



Elissa M. Schwabenbauer

November 21, 1939 - October 16, 2022

Elissa M. "Elsie" Schwabenbauer, 82, of Leeper, passed away peacefully Sunday evening, October 16, 2022 at Highland Oaks at Water Run in Clarion. She was born on November 21, 1939 in Snydersburg; a daughter of the late Albinus and Winifred Schmader Ochs.

Elsie graduated from Saint Joseph Catholic School in Lucinda.

She married the love of her life, Paul J. Schwabenbauer, on August 9, 1958, who survives.

Elsie worked in the cafeteria at North Clarion School District until she retired after 25 years.

She was a member of the Saint Mary's Church in Crown and also volunteered for the Farmington Ambulance Service for many years.

Elsie was the best cook and baker. There was always a pie or goodies on the counter that she would offer you when you walked through the door.

She enjoyed attending many functions for her grandchildren, always putting them first.

Elsie never missed an opportunity to tell her grandson's how extremely handsome they were and her granddaughters loved grandma's tea parties, rock painting, and games of Skippo.

Elsie also enjoyed walking, camping with her friends, and cooking.

She is survived by her husband, Paul of 64 wonderful years; her children, Paula (Wayne) Wolbert, Jeff (Cindy) Schwabenbauer, Marianne (Randy) Beary, Karen (Rusty) Bauer, and Matt (Rochelle) Schwabenbauer; 11

grandchildren, Christine (Ed) Baumcratz, Cory (Kate) Wolbert, Kyle (Sarah) Schwabenbauer, Brooke (Josh) Bauer, Paige (Jeff) Eaton, Nathan (Jackie) Beary, Emily (Justin) Younkings, Ross Bauer, Seth (Mirranda) Bauer, Maggie (Damien) Cherico, and Avari (Chance) Schwabenbauer; and her great grandchildren, Noah, Sydney, and Olivia Baumcratz, Chase, Kree, and Dane Wolbert, Cameron and Connor Beary, and Vivian Bauer, with a granddaughter, Beth, due in November.

Elsie is also survived by her brothers, Dave (Chris) Ochs, Albinus "Bine" (Janet) Ochs, and Mike (Cathy) Ochs; a brother-in-law, John McCloskey; and a sister-in-law, Elaine Ochs; along with several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her daughter, Amy Schwabenbauer; her sisters, Susie Griebel and Joan McCloskey; a brother, Nelson Ochs; and a brother-in-law, Lawrence Griebel.

The Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion is handling the arrangements. Family and friends will be received from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Wednesday, October 19, 2022 at the Saint Mary's Church in Crown where Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 10 a.m. with Rev. James Power, pastor presiding. The family would like to extend a special thank you to the Clarion Forest VNA for their care and compassion that gave Elsie.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made in Elsie's honor to the Clarion Forest VNA, 271 Perkins Road, Clarion, PA 16214.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **19**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Saint Mary's Church
117 Lencer Drive
Leeper, PA 16233

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **19**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LA

“ *Leanne Bruce Aaron lit a candle in memory of Elissa Schwabenbauer*



Leanne & Bruce Aaron - October 19, 2022 at 01:25 PM

JS

“ *Thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. It is the wonderful memories that will help you through.*
Randy & Jill Sharp

Jill & Randy Sharp - October 19, 2022 at 12:24 PM

BL

“ *Betsy Lander lit a candle in memory of Elissa Schwabenbauer*



Betsy Lander - October 19, 2022 at 06:50 AM

RG

“ *So sorry to hear about the loss of one my favorite aunts. She was always kind, loving and lots of memories growing up, plenty of good times at family get togethers over the years and visits with my parents. She will truly be missed and always remembered. My condolences to the family.*
Rod Griebel

Rod Griebel - October 18, 2022 at 07:31 PM

RH

“ *Becoming aware of Elsie’s passing, many fond memories come to mind relative to the years of service she rendered to the North Clarion County School District. Elsie’s service was a true blessing to the school district and a woman with such a personality and infectious smile can only bring back pleasant memories. Our prayers are with her.*
Rod and Rita Hartle

Rod Hartle - October 18, 2022 at 06:15 PM

BG

“ *Please accept my condolences on the passing of Elsie. My thoughts and prayers are with your families during this trying time.*

Bill Guth - October 18, 2022 at 05:09 PM

GN

“ *We are so very sorry to hear about Elsie. She was such a sweet a beautiful woman. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Hugs across the miles.*
Gerry and Jerry Neely family



Geralyn Neely - October 18, 2022 at 10:38 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Elissa M. Schwabenbauer.*



October 18, 2022 at 08:18 AM

DS

“ *Elsie was kind gracious woman. She will be missed by everyone who knew her. I offer my heartfelt condolences to her family.*

Dave Stake - October 18, 2022 at 08:13 AM

RC

“ *We have such wonderful memories of Elsi throughout the years. Her dedication to Farmington Ambulance was outstanding. Her dedication to her family was Amazing and for all to see. She will be truer missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. May God Bless you all. Rod and Terri Cyphert*



Rod and Terri Cyphert - October 18, 2022 at 05:53 AM

DA

“ *She was a very nice lady she will be missed my all . Darcy Fitzgerald*



Darcy - October 17, 2022 at 03:32 PM