



Roscella Katherine Piper

April 16, 1919 - June 24, 2021

Roscella Katherine Piper, age 102, of Herscher and formerly of Bonfield, passed away Thursday, June 24, 2021 at Harvest View in Herscher.

She was born April 16, 1919 in Herscher, the daughter of Henry & Clara Bronner Wesemann.

She married James "Jim" Piper on July 16, 1950 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Herscher. He preceded her in death on August 24, 2003.

Roscella was a member of Grand Prairie United Methodist Church where she taught Sunday School and was active in the Women's Group.

She was a homemaker and also worked with her husband, Jim on the farm and helped with their corn shelling business. She had a large vegetable and fruit garden. Roscella loved her flower garden. Her family enjoyed her love to make pies, especially apple, and cinnamon rolls. She enjoyed visits from her family, especially the little ones.

Surviving are two daughters and two sons-in-law, Donna & Larry Sharper of Bonfield and Ruth & David Laird of Chatham; her grandchildren, Sheila & Jason Kohl of Herscher, Michelle & Jacob Fansler of Bonfield, Brian & Bridgett Laird of Savoy, and LeAnne & Jason Padiak of Germantown Hills; her great-grandchildren, Bianca, Darian and Kaleb Berns, Kelsey and Nolan Fansler, Halie, Allie, and Kade Kohl, Braden and Brock Laird, and Judah, Carter, Cole, and Lily Padiak.

In addition to her husband, Roscella is preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Vernon Wesemann and Raymond "Cap" Wesemann; one sister and

brother-in-law, Marcella & Raymond Schmidt; one infant sister, Adeline Wesemann; and one infant grandson, Michael Sharper.

Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. funeral service on Tuesday, June 29, 2021 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. Rev. Marlin Ludwig will officiate the service.

Private interment will follow.

Memorials may be made to Harvest View Assisted Living, Uplifted Care, or the Herscher Fire Department.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **29**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
1480 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-1214
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Garden Accent Stone - *"Wherever a Beautiful Soul..."* was purchased for the family of Roscella Katherine Piper.



July 02, 2021 at 10:14 PM



“ Marie Pollard lit a candle in memory of Roscella Katherine Piper



Marie Pollard - July 01, 2021 at 08:02 AM



Lovely Roscella

Marie Pollard - July 01, 2021 at 08:03 AM



“ Amy Williams lit a candle in memory of Roscella Katherine Piper



Amy Williams - June 28, 2021 at 06:41 PM

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“ Shelley Chamberlain lit a candle in memory of Roscella Katherine Piper



Shelley Chamberlain - June 28, 2021 at 09:20 AM

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“ Thinking of the Piper Family with deepest sympathy. What a long life. Something to be proud of.
Cynthia Morse Clemans

Cynthia Clemans - June 26, 2021 at 01:20 PM

SU

“ Susan lit a candle in memory of Roscella Katherine Piper



Susan - June 26, 2021 at 10:14 AM

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“ Susan lit a candle in memory of Roscella Katherine Piper



Susan - June 26, 2021 at 10:12 AM

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“ *KathyLott lit a candle in memory of Roscella Katherine Piper*



KathyLott - June 25, 2021 at 12:07 PM