



## Donna Jean Bowden

September 13, 1936 - April 29, 2020

Donna Jean Bowden, 83, of Wapakoneta, died 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 29, 2020, at the Wapakoneta Manor. She was born September 13, 1936, in Wapakoneta, the daughter of Martha Snyder Bowden, who preceded her in death.

Survivors include,

3 nieces and nephews, Tracy (Leza) Spencer, Winchester, Virginia  
Todd Spencer;

Tonya (Eric) Nagel, St. Marys, Ohio

Several great nieces, nephews, great great nieces and great great nephews

She was preceded in death by a sister, Rose Coolidge.

Donna was a secretary for Western & Southern Life Insurance Company, Wapakoneta and Lima. She was a member of the First English Lutheran Church, Wapakoneta, and a 1954 graduate of Blume High School. She enjoyed making crafts for charities.

Private family funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, May 2, 2020, at the Eley Funeral Home & Crematory, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, with Pastor Steve Nelson officiating. Burial is to follow in the Greenlawn Cemetery, Wapakoneta. Memorial contributions may be directed to First English Lutheran Church or State of the Heart Hospice. Condolences may be expressed at [www.eleyfuner](http://www.eleyfuner)

[alhomeandcrematory.com](http://alhomeandcrematory.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Greenlawn Cemetery

Presar Road  
Wapakoneta, OH

# Previous Events

## private service

MAY 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory  
1102 Lincoln Ave.  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895  
eleyfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<http://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com>

# Tribute Wall

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“ On behalf of Blume High School Class of 1954, we send our heartfelt sympathy to all of Donna's family on your loss. We know you have many fond memories and we hope you will be able to dwell on those memories for your peace and comfort. Donna was on our class reunion decorating committee from our 50th class reunion on and even contributed decorations for our 65th reunion on September 7, 2019. She was a dedicated worker.  
*Elizabeth 'Liz' (Headapohl) Miller, Class Reunion Chairperson*

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**Elizabeth 'Liz' (Headapohl) Miller** - May 07, 2020 at 10:37 PM

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“ *Fond memories of Donna from the Western and Southern days. We visited with her a few times while she was at Wapak Manor. A pleasure to have known her.*  
*Frank and Jeannie Dietz*

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**Frank Dietz** - May 02, 2020 at 08:25 PM

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“ *Please accept our sincere condolences.*  
*Gene and Shirley Pohlable*

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**Kenneth Pohlable** - May 02, 2020 at 07:49 PM