



Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley

October 20, 1942 - December 7, 2021

Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley 79, of Bluffton passed away Tuesday morning December 7, 2021, at her lake home in Churubusco. Pat was born October 20, 1942, in Fort Wayne to Gustave A. and Ruth A. (Inskeep) Lang.

On October 1, 1965, in Zanesville, Patricia married Jerry L. Brickley. They have shared 56 years of marriage.

Survivors include her husband Jerry L. Brickley, four daughters, Kelly A. Anderson (Mark), Kami A. Kable (Brian), Kara A. Ackley (Steve), and Kyan A. Brickley, eight grandchildren, Kain B. Anderson, Christian L. Anderson, Blade K. Kable (Annie), Cole S. Ackley, Devon M. Coffield, Logan M. Ackley, Stone L. Kable, and Kaden P. Ackley. She is also survived by three brothers, Thomas G. Lang (Monica), Terry L. Lang, and Timothy J. Lang (Linda).

A Memorial service to celebrate Pat's life will be held at 6pm Monday, December 13, 2021 at the Calvary Lutheran Church 1532 North Main Street in Bluffton with Pastor T.J. Lynch officiating. Calling will be from 4pm to 6pm prior to the service also at the church. Memorials may be made to Heart to Heart Hospice or Calvary Lutheran Church.

Burial will take place at Horeb Cemetery in Uniondale at a later date.

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.

Cemetery Details

Horeb Cemetery

2785 West US Highway 224
Uniondale, IN 46791

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 13. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Calvary Lutheran Church
1532 N. Main Street
Bluffton, IN 46714

Memorial Service

DEC 13. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - December 13, 2021 at 10:46 AM




“ *Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Jerry and Family,
I am so sorry to learn of Pat's passing. She was such a fun person. Anytime that I would be doing a program on plants for Master Gardeners, Pat would be there, and we had so many good visits "between bids" at the Adams County Produce and Plant Auctions. I remember telling Pat about the Monarch Butterflies and she attended a program on them and said that she had told Jerry that he should not mow down the milkweeds anymore!*



*Our Son, Scott worked with Pat at K-Mart while he was in high school and he really liked her. Our thoughts are with you all at this time and I cherish the memories of Pat. And remember Jerry, don't you dare mow those milkweeds!!
Marion, BJ and Scott Gray*

BJ Gray - December 13, 2021 at 12:09 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley.



December 12, 2021 at 01:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley.



December 12, 2021 at 08:35 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley.



December 11, 2021 at 06:36 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley.



December 10, 2021 at 03:10 PM

“ Pat was one of six ladies who tried to get together monthly for a time of fellowship, which usually included food! :) We call our group the Yadas. I wrote some thoughts down last Tuesday morning when I got the news. I think this portrays what everyone in our group is feeling, and I hope it signifies the bond that we will always share...

I received word that one of my dearest Yada friends, Pat Brickley, passed away this morning. The last twenty years of my life have been blessed with her friendship! She was an ornery lady who liked to have fun. I loved it when I could make her laugh, which wasn't very hard to do!

Pat could also be very sensitive, and she had a heart of gold! Many times I saw tears in her eyes as someone in our group shared their heartaches. She prayed for us and our concerns, and we did the same for her.

Pat had a strong opinion on some issues, but she knew what she believed, and she stood up for those beliefs. Her faith in God was an important part of her life, and her love for her family and friends was evident.

I don't know why God allowed our paths to cross all those years ago, but I am so thankful! I have a lot of wonderful memories of times shared with Pat, Martha, Joni, Foxy and Catherine!

And so, now there are five. Our times together will never be the same. There will be an empty spot at the table when we get together. The conversations will be a little more quiet, and the laughs a little fewer. But she will always be in our hearts, and she will not be forgotten!

God gave me a forever friend in Pat. I know He has welcomed her into her Heavenly Home with open arms today, and I'm sure she has been made whole again! I'm reminded of the chorus of Kathy Troccoli's song, Goodbye for Now.

"But there will be a time when I'll see your face, and I'll hear your voice, and there we will laugh again. And there will come a day when I'll hold you close, no more tears to cry, 'cause we'll have forever. But I'll say goodbye for now."

I Thessalonians 4:13 - But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope.

Lori Liechty

Lori Liechty - December 10, 2021 at 01:06 PM



“ 126 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Thoma/Rich,Lemler Funeral Home - December 10, 2021 at 01:03 PM

NR

“ Dear Jerry & Family,

I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Pat, my thoughts & prayers are with you. My Mum & Dad (Les & Jackie Richardson - Liverpool, England, UK) used to visit you when they were in Bluffton. Pat worked with my Auntie (Valerie Lydy) in Kmart Bluffton. I know you all had some great times together & my Mum & Dad fondly remembered these times.

I still visit Bluffton to this day to visit the Thompson & Prough Families. They are now our "American Family" with whom we have grown inseparable from. This is all thanks to Richard (Dick) Thompson who was the best of friends with my Auntie Val.

Send you All our Love from across the pond.

Please Take Care & Thinking of you at this sad time.

Neil Richardson, Liverpool, England, UK.

Neil Richardson - December 10, 2021 at 10:25 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley.



December 10, 2021 at 01:51 AM

LH

“ *Laurae Henkle lit a candle in memory of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley*



Laurae Henkle - December 09, 2021 at 07:58 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley.*



December 09, 2021 at 07:19 PM

NG

“ *To Kami, Brian and the entire Brickley family,
Norm and I are very sorry for your loss. We pray for peace and comfort during this very difficult time.*



Norm & Kristi Gould - December 09, 2021 at 02:07 PM

LI

“ *I am so sorry to hear this. I thoroughly enjoyed working with Pat at First Bank of Berne. She was so fun to work with. I also enjoyed her fruit stand. They had so much fun doing this. She will truly be missed. Larry Isch*

Larry Isch - December 09, 2021 at 01:58 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley.*



December 09, 2021 at 12:22 PM



“ *I'm so very sorry to hear about Pat. We had some fun times at Kmart in Bluffton and I will always treasure them. The love she shared with her family and her Kmart family. She was known as "big Pat and I was "little Pat". Sending much love and hugs.*



Pat Mayer - December 09, 2021 at 08:32 AM



“ *Dearest Kami Ann and Family, I am So sorry for your loss. Sending prayers!*

Sincerely, Patty

Patty Ann - December 09, 2021 at 03:49 AM



“ *Patty Ann lit a candle in memory of Patricia L. "Pat" Brickley*



Patty Ann - December 09, 2021 at 03:44 AM

BF

“ I was fortunate to have known Pat my entire life, and am sorry she's not physically here anymore. Pat, " 'Til we meet again."

Brian Falk - December 08, 2021 at 07:11 PM

LW

“ Dear Jerry and Family,
I'm so very sorry to hear of Pat's passing. My heart hurts so bad for all of you. My heart really hurt to have seen my Dear Friend going through her despair. Pat, I called Linda Gordon, and we talked for two hours, about the fun things and times, some that you didn't tell your girls, that we had. Remember dressing up in our Sunday go meetin' clothes and in our high heels shoes, that we could hardly walk in and that hurt our feet. We went to dinner then to the Clyde Theater, to a movie. When we got to the car the shoes came off. Oh yeah, we we're so cool man. Senior trip, mercy. When we we're young, the town had a curfew, 10:00PM. Well, we we're at a slumber party at Rita Powell's house. So we all decided to go down to the police station, in our baby doll PJs, and wait for the 10:00 siren to go off, and then take off for Rita's house, kinda in all different directions. Mr. Lambert, the policeman, knew everyone of us, just shook his head, and made sure we got to our destination safe and sound. We had a great class, best in CHS history, well, duh, right.
Pat, thanks for being my friend. I hope they have sock hops in heaven.
Love you Patricia Lou.

Linda Wierschke - December 07, 2021 at 06:06 PM