



Marie F. Betz

April 19, 1931 - January 6, 2021

Dateline Jasper, Indiana

Marie F. Betz, age 89, of Jasper, Indiana, formerly of Schnellville, Indiana, passed away at 8:08 a.m. on Wednesday, January 6, 2021, at Legacy Living in Jasper, Indiana.

Marie was born in Schnellville, Indiana, April 19, 1931, to Leonard and Katie (Lueken) Verkamp. She married Eugene "Gene" Betz on June 19, 1954, in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Schnellville, Indiana. He preceded her in death on February 22, 2019.

She was a homemaker and enjoyed working during tax season for Hilary Blessinger and Krueger and Associates.

She was a member of Precious Blood Catholic Church in Jasper, Indiana, and a previous member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Schnellville and Holy Family Catholic Church in Jasper. She, along with her husband, Gene, was a recipient of the Simon Brute Award. She was also a member of the Schnellville Community Center, Schnellville Conservation Club, St. Ann's Society, VFW Auxiliary #673, St. Anthony Legion Auxiliary, and the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Marie had an adventurous spirit as evident by her ride in the Jasper Fire Department Tower 1 Truck, with a 100 foot view, this past fall at the age of 89.

She enjoyed traveling and working in the garden and with her flowers. Volunteering and helping others was dear to her heart. Her favorite past times were playing cards and bingo.

Surviving are three daughters, Debbie Rice (Bill) Friendsville, TN, Judy Baer (Tim), Ireland, IN, and Betty (Steve) Jenkins, Jasper, IN, two sons, Ken (Ginger) Betz, Mooresville, IN and Tom (Jane) Betz, Jasper, IN, 13 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, one sister, Helen Theising, Schnellville, IN, four sister-in-laws, Margaret (Linus) Knies, Jasper, IN, Sr. Lucia Betz, O.S.B., Beech Grove, IN, Frances Schepers, Hopkinsville, KY, Erlene (Bernie) Gehlhausen, Newburgh, IN, two brother-in-laws, Joe (Cyrilla) Betz, Huntingburg, IN, Richard (Loretta) Betz, Dale, IN.

Preceding her in death besides her husband are three sisters, Clara Verkamp, Alice Theising, Bernita Bourke, and two brothers, Joseph and Hubert Verkamp.

A Mass of Christian Burial for Marie F. Betz will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, January 8, 2021, in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Schnellville, Indiana, with burial to follow in the church cemetery. There will be no visitation. Masks and social distancing will be required.

Live streaming will be available on Divine Mercy Catholic Parish's Facebook page.

Memorial contributions may be made to Sacred Heart Cemetery Fund, Schnellville Community Center, or a favorite charity.

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

Cemetery Details

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Cemetery

2504 Walnut Street
Schnellville, IN 47580

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 8. 3:00 PM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
2504 Walnut Street
Schnellville, IN 47580

Tribute Wall



“ *Marie F. Betz*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *So sorry for the lose of your sweet mother.*



Donna Linette - January 07, 2021 at 04:47 PM



“ *Be at peace, Aunt Marie. Thank you for your example of grace and faith.*



Nick Gehlhausen - January 07, 2021 at 03:48 PM



“ *Debbie,
I have pleasant memories of your family during grade school and high school. My condolences to your family.*

Phyllis Hughes - January 07, 2021 at 10:37 AM

PH

“ *Phyllis Hughes lit a candle in memory of Marie F. Betz*



Phyllis Hughes - January 07, 2021 at 10:35 AM

CB

“ *Want to wish all of Marie's family our deepest sympathy and know that we are praying for all at this difficult time... Rest In Peace Marie... Larry and Connie Betz*

connie betz - January 07, 2021 at 09:18 AM

PK

“ *Wishing you peace and comfort during this difficult time. We are so sorry for your loss.*



Pat and Steve Konstant - January 07, 2021 at 07:58 AM

CH

“ *My sincere sympathy and prayers to the entire Betz family. May your mother enjoy eternal rest. Hid bless all of you.*



Chris Bohnert Hinkle - January 07, 2021 at 07:10 AM

KB

“ Spent alot of time at the Betz house and farm during grade school. Close family led by two great parents. Examples for all of us for sure. Condolences to the family.

Kenny & Dani Birk - January 07, 2021 at 06:00 AM

BU

“ Beth And Carl Underwood lit a candle in memory of Marie F. Betz



Beth and Carl Underwood - January 07, 2021 at 03:12 AM

AO

“ Ann Obermeier lit a candle in memory of Marie F. Betz



Ann Obermeier - January 06, 2021 at 11:54 PM

AO

I always enjoyed talking to Marie and Eugene. My deepest sympathy to your family.

Ann Obermeier - January 06, 2021 at 11:56 PM

ER

A tribute to a wonderful sister -in lawThinking of all of you today with Love and Prayers

Erlene - January 08, 2021 at 02:37 PM

BO

“ So many great memories.....Going on picnics, playing games and having so many fun times in the Holy Family area, our trip to Florida, camping at Lincoln just so many good times. Debbie, Kenny, Judy, Betty and Tom my thought and prayers are with all of you and your families. Love, Bonnie

Bonnie - January 06, 2021 at 05:35 PM

RF

Thinking about all the fun we had as kids on our farm in Dubois. Also, at your home in Jasper. Outside games and just fun times. Later, swimming, volley ball, etc at the home in Schnellville. I always enjoyed being with you and your parents. Love you all and am feeling your sadness. May Aunt Marie find peace with the Lord and our mother Mary.

Ruth Fritch - January 06, 2021 at 06:23 PM