for Life. Online condolences may also be left for the family at www.rodenbergergray.com.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Memory Gardens

29321 County Rd 424
Defiance, OH 43512

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 22. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rodenberger Funeral Home - Napoleon
1010 Westmoreland Avenue
Napoleon, OH 43545

Visitation

APR 23. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Emanuel Lutheran Church
810 Scott St
Napoleon, OH 43545-1527
(419) 592-2616

Funeral Service

APR 23. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Graveside Service

APR **23**. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Margaret Ann Busch.

April 22, 2025 at 09:22 AM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Margaret Ann Busch.



April 22, 2025 at 09:22 AM



“ Barbara J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Ann Busch.

Barbara J. - April 22, 2025 at 08:19 AM



“ Tracey (Buchhop) and Jim Hoff purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Margaret Ann Busch.



Tracey (Buchhop) and Jim Hoff - April 21, 2025 at 05:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Margaret Ann Busch.



April 19, 2025 at 04:22 PM