



## Elizabeth "Libby" G. Steffen

June 25, 1925 - July 23, 2019

Elizabeth "Libby" G. (Gerber) Steffen, 94, of Bluffton went to be with the Lord, surrounded by her family on Tuesday morning, July 23, 2019 at Christian Care Retirement Community.

She was born on June 25, 1925 in French Township, Adams County, Indiana to Samuel H. & Ida Mae (Baumgartner) Gerber.

Libby graduated from Kirkland High School and was a member of the Apostolic Christian Church.

Elizabeth and LeRoy W. Steffen married on August 24, 1952 at the Apostolic Christian Church in Bluffton. Together they celebrated 57 years of marriage prior to his passing on October 28, 2009.

Survivors include a son Tim (Marlise) Steffen of Bluffton and a daughter Mary (Dean) Lehman of Elkhart, Indiana, along with five grandchildren; Jayde (Abby) Steffen, Jordan Steffen, Adrienne (Braden) Reinhard, Sarah Lehman and Micah Lehman, along with 6 great-grandchildren; Blake, Kyla, Brynn and Hadley Reinhard and Bridget and Paige Steffen.

Libby is also survived by two sisters; Margaret Gerber and Joan Gerber, both of Christian Care.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one son Robin Lee Steffen in 1954.

Calling hours will be held from 2 to 8 P.M. on Thursday (July 25, 2019) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton.

A service to celebrate Libby's life will be held at 10 AM on Friday (July 26, 2019) at the Apostolic Christian Church – North, with calling for one hour prior to the service. Steve Frauhiger and Dan Pfister will officiate. Burial will follow at Apostolic Christian Church Cemetery.

Memorials may be made in Libby's memory to Apostolic Christian Church Charity Fund.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Apostolic Christian Church Cemetery

2001 S 700 W-1  
Bluffton, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 25. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Visitation

JUL 26. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Apostolic Christian Church - North  
700 East Dustman Road  
Bluffton, IN

## Service

JUL 26. 10:00 AM (ET)

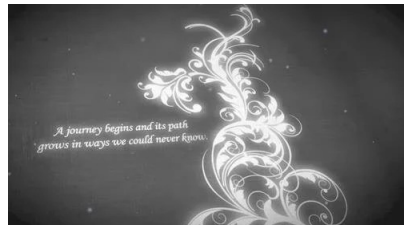
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Elizabeth "Libby" G. Steffen*



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**Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home** - July 25, 2019 at 01:39 PM



“ *Elizabeth "Libby" G. Steffen*

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September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Libby" G. Steffen.*



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July 25, 2019 at 01:15 PM



“ 15 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home** - July 25, 2019 at 09:38 AM



“ *Tim, Marlise and Steffen family, Sending our sympathy to you at this sad time. May God's peace comfort you in the coming days. The Dwight Wilson family (Doris Ann, Valerie and Stan)*

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**Valerie Wilson Jackson** - July 24, 2019 at 10:24 PM



“ *Sincerest condolences to Tim, Marlise & family upon the passing of your mother.*

*-D. Rich-*

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**D. Rich** - July 24, 2019 at 01:37 PM



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**Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home** - July 24, 2019 at 11:43 AM

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**Dian Steffen** - July 23, 2019 at 06:44 PM