



Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel

May 8, 1930 - December 24, 2019

Wenzel, Mrs. Shirley A.
Frankenlust Twp., MI

Our loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister and aunt passed away peacefully on Christmas Eve., December 24, 2019, at HealthSource Saginaw. Shirley A. Haubenstricker was born on May 8, 1930, in Birch Run, MI, to the late Herman T. and Anna M. (Ranke) Haubenstricker. She was married to Charles F. Wenzel on April 27, 1951, in Frankenmuth, MI, and he survives her.

Prior to her retirement, Shirley was employed in the sales dept. at J. C. Penney for 22 years. She was a member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, where she had volunteered with the bazaars, church mice, quilting, had sung in the choir, and was active in a bowling league. Surviving besides her husband, Charles, are their daughter, son and spouses, Nancy Ann (Larry) Rygiel, Grand Blanc; son Mark C. (Karen) Wenzel, Saginaw; five grandchildren, Andrew, Christine, Michael, Megan (Travis) Sidaway, and McKensey; two great-grandchildren, Rafe and Lincoln; her brother and sister, Eldon (Elfrieda) Haubenstricker and Lois Hoadley; also several nieces, nephews, including a special niece, Cherie Foster, and extended family and dear friends. Shirley was also predeceased by three sisters and two brothers, Irene Veitengruber, Ruth Olinger, Jane Daenzer, Arnold Haubenstricker and

Milton Haubenstricker.

Funeral and committal services will take place 11:00 a.m., Saturday, December 28, 2019, at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church 5335 Brockway Rd. The Rev. Paul Biber will officiate. Private burial will be in Eastlawn Memorial Gardens. Friends are welcome to visit with the family at the Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc., 1218 N. Michigan Ave. on Friday, December 27 from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m., then at the church on Saturday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of services. Memorial contributions may be given to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. Memories and sympathies of Shirley may be shared with the family on her memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Eastlawn Memorial Gardens

7475 E. Holland Rd.
Saginaw, MI 48601

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 27. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc.
1218 N. Michigan Ave.
Saginaw, MI 48602
(989) 752-8531
wakemanfh@charter.net

Funeral and Committal Services

DEC 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
5335 Brockway Rd.
Saginaw, MI 48638

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *Love, Paul and Carolyn Goyette purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel.*



Love, Paul and Carolyn Goyette - December 27, 2019 at 10:36 AM



“ *Dear Uncle Chuck, Nancy, Larry, Mark & Karen,
We were sorry to hear about Aunt Shirley. We are thinking of you and pray the Lord will be your strength and give you His peace as you go through this difficult time.
Sending love and hugs to you and your family,
Duane & Barb Bremer*

Duane Bremer - December 27, 2019 at 09:44 AM



My sincere sympathy at this time of loss. I have some very fond memories of Shirley in our young days. Times that I will never forget, lost touch as we aged but thought of her often

Doris Reda - December 27, 2019 at 12:42 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel.* ”



December 26, 2019 at 09:44 AM



“ *Bruce & Martha Wittbrodt purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel.* ”



Bruce & Martha Wittbrodt - December 26, 2019 at 07:57 AM



“ *Garden Accent - "Those we love don't go away..." was purchased for the family of Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel.* ”



December 25, 2019 at 09:19 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel.* ”



December 25, 2019 at 09:13 PM

SK

“ Dearest Uncle Chuck, Nancy and Mark,

We were so sorry to learn of Aunt Shirley's passing. You are in our thoughts.

We are in Wisconsin visiting Bryan's Dad and will keep you in prayer during this difficult time.

I have such fond memories of getting together with Aunt Shirley and all the aunts and uncles for numerous special events - confirmations, graduations, summer picnics, Christmas parties. We were always so fortunate to have such a wonderful family and extended family who provided us with great examples of Christian living and Christian love.

May the promise from the Lord our Savior bring you peace. I can't begin to imagine the joy and family reunion that is happening in Heaven.

All our love,

Sue and Bryan Korth

Sue (Boesenecker) Korth - December 25, 2019 at 09:12 PM

KD

“ To Chuck and family, seeing Shirley's picture on obits today was a kick in the stomach if you will. My mother Ginny worked side by side with Shirley as volunteers at the Standish Hospital for many years. Later on I became part of the staff and it was a joy to work with Shirley also. Even though an age gap was present, I really enjoyed talking with and working with Shirley. We became close at work and had many good times visiting together. I felt the same way with you Chuck, when you volunteered a few times. Always glad to see both of your smiling faces. My mother and I are so sorry to hear of your loss. We both feel we lost a good friend. Chuck and family please know you are in our prayers.
Kent and Ginny DeLano.

Kent A DeLano - December 25, 2019 at 03:11 PM



“ Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Mrs. Shirley A. Wenzel.



December 24, 2019 at 09:19 PM