



Shirley Campbell

October 29, 1937 - March 26, 2021

Shirley G. Campbell, 83, of Wapakoneta, died 10:33 p.m., Friday, March 26, 2021, at Mercy Health-St. Rita's Medical Center, Lima. She was born October 29, 1937, in Auglaize Co., the daughter of Stanley & Mary (Gossard) Spencer, who preceded her in death. On December 27, 1959, she married John W. Campbell, and he died December 30, 1981.

Survivors include, a son, Dennis Campbell, Wapakoneta, 2 brothers, Dale (Diane-dec) Spencer, Lima, Bob (Joyce) Spencer, Waynesfield, sister-in-law, Louise Spencer, numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces & great nephews, whom Shirley considered her grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Debbie Campbell, a brother, Ferrell Spencer, and 2 brothers and spouses, Charles (Janet) Spencer and Dwight (Roxie) Spencer.

Shirley worked as a switchboard operator at Lima Telephone Company and Telephone Service Company, Wapakoneta. She later retired from Auglaize Acres. Shirley also did babysitting. She was a 1956 graduate of Waynesfield-Goshen High School. Shirley was a member of Salem United Methodist Church, Wapakoneta, where she helped with funeral dinners and the annual chicken barbecue. She loved sports and was an avid fan of the Wapakoneta Redskins and The Ohio State University Buckeyes.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m., Friday, April 2, 2021, at the Eley Funeral

Home & Crematory, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, with Pastor Lynda Lockwood officiating. Burial is to follow in the Fairmount Cemetery, near Uniopolis, Ohio. The family will receive family and friends 4-8 p.m., Thursday, at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be directed to Salem United Methodist Church or St. Rita's Hospice. Condolences may be expressed at www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com. In keeping with current health guidelines, masks and distancing are required. The funeral service will be live streamed on the funeral home Facebook page.

Cemetery Details

Fairmount Cemetery

Fairmount Road
Uniopolis, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 1. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory
1102 Lincoln Hwy
Wapakoneta, OH 45895
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Service

APR 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ So sorry to hear about your Mom passing away Dennis!! The Manger family are thinking of you!!

Marty Manger - April 05, 2021 at 08:43 AM



“ My deepest sympathy to Shirley' family. She was a wonderful lady and will be missed.

Connie Sidener Pierce - April 03, 2021 at 05:57 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Shirley Campbell.



March 31, 2021 at 09:13 AM



“ Dennis, We are sorry for the loss of your mother. Please accept our sympathy. Mike and Carolyn Harshbarger



Carolyn L Harshbarger - March 30, 2021 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to Dennis and the family, She was an awesome neighbor and will be missed. Mike and Gloria Goudy



Gloria Goudy - March 29, 2021 at 04:00 PM

JW

“ Prayers for Dennis and the family. Shirley has been a good friend for years. I will truly miss her. Janet Winkler

Janet E Winkler - March 29, 2021 at 11:13 AM

SO

“ Thoughts and prayers for Shirley's family. I worked with Shirley at the Lima Telephone Co for several years. She was a wonderful person, just sorry I had lost contact with her.

Sue Kramer - St Marys, Ohio - March 29, 2021 at 12:11 AM