



Ruth Mahnke

September 30, 1941 - June 14, 2022

Ruth Mahnke, 80, of Napoleon, Ohio died Tuesday, June 14th 2022 at the Henry County Hospital. She was born September 30, 1941 in Jewell, Ohio to the late Carl and Ida (Otte) Scheele. On November 30, 1973 she married Roger Mahnke who preceded her in death on December 15, 2015.

Ruth was a 1959 graduate of Napoleon High School. She was a homemaker and did secretarial work for several local companies throughout the years.

She was a member of St. John Lutheran Church, Freedom Twp. Most of all, she loved her time spent traveling with Roger, following along with her grandchildren and great grandchildren activities and playing cards.

She is survived by children, Kelly (Kirk) Jackson, Mike (Bonnie) Mahnke, and Amy (Scott) Franklin; grandchildren, Kyle (Heather) Jackson, Jason (McKayla) Jackson, Anthony (Elisabeth) Jackson, Michaela Mahnke, Josiah Mahnke, and Jonathon Beatty; 6 great grandchildren; and brothers and sisters-in-law, Dick (Elaine) Mahnke, Ruth Ann Duncan, Larry (Patricia) Mahnke, and Wanda (Ken) Wyse. She was also preceded in death by siblings, Delbert Scheele, Melvin Scheele, and Lillian Caruthers.

The funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 18th at St. John Lutheran Freedom Twp. Church, where visitation will be held from 9:30 – 11 a.m. Burial will follow at the church cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. John Lutheran Church, Freedom Twp.

Cemetery Details

St. John Lutheran Freedom Township Cemetery

16035 Co Rd U
Napoleon, OH 43545

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 18. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. John Lutheran Church, Freedom Township
16035 County Road U
Napoleon, OH 43545

Funeral Service

JUN 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Always remember my mom and dad's "card club gang" with fond memories. Glad I saw Ruth recently. Sorry for your loss. Kathy (riefers)gobrogge

Kathy Gobrogge - June 16, 2022 at 09:25 PM

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“ Elisa Carothers lit a candle in memory of Ruth Mahnke



Elisa Carothers - June 16, 2022 at 10:27 AM

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“ Elisa Carothers sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Mahnke



Elisa Carothers - June 16, 2022 at 10:25 AM

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Aunt Ruth was a Godly woman. She was always very sweet and kind to me. I will miss her. Love Elisa Carothers

Elisa Carothers - June 16, 2022 at 10:27 AM



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Rodenberger Funeral Home - June 15, 2022 at 01:49 PM



“ So sorry to hear about Ruth. She would come to our cousins lunches with Marilyn. Very nice lady❤️ Condolences to the family
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Barbara Dangelo - June 15, 2022 at 11:07 AM