



## Cherie L. Wagnitz

November 20, 1938 - March 18, 2018

Cherie Lewise (Livingston) Wagnitz, 79, of Kearney died Sunday, March 18, 2018 at Good Samaritan Society St. John.

Funeral services will be at 1:00 pm Wednesday, March 21, 2018 at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home. The Reverend Neil Kloppenborg will officiate. Interment will be in the Riverside Cemetery in Gibbon. Visitation will be Wednesday from 12:00 pm until service time.

Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home is serving the family. Condolences may be shared online at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com).

Cherie was born Nov. 20, 1938 to George G. and Viola (Lindenstein) Livingston. She graduated from Gibbon High School and then married Lloyd D. Wagnitz on Sept 30, 1956. Lloyd and Cherie moved to Eustis, NE in 1964 and were members of the United Methodist Church before moving to Kearney in 2006. While living in Eustis, Cherie always had a large garden and canned much of the produce. She also loved flowers and spent time in the yard. She would sew for family and other groups. She cleaned the church and worked at the Eustis Public School. She enjoyed doing crafts, traveling with her husband, being a 4-H leader, an Avon dealer and baking cinnamon rolls and kolaches. Cherie and her husband thoroughly enjoyed sitting down with

family, friends, and all visitors (even UPS carriers) sharing a pot of coffee with fresh baked food and known to sit for hours talking and playing board games.

Survivors of the immediate family include sons and daughters-in-law, Lloyd W. and Susan Wagnitz of Eagle, NE and Keith B. Wagnitz of Gibbon, NE; daughters and sons-in-law, Cynthia and Mike Wolf of Eustis, NE and Janell and Larry Welborn of Omaha, NE.

Also surviving are grandchildren, Sara Rohren and husband, Cory, Rachel Burgess and husband, Chase, Matthew Wagnitz and wife Leslie, Cassandra Wolf, Michael Welborn and wife Amanda, Melissa Stoddard and husband Martin, Keith R. Wagnitz and wife Ashley, Kevin Wagnitz and wife Stacia, Brittanie Bungler and husband Jim, Brian Wagnitz, Robert Wagnitz, Annabell Wagnitz, Samaantha Balderston, Cherakey Wagnitz, and Mavrik Wagnitz; great-grandchildren, Katrina Wolf, Emily Robinson, Miles Robinson, Henry Welborn, Ethan Wagnitz, Karson Wagnitz, Grayson Wagnitz, Peyton Wagnitz, Aidan Borgmann, RayLynn Borgmann, Chyanne Hernandez, Kayden Hernandez, Kynzlie Hernandez, Corey Bungler, Marrae Bungler, Ava Wagnitz, Skylar Balderston, Brynn Balderston, Kolton Shaffer, Abby Samulson, and Jaycee Houser.

Other survivors are sister-in-law Joy Livingston; half-brother-in-laws Gerald Wagnitz and wife Carolina, Ronald Wagnitz; nieces Lorna Livingston, Kathy Chamberlain and husband Jerry, and Courtney Larsen and husband Andrew; nephews George Jeffrey Livingston, Lath Livingston and wife Sharon, Rick Rask and wife LaRayne, David Rask, Bruce Rask, Dr. Jeremy Wagnitz, and Trevor Wagnitz.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lloyd D. Wagnitz; parents, George G. and Viola E. Livingston; father and mother-in-laws, William, Martha and Lena Wagnitz; brother, George W. Livingston; and brother and sister-in-

law Milton & Rosella Rask.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverside Cemetery

45400 85th Road  
Gibbon, NE

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 21. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations  
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## Funeral Service

MAR 21. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Cherie L. Wagnitz*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *1 file added to the album raylynn*



**raylynn borgmann** - March 31, 2021 at 02:50 PM



“ *I love her she was the best grandma*

**raylynn borgmann** - February 22, 2021 at 02:21 PM



“ *Cynthia, we are so sorry to hear about your Mom. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. George & Annette Wolfe*

**Annette Wolfe** - March 26, 2018 at 11:11 AM



*thank she was my granda*

**Raylynn Borgmann** - March 31, 2021 at 02:15 PM



*I am sad*

**Raylynn** - October 12, 2021 at 01:56 PM

MJ

“ To Keith & Ashley. So sorry to hear of Cherie's passing. She was a wonderful lady. My Mom & Cherie use to have good talks at the Grandkids birthday parties. I learned a lot by talking & listening to them. I know they both missed their husbands, so at least they're together again. I know she will be greatly missed, just think of her as watching out for everyone from above. Sincerely, Mike & Mona Jones

Mike & Mona Jones - March 24, 2018 at 04:07 PM

KS

“ What a wonderful neighbor Cherie and her husband Lloyd were many years ago! She always had something yummy to share with us! What a kind sweet lady she was!  
Kathy Smallfoot

Kathy Smallfoot - March 22, 2018 at 02:26 PM

RB

thank you for all of the good comets

raylynn Borgmann - March 31, 2021 at 02:23 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Cherie L. Wagnitz.



March 20, 2018 at 05:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Cherie L. Wagnitz.*



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March 20, 2018 at 02:51 PM



“ *Sandy Hubbard lit a candle in memory of Cherie L. Wagnitz*



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**Sandy Hubbard** - March 20, 2018 at 09:30 AM



“ *Bernie, Karla and Joline purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Cherie L. Wagnitz.*



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**Bernie, Karla and Joline** - March 20, 2018 at 09:29 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Cherie L. Wagnitz.*



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March 20, 2018 at 07:56 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Cherie L. Wagnitz.*



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March 19, 2018 at 10:46 PM



“ *LORNA lit a candle in memory of Cherie L. Wagnitz*



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**LORNA** - March 19, 2018 at 01:04 PM