



Leona M. Snider

November 30, 1943 - October 31, 2024

Leona Snider, 80 of Kearney passed away Thursday, October 31, 2024 at St. Luke's Good Samaritan Home in Kearney. Memorial services will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, November 9, 2024 at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney.

Memorials are suggested to the Kearney Area Animal Shelter or to the American Cancer Society. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Leona was born November 30, 1943 in Orleans, Nebraska to Albert and Clara (Wilken) Fruhling. She was raised near Orleans, NE and attended Long Island High School in Long Island, KS. Leona was united in marriage to Charles Snider on July 23, 1967 in Hildreth, NE. To this union two children were blessed. The couple made their home in York, NE where they co-owned C&L Machine and Engine Works for 42 years. Following their retirement, they moved to Kearney, NE where they first met.

Leona enjoyed painting, crafts, interior decorating and crocheting. Her life revolved around her family, and she always loved getting the family together for different occasions.

Left to cherish her memory are her husband, Charles Snider of Kearney; daughter, Kandi Brown and significant other Kent McConnell of Gibbon; son, Chris (Liz) Snider of Lincoln; grandson, William Brown of Blacksburg, VA; sister, Lorena Ryan of Lincoln; sisters-in-law, Carla Fruhling of Kearney and Sandee Fruhling of Lincoln; as well as many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Leona was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Lloyd, Leland and Larry Fruhling.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Leona M. Snider.*



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“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Leona M. Snider.*



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“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Leona M. Snider.*

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“ *Leona was a wonderful lady. Kind and gentle and considerate of people around her. One thing I know for sure, she loved so much and was fiercely proud of her grandson William.*



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“ *Leona will be so missed. I have such happy memories of spending time in her and Charlie's house as a kid. She was always so sweet and loved to laugh. She was a fun person, a good friend, and I will always be grateful that she was in my life. We both send our love to the whole family. XO Mandy and Henry Kaiser*



Mandy Kaiser - November 01, 2024 at 03:10 PM