



## Nancy Bea Lange

February 6, 1933 - February 4, 2026

Nancy Bea Lange, 92, of Napoleon, Ohio passed away on Wednesday, February 4, 2026. She was born in Malinta, Ohio on February 6, 1933, to the late Theodore and A. Ione (Eisaman) Detmer. On January 18, 1958, Nancy married Kenneth Lange in Napoleon.

Nancy was a member of Emanuel Lutheran Church, Napoleon and a former member of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Flatrock. She dedicated her time service the community as a coordinator for the Red Cross Blood Drives, a member of the Soroptimist Club, Henry County Republican Women's Club and even ran for city office at one time. Nancy was a talented seamstress who made clothes for the family, as well as altered clothing for others. The family loved to spend time together traveling and camping all over the United States and locally enjoyed Harrison Lake and Spring Lake.

Nancy is survived by her husband of 68 years, Ken; daughters, Dawn Leitner and Suzette (Brent) Gerken; grandchildren, Amber (Brandon) Yost, Laura (Kevin) Ash, Christopher (Natalie) Leitner, Randy (Leslie Flory) Leitner, and Elizabeth (Bryce) Baden; great grandchildren, Ryan, William, Harper, Cooper, Molly, Kayson, and Meadow; and sister Sally Rettig. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by son-in-law, Rick Leitner; and siblings, Warren Detmer, Darlene Wells, Jerry Detmer, and Jack Detmer.

Friends and family will be received at the Rodenberger-Gray Funeral Home, Napoleon on Friday, February 6, 2026, from 10:00 AM until the time of services at 12 Noon. Interment will be private. Memorial contributions may be made to Emanuel Lutheran Church. Online condolences and messages may be shared with the family at [rodenbergergray.com](http://rodenbergergray.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Hill Cemetery

500 E. Maumee Ave  
Napoleon, OH 43545

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

FEB 6. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

## Memorial Service

FEB 6. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Please accept our heartfelt condolences on the loss of your wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother. May she have everlasting peace with our Lord💖. Sincerely, . Jan and John Stover

Jan Stover - February 05 at 04:16 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Nancy Bea Lange.



February 05 at 02:43 PM

JV

“ Jan V. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nancy Bea Lange.

Jan V. - February 05 at 10:03 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Nancy Bea Lange.



February 05 at 08:30 AM

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“ *Bret & Kris Speiser planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nancy Bea Lange.*

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**Bret & Kris Speiser** - February 05 at 08:30 AM