



## Ruth Ann Koenig

April 22, 1942 - December 14, 2018

Ruth Ann Koenig, 76, of Wapakoneta, died 1:11 p.m., Fri. Dec. 14, 2018, at Mercy Health- St. Rita's Medical Center, Lima. She was born April 22, 1942, in St. Johns, OH, the daughter of Harold F. & Marietta M. (Ruppert) Kinstle, who preceded her in death. On Oct. 13, 1962, she married Kenneth P. "Kenny" Koenig, and he died July 18, 2007.

Survivors include,

2 sons,

Jeffrey (Tina) Koenig, Mechanicsburg, PA,

& John Koenig, Hilliard, OH,

2 grandchildren, Lucas & Sarah Koenig,

siblings, Marilyn Wannemacher & Larry (Betty) Kinstle, both of Lima,

and her four legged friend, Molly.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Harold "Whitey" Kinstle, Jr. and a brother-in-law, Melvin Wannemacher.

A homemaker, Ruthie worked at Lee's Chicken, Wapakoneta. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta. Her other memberships included the Women's Auxiliary of Fraternal Order of the Eagles, Aerie #691 Auxiliary, and the V.F.W. Post #8445, both of Wapakoneta. Ruthie was full of life and delighted in poking fun at everyone. She volunteered for several organizations including bingo at the Eagles for many years. She enjoyed watching sports including tennis and college basketball, and would always

pick the winner after the tournament was over.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Thurs. Dec. 20, 2018, at St. John Catholic Church, Fryburg, OH, with Rev. Jarred Kohn officiating. Burial is to follow in the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery, Wapakoneta. The family will receive family and friends 2-8 p.m., Wed. Dec. 19, at the Eley Funeral Home & Crematory, 1102 Lincoln Ave. (St. Rt. 501) Wapakoneta. Memorial contributions may be directed to the American Heart Assn. or the Auglaize Co. Humane Society.

Condolences may be expressed at [www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com](http://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com).

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Catholic Church

Pearl Street  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **19**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory  
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Wapakoneta, OH 45895  
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<https://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com/>

## Service

DEC **20**. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. John Catholic Church  
Fryburg, OH

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Deb lit a candle in memory of Ruth Ann Koenig*



**deb** - December 17, 2018 at 04:58 PM

DS

“ *David holding her hand at our Auxiliary meeting and her saying real loud. David keep your hands to yourself. Also leaning over and saying I love you but do not tell Barb and listening to her laughter.*

**David and Barb Stiles** - December 15, 2018 at 11:51 PM

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*I am so sorry my dear friend. Words can't even say how much I will miss our talks and laughter. I will always remember those times. I am happy you came into my life and will always miss you. Love you.*

**Tina Schmaltz** - December 16, 2018 at 01:09 PM

MP

*I am so sorry to read of Ruth's death. She was a fun person and much too young to go. May God Bless her and her family.*

**Marilyn Petty** - December 17, 2018 at 08:48 AM