



Mrs. Karen Irene (Wittwer) Griffin

June 21, 1945 - June 18, 2015

Karen I. Griffin, age 69, passed away on Thursday, June 18, 2015.

Born June 21, 1945 in Bluffton, Indiana to the late Lee and Irene Tonner Wittwer. She joins her husband Kenneth H. "Kim" Griffin, who passed away July 29, 2013; and her brother Larry Wittwer

She was a graduate of Lancaster High School in the class of 1963. Karen and Kim were members of Powell United Methodist Church, where Karen was the Preschool Director and Teacher, a title she held dear. She enjoyed a busy home; filled with people, love, laughter and good food. Her kindness, generosity, and flare for cooking were legendary.

A loving wife, mom, grandma, sister, aunt and friend, Karen will be missed by all who knew her. To cherish her memory are her loving sons: Kedric (Allison) Griffin, Kylan Griffin and Kele Griffin; her grandchildren, Seraphim, Karina and Levi; nieces and nephews: Jerry Wittwer, Suzi Hahn, Alan Griffin, Cyndi Dawson, Lori Luke and Phillip Griffin, along with their families.

Family will receive friends from 1:30 – 2:00 p.m., Sunday, June 28, 2015 at Powell United Methodist Church, 825 E. Olentangy Street, Powell, 43065 where her Memorial Service will follow at 2:00 pm, that afternoon. Memorial contributions may be made, in her name, to the Powell United Methodist Church Preschool. Burial will take place at a later time at Horeb Cemetery in Uniondale. Local 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.

Cemetery Details

Horeb Cemetery

2785 West US Highway 224
Uniondale, IN 46791

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 28. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Powell United Methodist Church
825 East Olentangy Street
Powell, OH 43065

Service

JUN 28. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Karen Irene (Wittwer) Griffin*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Dear Griffin family, so sad to hear of Karen's passing. She married into the Griffin family that we grew up with in Uniondale. She always had a beautiful smile that still has not left her. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. The Legge family (John and Claudia)*

Claudia (Legge)Thompson - June 28, 2015 at 12:33 PM



“ *We were sorry to read of Karen's passing. We have good memories from several Uniondale families being friends. Always enjoyed the annual Christmas card to recall those past memories. Sincerely Jeff and Sharon Espich*

Jeff & Sharon Espich - June 27, 2015 at 11:58 AM



“ *I was in the LHS band as a twirler with Karen. She was always so "upbeat" and had such a pretty smile! She became a friend when I moved into the community and had difficulty "fitting in" ~ a good hearted lady even as a teen. I'm so sorry for your loss. Sandy Geist Funk*



Sandy Geist Funk - June 24, 2015 at 01:07 AM

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“ So sorry to read of Karen's death. We knew each other many years ago when we were teens around Bluffton! Lots of laughs together ! Cherish your many memories, family!

Barbara Baker Overdeer - June 23, 2015 at 08:40 AM