



Evelyn F. Jones

August 4, 1943 - October 9, 2023

Evelyn F. Jones, 80, of Wapakoneta, passed away 8:10 a.m., Mon. Oct. 9, 2023, at Lima Memorial Health System, with her family at her side. She was born Aug. 4, 1943, in Hastings, NE, the daughter of the late Harold and Erma (Klawitter) Welch.

Survivors include,

children, William Thomas (Joy) Jones, II, Uniopolis, OH, Monica Jones Marshall and Larry Thomas, Rockford, OH, Laura J. Jones and Ned Kantner, Wapakoneta; grandchildren, Christopher Jones, Matthew (Heather) Jones, Jaclyn Jones, Chandi Marshall, Holden (Bailey) Hengstler, Elizabeth Jones, Misty Rose; great grandchildren, William, Annabelle, Matthew II, Harley, Emma, Huck, Hayes, Bailey, Alexandra, Landon, Aspen, Camry, Gwendolynn, Garrett; sister-in-law, Carol Welch.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Stacie Lynn Jones, and her siblings and spouses, Duane Welch, Barbara (Carl) Cramer, Everett "Smokey" (Waneta) Welch, and former husband, William Thomas Jones.

Evelyn retired from Superior Metal, Wapakoneta, after 25 years of service. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Wapakoneta, and the Wapakoneta YMCA. Her hobbies included knitting, playing bingo at the

Council on Aging, puzzles, reading, and collecting angel memorabilia. She was also babysitter for her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 5:00 p.m., Sat. Oct. 14, 2023, at the Eley Funeral home and Crematory, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, with Pastor Josh Tissot officiating. Burial will be at a later date in the Greenlawn Cemetery, Wapakoneta. The family will receive friends 2-5 p.m., Sat. Oct. 14, at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **14**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *I went to High school with Evelyn, sorry to hear that she has passed away. We graduated together, seen her at our last class reunion. Prayers to the family.*

Diane Talbott - October 14, 2023 at 07:01 PM

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I know I'm late. But just learned of Evelyn's passing. Attended school with her. My condolences to her family.

Sandy Montgomery Blair - February 10, 2024 at 10:35 PM