



Peggy S. Graft

June 27, 1950 - July 14, 2023

Peggy Sue Graft, 73, of Bluffton, passed away on Friday afternoon, July 14, 2023, at Christian Care Retirement Community.

She was born on June 27, 1950, in Fort Wayne, Indiana to Donald & Betty (Hall) Nyffeler. A 1968 graduate of Norwell High School, Peggy worked at the City of Bluffton Utilities Office, Almco Steel Products and retired in 2015, as the property manager for Bluffton Sr. Villa's. She was an active member of the local Red Hat Society.

On March 19, 1971, at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Peggy and Leonard Graft were married.

Survivors include her husband, Leonard Graft of Bluffton and two children: Eric (Nikki) Graft of Bluffton and Andrea (Jay) Garrett of Markle. She was a loving grandma to 7 grandchildren: Teyler (Blake) Benton, Kaden Graft, Emerson Graft, Ryland Graft, Tessa Garrett, Cohen Garrett, and Libby Garrett.

Peggy is also survived by a brother, Dean (Medelaine) Nyffeler of Utah and a sister, Beth (Randy) Merriman of Decatur.

She is preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services will take place at 6 P.M. on Tuesday (July 18, 2023) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton with Barry Crosbie officiating. Visitation will be held from 3 P.M. to 6 P.M. on Tuesday, prior to the funeral service.

Burial will take place at a later date at the New Castle Columbarium located at

Elm Grove Cemetery.

Memorials may be made in Peggy's memory to Cancer Services of Northeast Indiana.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the Lemler family of Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can share memories and online condolences with the Graft family at www.thomarich.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 18. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

JUL 18. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AS

“ Dear Len and family, we in Texas mourn Peggy with you. Her sense of humor and kindness were beyond comparison. I will never forget the series of emails she wrote describing her work at the police dept, right? What an wonderful soul. Anngail and Paul

Anngail Smith - July 19, 2023 at 09:47 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Peggy S. Graft.



July 17, 2023 at 07:41 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Peggy S. Graft.



July 17, 2023 at 06:57 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Peggy S. Graft.



July 17, 2023 at 10:48 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Peggy S. Graft.



July 16, 2023 at 02:57 PM



“ Leonard I am so sorry for you loss. I remember the wonderful block parties we had playing ball in the field behind your house and in other west side of Meadow Lane homes. We had great cookouts, fun times and well... keg parties! Peggy was a wonderful friend. My prayers are with you and your family....Carol Springer Myers



Carol Myers - July 16, 2023 at 09:52 AM



“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Peggy was a sweet lady who loved life and others ❤️!



Allan and Sandy Graft - July 15, 2023 at 09:55 PM



“ So sorry to see of Peggy's passing we enjoyed our times with her and Leonard when coaching youth baseball with Leonard thoughts and prayers for all of you
Perry and Susan Lesh

Perry Lesh - July 15, 2023 at 05:11 PM

DG

“ So sorry to learn of Peg's passing. Peg was a wonderful person. I came to know Peg when she worked in the Utilities office and I worked for the police dept. We also talked when we were attending our kids sporting events and the past few years during our grandkids events. Peg will be truly missed. The Graft family will be in our prayers. Dan and Darlene Gerdom



Dan Gerdom - July 15, 2023 at 04:14 PM



So sorry for your loss Leonard, praying for your comfort and healing.
Bob Bothast

Bob Bothast - July 17, 2023 at 06:37 PM

CW

“ Oh wow I'm so sorry Leonard and family, Peggy was a sweet lady and will be missed by many. Prayers to all the family.



Connie Warner - July 15, 2023 at 03:07 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Peggy S. Graft.

July 15, 2023 at 12:30 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Peggy S. Graft.*



July 15, 2023 at 12:30 PM



“ *My heart is saddened by the loss of my good friend Peggy. I will always remember the many fun times together and the family vacations. I'm sure Jeff is showing her the shortcut around heaven. Love and prayers to Leonard, Eric, and Andrea.*

Marilyn Langley - July 15, 2023 at 07:44 AM