



## Mary Lou Tretter

July 10, 1941 - January 4, 2017

Dateline Celestine, Indiana

Mary Lou Tretter, age 75, of Celestine, Indiana, passed away at 5:15 a.m. on Wednesday (January 4, 2017) at Memorial Hospital and Health Care Center in Jasper, Indiana.

Mary was born in Celestine, Indiana on July 10, 1941, to Leo H. and Veronica (Gadlage) Hoffman. She married Linus Tretter on June 20, 1964 in St. Celestine Catholic Church.

Mary was a graduate of the Academy of the Immaculate Conception in Ferdinand, Indiana.

She was a secretary at the parish office at St. Celestine Catholic Church, and after retirement was a homemaker.

She was a member of St. Isidore Parish - St. Celestine Campus and the St. Ann's Society.

She enjoyed working with flowers, gardening, reading, cooking and spending time with her grandchildren.

Surviving  
Husband,  
Linus Tretter, Celestine, Indiana  
One daughter,  
Denise Schroering, and her husband, Kevin, Celestine, IN  
Three sons,  
Brian Tretter, and his wife, Jill, Huntingburg, IN  
Kevin Tretter, Indianapolis, IN  
Michael Tretter, and his wife, Kelly, Celestine, IN  
10 grandchildren  
Two sisters,  
Eugenia "Jeanie" Rahman, Jasper, IN  
Carol Knies, and her husband, Paul, Jasper, IN  
One brother,  
Alan Hoffman, and his wife, Dana, Jasper, IN  
One brother-in-law,  
Jack Goodman, Celestine, IN

Preceding her in death is one sister, Shirley Goodman.

Funeral services for Mary Lou Tretter will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday (January 10, 2017) at St. Isidore Catholic Church - St. Celestine Campus, with burial to follow in the church cemetery.

Friends may call from 2:00 - 8:00 p.m. on Monday (January 9, 2016) at the Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel in Jasper.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Isidore Parish or to a favorite charity.

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



# Cemetery Details

## St. Celestine Cemetery

6864 Indiana 164  
Celestine, IN 47521

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **9**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Becher & Kluesner Funeral Home - Downtown  
214 East 7th Street  
Jasper, IN 47546  
(812) 482-4141  
email@becherkluesner.com

## Mass

JAN **10**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter Celestine Catholic Church  
6864 East State Road 164  
Celestine, IN 47521

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Lou Tretter*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Familie Ell lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Tretter*



**Familie Ell** - February 13, 2017 at 08:24 AM



“ *Nick Gehlhausen lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Tretter*



**Nick Gehlhausen** - January 13, 2017 at 12:25 PM



“ *Mary Lou worked for my Dad Bill Head and my fondest memory is the big box of Christmas Cookies that she gave our family every Christmas. My thoughts and prayers are with the Tretter family.*

*Jennielu Head Percic*

**Jennielu Head Percic** - January 08, 2017 at 10:29 PM

BK

“ *Betty Koch lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Tretter*



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**Betty Koch** - January 07, 2017 at 07:46 AM

MW

“ *Brian*

*I am sorry to here of your Mothers passing. I know it is hard to lose your parents.*

*Love Mary Ann Williams*

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**Mary Ann Williams** - January 06, 2017 at 05:29 PM

CA

“ *Sorry for your loss. She was a beautiful person. May she rest in peace.*

*Mark and Carol Schroering*

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**Carol** - January 05, 2017 at 11:18 AM

JF

“ *Allen & Dana accept our deepest sympathy. Joseph & Mary Fromme*



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**Joseph & Mary Fromme** - January 05, 2017 at 09:46 AM

JS

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Mrs. Tretter had a sweet smile and was always kind.*

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**joannie Summers** - January 05, 2017 at 09:15 AM

CH

“ *So so sorry... she was a beautiful person*

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**CharlotteStephenson** - January 05, 2017 at 08:52 AM

FA

“ *Tretters,  
I am so sorry about your loss, my deepest condolences to the entire family. I only meet her in person once, but learn so much about her through her son Kevin, of her kindness, compassion and love.  
Sincerely,  
Fernando*

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**Fernando Alcocer** - January 05, 2017 at 07:43 AM