



Elizabeth Elaine Harshman

May 25, 1939 - February 19, 2022

Elizabeth Elaine Harshman 82, of Ossian passed away Saturday morning February 19, 2022 at her home surrounded by family. Elaine was born in Jay County Indiana to Donald Argo and Bernice Deloris (Knoelke) Stout. She was a 1957 graduate of Portland High School.

Elaine was a Charter member of the Ossian Volunteer EMT and was a member of the Montpelier Church of the Nazarene.

She worked as a veterinary assistant, worked at Bluffton Rubber, Mix Mill and Denny's Gas Station. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. Elaine was always willing to help in any way possible. She always had a smile on her face. She will be remembered for her response to someone asking her How Are You and she would always say "fat and sassy!!"

On December 29, 1957 at United Brethren Center Church Elaine married Henry LeRoy Harshman. They have shared 64 years of marriage together.

Survivors include her husband Henry LeRoy Harshman of Ossian, Adelbert "Del" Lynn Harshman wife Rebecca of Churubusco, Darwin Edward Harshman wife Juanita of Bryant, and Darol Ray Harshman wife Yelonda of Brownsburg along with 15 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a daughter Diana Renee Fox, and 2 brothers Sam and Lester Stout.

Visitation will be from 4:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. on Wednesday, February 23,

2022 also at the funeral home.

A funeral service to celebrate Elaine's life will be held at 10:30 A.M. Thursday, February 24, 2022 at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton with Pastor Jesse Johnson officiating. Burial will follow in Alberson Cemetery near Geneva.

Memorial may be made to the Montpelier Church of the Nazarene.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the Harshman family at www.thomarich.com.

Cemetery Details

Alberson Cemetery

6950 W 900 S
Geneva, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 23. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Service

FEB 24. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Elizabeth Elaine Harshman*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - March 11, 2022 at 09:44 AM



“ *Elizabeth Elaine Harshman*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *What a lovely lady, seen you more in the last year than ever! Always happy and kind words. My thoughts and prayers for your family.*

Katrina (Curry) Drillien - March 11, 2022 at 09:47 AM



“ *I met her and Leroy at Corner Depot. They were always friendly and sometimes joked with my dad and I. She will be missed by many. Hugs. Prayers*

Linda Fox Bradley - March 11, 2022 at 09:46 AM

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“ A memorial tree was planted in memory of Elizabeth Elaine Harshman.

In loving memory. Thank you for always keeping us a part of the family. We love you. Your Nieces.

Jill Grady and Lisa Toney (Harshman) - March 11, 2022 at 09:46 AM

PR

“ I remember Elaine as being a kind, considerate, good friend. Very caring and a loving mother. My wife Janet and I had some good visits with her and Leroy.

Paul and Janet Resler - March 11, 2022 at 09:46 AM

RR

“ Hello, went to school with Elaine and really liked her parents Thank you for the photo.

Richard L. Rice - March 11, 2022 at 09:46 AM

BK

“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Elaine Harshman by Brad, Tonya Chowning and kids.

Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Brad, Tonya Chowning and kids - March 11, 2022 at 09:45 AM

LR

“ *Dear Hank, I am so sorry to hear about Elaine. I have very fond memories of you two at the REMC Christmas parties. You both were always so friendly and full of smiles. Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Lynnette (Wood) Rohring*

Lynnette (Wood) Rohring - March 11, 2022 at 09:45 AM