



## Alvina L. Schnell

August 13, 1925 - March 23, 2015

Alvina L. Schnell, age 89, of Jasper, Indiana, passed away at 6:30 p.m. on Monday (March 23, 2015) at Northwood Retirement Community in Jasper, Indiana.

Alvina was born in Celestine, Indiana on August 13, 1925, to Bernard and Katherine (Fischer) Gadlage. She married Kenneth M. Schnell on May 6, 1947 at St. Celestine Catholic Church. He preceded her in death on November 17, 2006.

Alvina retired from Aristokraft, where she had worked for many years.

She was a member of St. Celestine Catholic Church, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, the St. Celestine's St. Ann's Society, and a former member of the V.F.W. Auxillary.

Alvina was very creative and enjoyed crocheting, quilting, gardening, canning and baking.

Surviving,

Six daughters,

Imelda "Mel" Oeding, and her husband, Mike, Velpen, IN

Kathy Knust, and her husband, Ed, Schnellville, IN

Ruth Gehlhausen, and her husband, Tom, Jasper, IN  
Karen Kuper, and her husband, Steven, Celestine, IN  
Nancy Schroering, and her husband, Emil, Celestine, IN  
Peggy Merkel, and her husband, Greg, Jasper, IN  
Two sons,  
Stephen Schnell, and his wife, Cindy, Celestine, IN  
Keith Schnell, and his wife, Cyndi, Louisville, KY  
23 grandchildren  
25 great grandchildren

Preceding her in death besides her husband are six sisters, Minnie Nordhoff, Ella Fritz, Veronica Hoffman, Gertrude Gehlhausen, Clara Schulz, and Etta Marie Klem, three brothers, Herman and Roman Gadlage, and an infant, Ralph Gadlage, and one granddaughter, Audrey Knust.

Funeral services for Alvina L. Schnell will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday (March 27, 2015) at St. Celestine Catholic Church in Celestine, Indiana, with burial to follow in the church cemetery.

Friends may call from 2:00-8:00 p.m. on Thursday (March 26, 2015) at the Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel in Jasper. The parishes of St. Celestine and St. Joseph Catholic Churches will pray a rosary at 1:45 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Celestine Catholic Church, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, the Alzheimer's Association, or to a favorite charity.

Online condolences may be made at [www.becherkluesner.com](http://www.becherkluesner.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Alvina L. Schnell*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *We're so sorry for your loss and we want you to know that our hearts are with you during this difficult time. Aunt Alvina was such a sweet lady and so deserving of our love and respect! Bless you all.*

**Bernie and Sara Elmer** - March 30, 2015 at 11:25 AM



“ *You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

**Kevin and Lisa Vaught** - March 30, 2015 at 11:25 AM



“ *Cyndi & Keith. We hope to share your loss during this time of sorrow. May She share eternal happiness with her loving husband Kenneth. We are here for you when you need someone to share your sorrow and perhaps a shoulder to lean on. From: Jean and Joe Dant 03/26/2015*

**Joe & Jean Dant** - March 30, 2015 at 11:25 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of your Mothers passing. What a beautiful Mother. She raised loving children! Hugs to each of you.*

**Marsha Stallings** - March 30, 2015 at 11:25 AM

JH

“ We just wanted you to know that our thoughts & prayers are with you at this time. God Bless!

Jeff & Shirley Harter - March 30, 2015 at 11:24 AM

CB

“ Keith and Cyndi: Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of the lost of your mother. May she rest in peace and the holy Spirit provide you comfort and strength through remembering the memories of her full-filled life.

Chrls & Kathy Baumbusch - March 30, 2015 at 11:24 AM

MH

“ My sincere condolences to your family Nancy. Thinking of you all.

Michele, Alysia and Dustin Hamilton - March 30, 2015 at 11:24 AM

RF

“ Kathy and family, I wanted to extend my sympathy to you on the loss of your mom.

Rose Fischer - March 30, 2015 at 11:24 AM