



## Virginia A. Schweitzer

September 9, 1933 - March 28, 2024

Virginia A. Schweitzer, 90, of Wapakoneta, died on Thursday, March 28, 2024, at Liberty Place Memory Care in West Chester, Ohio. She was born September 9, 1933, in Duchouquet Township, Auglaize County, the daughter of Elsie (Duvell) and Leo Gerstner, who preceded her in death. On August 25, 1955, she married Bernard Schweitzer. He passed away on November 17, 2011.

She is survived by a daughter, Karen Frost, of Kettering, Ohio; a son, Bruce (Diane) Schweitzer, of Crescent Springs, Kentucky; a son-in-law, Stephen (Lynda) Brown, of New Albany, Ohio; Six grandchildren: Stephanie (Brett) Boyce, Andrea Brown, Amanda Frost, Bret Schweitzer, Blaine (Sarah) Schweitzer, and Benjamin (Kyle) Jordan. Two great-grandchildren: Phoenix Boyce and Mackenzie Frost.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Joyce (Schweitzer) Brown; grandson, Brian Frost; and a brother, Paul Gerstner.

Virginia retired from the Auglaize County Auditor's Office in 1996. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church and a 1951 graduate of St. Joseph High School, both of Wapakoneta.

She volunteered at St. Joseph Catholic Church where she oversaw the Christmas Giving Tree program for many years; was active in the Stephen Ministry; visited fellow parishioners who were hospitalized; and volunteered at the Fourth of July Festival and bingo for many years. Virginia also volunteered at the Auglaize Acres and the Gardens at Wapakoneta and was an election poll worker. She greatly enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and always brought them cookies when she visited.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 3, 2024, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Wapakoneta, Ohio, with Fr. Sean Wilson officiating. Burial will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery, Wapakoneta.

Friends may call 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, April 2, and 9:30 a.m.-10:15 a.m., Wednesday, at Eley Funeral Home & Crematory, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to St. Joseph Catholic Church or the Alzheimer's Association.

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

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery

Wapakoneta Fisher Road  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895`

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**APR 2.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

**APR 3.** 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
Pearl Street  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

## Burial

APR 3. 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Cemetery  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

# Tribute Wall

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“ Peter Schaefer and family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Virginia A. Schweitzer.



Peter Schaefer and family - April 02, 2024 at 12:59 PM

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“ Karen, Bruce, and family. I'm so sorry to see that you lost your mother/grandmother. She was such a nice lady. I got to know her through your dad. I worked in utility billing for the city so I saw him almost everyday when he came in from reading meters. "Glad you got to see me" was his saying when he'd leave. They were on a couple of the same bus trips we went on too, so my late husband & I enjoyed their company. May God comfort you, now, and always!  
Nancy Ainsworth

Nancy Ainsworth - April 02, 2024 at 10:15 AM

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“ Amy and Steve planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Virginia A. Schweitzer.

Amy and Steve - April 01, 2024 at 08:09 PM

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“ Amy and Steve purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Virginia A. Schweitzer.



Amy and Steve - April 01, 2024 at 08:09 PM



“ Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Virginia A. Schweitzer.



April 01, 2024 at 02:21 PM