



## Norma J. Symonds

June 27, 1928 - November 28, 2021

Norma J. Symonds, 93, of Wapakoneta, died at 12:30 p.m., Sun. Nov. 28, 2021, at Vancrest of St. Marys. She was born June 27, 1928, in Sidney, OH, the daughter of the late John & Marjorie (Carper) Smart. On Sept. 25, 1948, she married Richard C. "Dick" Symonds, and he preceded her in death on Aug. 2, 2010.

Survivors include,

4 children, Gloria Verdier, Sidney,  
Wayne Symonds, Cape Coral, FL,  
Gary (Chris) Symonds, Lima,  
Beverly (Joe) Hurlburt, St. Marys;

13 grandchildren & 16 great grandchildren;  
a sister, Phyllis Zimpher, Sidney, OH;  
a brother-in-law, Darrel Symonds, FL;  
a sister-in-law, Phyllis Fitzgerald, GA.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by 2 sons-in-law, Mark Verdier and Steven Zink, a granddaughter, Nicole Christian, and a great granddaughter, Isabella Hernandez, a brother, Jack Smart, and a sister, Carol Harshbarger.

Along with her husband Dick, she owned and operated the Symonds Decorating, Wapakoneta. She was a member of Salem United Methodist Church, Wapakoneta, and a 1946 graduate of Sidney High School. Norma

enjoyed fishing, sewing, coloring, and camping. She also enjoyed playing cards and wintering in Florida.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m., Sat. Dec. 4, 2021, at the Eley Funeral Home & Crematory, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, with Pastors Lynda Lockwood, and her daughter, Beverly Hurlburt officiating. Burial is to follow in the Resthaven Memory Gardens, near Moulton, OH. The family will receive family and friends 2-8 p.m., Fri. at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be directed to the Auglaize Co. Council of Aging, or Salem United Methodist Church. Condolences may be expressed at [www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com](http://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Resthaven Memory Gardens

C.R. 33A  
St. Marys, OH 45885

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 3. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

DEC 4. 10:30 AM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory  
1102 Lincoln Ave.  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Norma J. Symonds.



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“ *May the peace of God's love and comfort wash over you and give you strength of healing through the days to come. Love, hugs, and prayers. Angi Glass*



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**Angi Glass - friend of the family** - November 30, 2021 at 10:29 AM