



Darlene M. Tuell

February 2, 1944 - March 10, 2025

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Darlene M. Tuell, age 81, of Jasper, Indiana, passed away surrounded by her daughters at 9:12 a.m. on Monday, March 10, 2025, at Memorial Hospital and Health Care Center in Jasper, Indiana.

She was born in Huntingburg, Indiana, on February 2, 1944, to August and Veronica (Brosmer) Hochgesang. She married Charlie Tuell on July 15, 1978. He preceded her in death on May 10, 1998.

Darlene was an amazing servant of God who didn't know a stranger. She always had a warm smile and kind words of encouragement for everyone she met. Her faith made her a shining light, and she taught her daughters how to trust in the Lord.

Her grandchildren and great-grandchildren were her pride and joy. She loved spending time with family, planting flowers, and helping others. Darlene was always willing to lend a helping hand and lifting up others in prayer.

Surviving are her two daughters, Sheila (John) Neukam, Huntingburg, IN, and

Krista (Josh) Kiefer, Jasper, IN, five sisters, Mary Jean "Jeannie" (Jim) Begle, St. Henry, IN, Janet (Joseph "Junie") Braunecker, St. Meinrad, IN, Linda, Brenda, and Laura Hochgesang, all of St. Anthony, IN, one sister-in-law, Carol Hochgesang, Clarksville, TN, three brothers, Ernest "Ernie" (Eileen) Hochgesang, St. Henry, IN, Michael "Mick" (Tami) Hochgesang, Birdseye, IN, and Richard "Rick" (Jenny) Hochgesang, St. Anthony, IN, one brother-in-law, Gerald "Jerry" Young, Jasper, IN, six grandchildren, Kendall (Dylan) Anderson, Kenzie Neukam, Levi Neukam, Xavier Kiefer, Elijah "Eli" Kiefer, and Olivia Kiefer, two great-grandchildren, Knox and Andi Anderson, and one precious gift from God on the way.

Preceding her in death besides her husband are one sister, Cynthia "Cindy" Hochgesang, and one brother, William "Bill" Hochgesang.

A funeral service for Darlene M. Tuell will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, March 14, 2025, at St. James Lutheran Church in Holland, Indiana, with burial to follow in St. Anthony Cemetery in St. Anthony, Indiana. Rev. Daniel Landin will officiate.

A visitation will be held from 3:00-7:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 13, 2025, at the Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel in Jasper, Indiana, and one hour before services at the church from 9:00-10:00 a.m. on Friday.

Memorial contributions may be made to the wishes of the family.

Online condolences may be made at www.becherkluesner.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Anthony of Padua Church Cemetery

4444 Ohio Street
St. Anthony, IN 47575

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Becher & Kluesner Funeral Home - Downtown
214 East 7th Street
Jasper, IN 47546
(812) 482-4141
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Visitation

MAR 14. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM.

St. James Lutheran Church
Holland, IN

Service

MAR 14. 10:00 AM.

St. James Lutheran Church
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Tribute Wall

BG

“ *Bonnie Eckerle Gessner lit a candle in memory of Darlene M. Tuell*



Bonnie Eckerle Gessner - March 14, 2025 at 04:32 PM

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“ *She always treated me like her own daughter no matter where or when I saw her! She will always have a special place in my heart! Shelia and Krista, you have my deepest sympathy I will always cherish my memories of your mom*

Julie Sander - March 13, 2025 at 10:42 AM

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“ *To all the Neukam Family:
Darlene was the SWEETEST Lady! Every time I saw her she always made time to stop and chat. I always wanted to know how she was doing and she would ask every time how I was doing and my family. She was a wonderful Mother and Grandmother and she will be missed by so many that knew her.
You are all in my thoughts and prayers.
Teresa Morrison & Family*

Teresa Morrison - March 12, 2025 at 08:39 AM

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“ I met Mrs Darelene 16 years ago when i was living in Indiana .. then i moved back to Georgia. She was one of the sweetest ladies i ever met . We stayed in contact all these years . She would always tell me about her daughters and grandkids .. i was hoping to get to go visit her . I send my condolences to the family .. she will be missed . I will cherish the memories I have of her forever .. until we meet again my dear friend ..

Susan Ramirez - March 11, 2025 at 09:56 PM

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“ SHELIA AND FAMILT; SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. SHE WAS SUCH A SWEET PERSON AND GOOD NEIGHBOR.



FRANCES E GUTGSELL - March 11, 2025 at 03:43 PM

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“ Darlene was a neighbor of mine and was I ever blessed to know her. She loved me and my grandson Felix and we loved her. She will be greatly missed.

Debbie Smith - March 11, 2025 at 01:30 PM