



JOANNE KINDER CREEKBAUM

June 3, 1931 - April 1, 2020

CREEKBAUM, Joanne Catherine (Kinder), 88, of Middletown, passed away on Wednesday, April 1, 2020. Joanne was born June 3, 1931 in Middletown, Ohio, to the late Robert and Florence Kinder Richter. Her laughter was contagious, her honesty was unparalleled, and her pies were legendary. She loved her family without limits – but no one more than her lifelong love, Lester. Joanne is survived by her husband of almost 71 years, Lester; two daughters, Leslie Oganowski and Debi Chupka; three grandchildren, Kas (Chris) Oganowski, Kate (Chris) Noelke, and Jacob (Erin) Chupka; and 8 great-grandchildren. Along with her parents, Joanne is preceded in death by her twin sister Joyce and four brothers, Eugene, Jack, Kenny and Joe Kinder. Her husband Lester recalls her as a very good woman and they have had a good life together. He will miss her. A public graveside service will be held Monday, April 6, 2020 at 3:00 p.m. in the Masonic Garden at the Butler County Memorial Park, Trenton, Ohio with Pastor Derek Trenum officiating. Interment will follow. Remember to keep the social distancing between others as required by the State of Ohio. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall



“ JOANNE KINDER CREEKBAUM

September 13, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ I am Robyn, Fran Guylers daughter and Joanne's first cousin. I remember, as a child, being with my mother and Joanne and having so much fun. Joanne's smile and engaging personality lit up every room.

David Kinder told me about Joanne and I am so sorry. You all "hit the jackpot" having her as your wife, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother, AND friend.

Please accept my most sincere sympathy.

Love,
Robyn Smith Dobrozsi

Robyn Dobrozsi - April 06, 2020 at 10:50 AM



“ Our deepest sympathies to Les, Debi and Leslie. She blessed us with her infectious laugh and smile. Wonderful memories of JoAnne and her "Lady Crew" volunteering and decorating our Eagles 528 for many years. They were so Beautiful!

DebbiePelfrey - April 06, 2020 at 06:40 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of JOANNE KINDER CREEKBAUM.*



April 05, 2020 at 01:53 PM



“ *So sad when I heard the news of Joanne's passing. Want to express deepest sympathies to Les, Leslie, and Debi, and all of your family. Sue and Dave Kinder, Ryan Kinder, and Kelly Garver. She was a great lady. Always smiling. 🙏❤️*

Dave Kinder - April 05, 2020 at 12:13 PM



“ *She was a very nice person, always friendly and smiling.*

David Alsip - April 05, 2020 at 09:45 AM



“ *Les,
We are so sorry to hear of Joanne's passing!
You both hold a special place in our hearts!
Todd has missed having you get on him about straitening up and talks about missing you both quite often. Stay strong! You and your family are in our prayers!!*



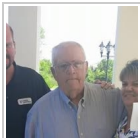
Todd n Holly Johnson - April 05, 2020 at 07:10 AM

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“ Dear Leslie and Kate. I am so sorry. May you find peace in loving remembering.

Sara Sullivan

Sara Sullivan - April 04, 2020 at 11:23 PM



“ NAME CLIFF DYE/SO SORRY TO HEAR THIS/JOANN WORKED THE LOCAL DRUG STORE ACROSS FROM SCHOOL YARD/JOANN USED TO FETCH ME CHERRY COKES,HUSBAND ONE LES INSTRUCTED THIS OLD MAN ABOUT PLAYING BASEBALL AT THE OLD SOUTH SCHOOL/THIS OLD MAN IS PRESENTLY 83,SURE WOULD LOVE TO GO BACK TO THOSE DAY. MY HEART GO'S OUT TO THE FAMILY,BLESSINGS/MAY GOD BLESS THE ENTIRE FAMILY

Cliff Dye - April 04, 2020 at 10:25 PM

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“ Joanne was loved by family, friends, Elder-Beerman co-workers and more. She could be opinionated, had a raucous laugh, was definitely competitive, a terrific cook, and loved her “Let.” Love from Sister-in-Law, Carolyn Bach Kinder and Family 🌸

Carolyn Bach Kinder - April 04, 2020 at 02:47 PM

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Les I am so sorry you lost your loving wife. I didn't know her well but she was always nice and friendly to me when we met. She just made one "FEEL GOOD". Bonnie {Reichter} Forkner

Bonnie - April 22, 2020 at 01:36 PM