



Mary Lou Schmitt

October 30, 1933 - February 15, 2016

Dateline Ireland, Indiana

Mary Lou Schmitt, age 82, of Ireland, Indiana, passed away at 5:57 p.m. on Monday (February 15, 2016) at St. Charles Health Campus in Jasper, Indiana.

Mary Lou was born in Jasper, Indiana on October 30, 1933, to John and Lucille (Schuetter) Schulte. She married Frank E. Schmitt on February 18, 1954 in Kundek Hall of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Jasper.

Mary Lou worked for 24 years as one of the first secretaries for Alvin Ruxer at Jasper Engine Exchange. After a brief time away to start a family, she then worked at Uebelhor and Sons for five years. After her time there, she worked for over 40 years as a secretary/bookkeeper for Mrs. Ruxer and Bob Ruxer at Ruxer Horse Farms.

She was a member of the Jasper High School class of 1951, St. Mary's Catholic Church in Ireland, the St. Ann's Society, and the Jasper D of I.

She enjoyed doing word search puzzles and going on walks. She also loved spending time with her grandchildren, especially her great grandchildren.

Surviving,

Husband,
Frank Schmitt, Ireland, IN
Three sons,
Dean Schmitt, and his wife, Jill, Jasper, IN
Wayne Schmitt, and his wife, Geri, Ireland, IN
Greg Schmitt, and his wife, Kathy, Ireland, IN
10 Grandchildren
Four great grandchildren
One sister,
Frances Ackerman, and her husband, Vince, Jasper, IN
One brother,
Charles Schulte, and his wife Clara Mae, Jasper, IN
Two step-sisters,
Marlene Schmitt, and her husband, Gary, Ireland, IN
Carol "Susie" Sander, Jasper, IN
One sister-in-law,
Mary Catherine Schulte, Jasper, IN

Preceding her in death are two brothers, Bernie and John Schulte, a step-sister, Diane Phillips, and two in-laws, Phyllis Schulte, and Dave Phillips.

Funeral services for Mary Lou Schmitt will be held at 2:00 p.m. on the 62nd wedding anniversary of Frank and Mary Lou, Thursday (February 18, 2016) at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Ireland, with burial to follow in the church cemetery.

Friends may call from 1:00 p.m. until the 2:00 p.m. service time at the church on Thursday.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary's Catholic Church or to a favorite charity.

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

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Catholic Church Cemetery

2829 North 500 West
Jasper, IN 47546
(812) 482-4071

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
2829 N 500 W
Ireland, IN

Mass

FEB 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
2829 N 500 W
Ireland, IN

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Lou Schmitt*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *To the Schmitt Family,
Your wife and mother was a very special lady. Our family has many
fond memories of Mary Lou. We are blessed to have you as
neighbors and friends.
Please accept our sympathies.
Randy and Marie Patton, Wilma Schnarr*

Marie Patton - February 19, 2016 at 01:44 PM

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“ Dear Schmitt Family,

We were so very sorry to hear about Mary Lou's passing. I know what a great loss this must be and want you to know that you have our deepest sympathy.



Mary Lou was an extraordinary lady who loved her family so incredibly much. She always had a warm smile and kind word to share.

Mary Lou & Frank and their three sons were most gracious hosts when our family of only four girls came to visit. My family will ever forget the warmth and kindnesses extended to us.

We regret that we cannot be there to personally convey our sincere condolences, but are still in Sarasota, FL Please know that you are all in our hearts, thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

*Steve & Gerri (Eckerle) Schnaus
West Boggs Lake, Loogootee, IN*

Gerri Schnaus - February 18, 2016 at 03:01 PM



“ *My sympathy to all the family. Will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.*

Nancy Schmitt - February 18, 2016 at 11:21 AM

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“ So sorry for your loss Frank and family. We at Ruxer Farms have MANY fond memories of her. Hugs and prayers.

Paula and Mark Mayo

Paula Mayo - February 17, 2016 at 07:37 PM

CA

“ We send our heartfelt sympathy to all (Schmitt, Schulte, and Jahn Families) while keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers.

Camilla and John Allen

Camilla Allen - February 17, 2016 at 04:43 PM



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“ My Sympathy to Frank and the rest of the Family, Mary Lou was just a sweet and awesome lady and friend of mine..Last time I saw her she and Frank was at a Birthday Party in Ireland at The Sportsman Club, looking GOOD and so Happy.... You will be missed by many people.....Love you Friend.. Barbara Rasche

Barbara Rasche - February 16, 2016 at 01:22 PM