



Clea Anna Helmlinger

September 13, 1935 - January 1, 2018

Clea Anna Helmlinger, 82, of Wapakoneta, died 10:42 a.m., Mon. Jan. 1, 2018, at Cridersville Healthcare Center. She was born Sept. 13, 1935, in Guernsey Co., the daughter of Ralph W. & Margaret May (Myers) Shipman, who preceded her in death. On Aug. 22, 1959, she married Roger W. Helmlinger, and he preceded her in death on Dec. 30, 2000.

Survivors include,

siblings, Willard "Sonny" (Judy) Shipman, Cambridge, OH,

Audrey (Jerry) Dyer, Byesville, OH,

Kenneth "Ken" Shipman, Columbus, OH,

Naomi Konicek, Clutier, IA,

Donald "Gene" (Barbara) Shipman, Antrum, OH,

Edward "Ed" (Eunice) Shipman, Wapakoneta,

numerous nieces & nephews.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Sandy Shipman and sister-in-law, Betty Shipman.

Clea worked in food service with the Ohio State School for the Blind, Columbus, retiring in 1985, after 32 years of service. She was a member of the St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Clay Twp., Auglaize Co. Her hobbies included cooking, reading, and word search puzzles.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m., Fri. Jan. 5, 2018, at the St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Clay Twp., (10424 Geyer Dr.) Wapakoneta, Pastor Bob

Brown officiating. The family will receive friends 6-8 p.m., Thurs. at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, 1102 Lincoln Ave. (St. Rt. 501) Wapakoneta, and 1 hr. prior to the service, Fri. at the church. Burial is to follow in the St. Mark's Lutheran Church Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be directed to the American Kidney Foundation.

Cemetery Details

St. Mark's Lutheran Church Cemetery

Geyer Dr.
Clay Twp.
Wapakoneta, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory
1102 Lincoln Hwy
Wapakoneta, OH 45895
(419) 738-7676
eleyfuneralhome@gmail.com
<https://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com/>

Visitation

JAN 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Clay Twp.
10424 Geyer Dr.
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

Service

JAN 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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