



Kareen A Nielsen

March 5, 1932 - June 23, 2023

Kareen A. Nielsen, 91, of North Judson, passed away Friday, June 23, 2023 in LaPorte, IN. She was born to Earl S. Schuyler and Clara Neupert in North Judson, IN on March 5, 1932.

Attending the North Judson schools, Kareen was active in GAA, Student Council, the Pilot and Clarion staff, a drummer in the HS band, and held the lead role for her senior production, "Cinderella Rose". After being raised on the Schuyler Dairy farm, on June 16, 1950, she married Richard W. Nielsen. They became farmers in the Blue Sea Community area where they enjoyed their life together for over 70 years. Kareen joined with area women in the Gingham Pals Home Ec Club.

Kareen was a childhood member of the United Methodist Church and upon marriage, joined St. Peters Lutheran Church where she was active in the Ladies Aid and Mission League. Dick and Kareen were avid Bluejay fans and attended most sports games their entire lives cheering on their children, grandchildren, and even most recently their great grandchildren. She shared her love and collections of antiques with all her family and friends.

Joining the American Oak Preserving Co for over 15 years, Kareen created a variety of prototype samples to present to major craft chain stores and led the design of show booths and the product catalogs for marketing and sales.

Kareen is survived by loving children; Larry (Susan) Nielsen, Linda (Kenneth) Redlin, Kristine Christensen, and Rebecca (Anthony) Cook; beloved grandchildren Genny (Bryan) Hartley, Beth (Rik) O'Halek, Katrina (Alvin)

Harper, Erin (Bryan) Tunis, Nicole (Shane) Hinesley, Clayton (Jennifer) Redlin, Erik (Danielle) Christensen, Justin (Kelly) Nielsen, Evan (Erica) Christensen, Ethan Christensen, David (Kylee) Roessler, Schuyler Cook, Whitney (Eli) Smith, Karsten (Hannah) Cook and Myanna Cook; 27 precious great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, brothers; Stuart Schuyler, Lloyd Schuyler and Paul Schuyler, and sisters; Clara Elizabeth (Schuyler) Cahill and Arlowa (Schuyler) Vorm.

A Celebration of Life will be held for both KAREEN A NIELSEN AND RICHARD W NIELSEN (due to the Covid restrictions are the time of Richard's death) at 2:00 CST at St. Peters Lutheran Church with visitation from 12:00pm CST until the time of service, on Sunday, July 9, 2023. Interment will follow at the Highland Cemetery in North Judson, IN and a meal will follow at the St. Peters Lutheran Church and School.

In Lieu of flowers, a donation may be made to the St. Peters Lutheran Church and School or the Starke County Endowment Fund/ Schuyler Family Endowment Fund (www.nicf.org)

Cemetery Details

Highland Cemetery

SR 10
North Judson, IN

Previous Events

Gathering of Family & Friends

JUL 9. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Saint Peter Lutheran Church
810 W Talmer Avenue
North Judson, IN 46366

Celebration of Life

JUL 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“Karen and Richard were always so kind. They extended their hand to you and were welcoming in every way. It was a privilege to know both of them and to worship with them, when they could. They will be missed by many. God has extended His hand to them now. Tim & Peg Brettin

Peg Brettin - July 06, 2023 at 09:40 PM

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“Carl/sue S. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Karen A Nielsen.

Carl/sue S. - June 30, 2023 at 10:53 AM



“Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Karen A Nielsen.



June 29, 2023 at 11:12 PM



“Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Karen A Nielsen.



June 29, 2023 at 12:30 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Kareen A Nielsen.*



June 29, 2023 at 07:58 AM



“ *To the family of Kareen Nielsen. My late husband Larry and I got to know Kareen and Dick through the State SWCD. They were both very special people and we always enjoyed getting together with them at the State SWCD Meetings. All of you will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Bonnie Strole
Brook, IN*

Bonnie Strole - June 28, 2023 at 08:07 PM



“ *Gloria C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kareen A Nielsen.*

Gloria C. - June 28, 2023 at 06:17 PM



“ *PRAYERS FOR COMFORT TO THE NIELSON FAMILY.*

ALDON JORDAN - June 28, 2023 at 02:36 PM