



## Lucille M. Schaafsma

October 24, 1921 - March 5, 2013

Lucille M. Schaafsma, 91, of St. Anne, passed away Tuesday (March 5, 2013) at her home with her loved ones beside her. Visitation will be from 9 a.m. Friday until the 11 a.m. funeral service at the First Reformed Church of Wichert. Pastor Jim Dykstra will officiate.

Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery, Wichert. Memorials may be made to the First Reformed Church of Wichert, or to Hospice of Kankakee Valley. Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home, St. Anne, is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Schaafsma was a homemaker and worked with the family business. She was born Oct. 24, 1921, in Danforth, the daughter of Martin and Cora Harris Shoup. Her husband, John G. Schaafsma, whom she married July 16, 1939, preceded her in death. She enjoyed yard work, gardening, crocheting and spending time with her family.

Surviving are one son, John Schaafsma, of St. Anne; one daughter and son-in-law, Val and Joe Lagacy, of St. Anne; seven grandchildren, Marty and Maggie Schaafsma, Jenny and Bill Tudor, Joan and Tim Carmical, Jackie and Todd Mitchell, Joe and Tracy Lagacy, Rick Lagacy and Vickie Lagacy; 17 great-grandchildren, Amanda, Katie and Austin Wooldridge, Morgan and Miles Schaafsma, Jessica, Will and Halia Tudor, Connor and Jonas Carmical, James and Devin Mitchell, Jeorge and Juan Smith, Martin and Andrew

Lagacy and Dylan Lagacy; one great-great-grandchild, Landon Smith; one sister, Opal Ohrt, of Kankakee; and several nieces and nephews, including special niece, Linda Seabaugh.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two sisters, Vida Hoekstra and Elsie O'Lena; one daughter-in-law, Bonnie Schaafsma; and one granddaughter, Gina Wooldridge.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

7697 E. 4500 S. Rd.  
Wichert  
St. Anne, IL 60964

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 8. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Reformed Church of Wichert  
St. Anne, IL

## Funeral Service

MAR 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Reformed Church of Wichert  
St. Anne, IL

# Tribute Wall

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“*Lucille will be sadly missed. Some of my fondest memories of her are as child and my family would visit her and John at their home or at my parents home. We always had such fun, laughter, and oh the good food. She made the best peach pie! On one of those visits I let her pull a loose tooth I was afraid to let go of. We laughed and laughed...after I stopped crying. Family reunions are another great memory. She is at peace with our Lord. Let's recall our wonderful memories to comfort us as we mourn her passing.*

*Susan*

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**Susan** - March 08, 2013 at 06:49 AM

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“*If I was to write on here all the memories I had of Lucille, I would be filling this page up. I was with her on all of her last holidays and she has the best family anyone could have ever asked for. I saw Lou the day before she passed and she smiled at me and I know she is not suffering and she is resting in the hands of our Lord. I pray for her family and I will always thank you for letting me be a part of her life; she gave me something that I needed and that was Joy.*

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**Crystal** - March 07, 2013 at 07:46 AM

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*Mrs. Schaafsma was real pleasure to know and down to earth caring person. She was a real treasure and I know she will sorely be missed by all that knew her. My prayers go out to her family and friends. God bless all.*

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**Kay Anderson** - March 07, 2013 at 01:31 PM