



Myrtle Kuehnert

October 7, 1926 - July 13, 2021

Myrtle V. Kuehnert, 94, of Altenburg, Missouri passed into the Saviors loving arms Tuesday, July 13, 2021 at her home surrounded by her family.

She was born at home October 7, 1926 on the Schilling family farm near Altenburg to Rudolph and Clara (Loebs) Schilling, the oldest of seven children.

On April 6, 1947, Easter Sunday, she married O. Ernest Kuehnert at Trinity Lutheran Church in Altenburg. He died October 25, 1994.

To this union four daughters were born, Carmen, Barbara, Colleen and Carolyn.

Myrtle had a deep love and trust in the Lord and was a lifelong member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Altenburg, a member of LWML, a Sunday School teacher and began a tape ministry to Shut-Ins. She had a servants heart, always willing to help those in need, sending cards, food and visiting Shut-Ins. She valued education and because of being needed at home at a young age, was able to earn her GED in later years. She instilled this love of learning in her children and grandchildren. She loved gardening, watching birds and tending flowers, but most of all spending time with family and friends. For many years she was a member of "The Bucket Brigade" doing housekeeping

for several Cape Girardeau families who became part of her extended family.

Survivors include four daughters, Carmen (John) Bramstedt of Wisconsin Rapids, WI, Barbara (Richard) Seibel of Altenburg, MO, Colleen (Vaughn) Steffens of Frohna, MO, Carolyn (Tim) Wandling of Arnold, MO; two brothers, Melvin (Mary) Schilling of Frohna, MO, Harry (Deb) Schilling of Jackson, MO; a sister, Lorene (Leonard) Haertling of Nashville, IL; eight grandchildren, Jeff (Robin) Bramstedt of San Diego, Seth Bramstedt of Altenburg, Robyn (Todd) Bess of Marquand, Holly (Andy) Brewer of Perryville, Luke (Megan) Seibel of Milford, NE, Angela (Brad) Sutterer of St. Louis, John (Sara) Steffens of Frohna, Bethany (Brandon) Davis of Jackson; two step- grandchildren, Heather McKire and Samantha Wandling; 15 great-grandchildren Micah, Sam, Annie, Adrian, Christian, Cayden, Madison, Trevor, Kailey, Landon, Harper, Havyn, Macy, Isabella, Clara and two great-grandsons expected later this year; eight step-great-grandchildren, Colin, Hailey, Helen, Heidi, Ronyanne, Ke'von, Maurice III and Maursamuel; and three great-great-grandchildren, Cameron, Shiloh and Reign.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; a sister, Lillian Fiehler; and two brothers, Leonard and Raymond Schilling.

Visitation will be 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Sunday, July 18, 2021 and 6:30 am to 8:15 am on Monday, July 19, 2021 at Ford and Young East Perry Chapel in Altenburg.

Funeral Service will be at 10:00 am Monday, July 19, 2021 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Altenburg with the Rev. Steven Dressler and Rev. Matthew Schilling co-officiating.

Burial will be at Trinity Lutheran Church Cemetery in Altenburg.

Memorial contributions are preferred to Trinity Lutheran Church in Altenburg, the Lutheran Hour Ministries and the Lutheran Heritage Museum in Altenburg.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandyoungfuneralhome.com.

Ford and Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Trinity Lutheran Church Cemetery - Altenburg

Altenburg, MO 63732

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Young East Perry Chapel
7961 E. Main St.
Altenburg, MO 63732

Visitation

JUL 19. 6:30 AM - 8:15 AM (CT)

Ford and Young East Perry Chapel
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Altenburg, MO 63732

Mass

JUL 19. 10:00 AM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church
57 Church St.
Altenburg, MO 63732

Tribute Wall



“ *Myrtle Kuehnert*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Myrtle Kuehnert*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *I grew up with Myrtle and always looked forward to her visits to our house. My condolences to her family. 30+ years later I still consider her family. Her lasting impression on us all will keep her memories strong even as she looks down from above. Love you Myrtle!!!*

William Thorpe II - July 17, 2021 at 04:07 PM



“ *Remembering her makes me smile. She was always so kind and friendly. May sweet memories comfort everyone who loved her.*

Kathy Palisch Berkbigler - July 16, 2021 at 02:33 PM



“ *The Jim Kuehnert / Kathy Wahler Families purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Myrtle Kuehnert.*



The Jim Kuehnert / Kathy Wahler Families - July 16, 2021 at 12:43 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Myrtle Kuehnert.



July 16, 2021 at 12:28 PM



“ What a kind, wonderful and loving soul. Growing up in Altenburg, she and Ernst never missed a birthday or family gathering of ours. Such great memories around the dinner table and kitchen, with all that German-speaking dialogue and inevitable laughter to follow. 😊 She always remembered our birthdays, had wonderful homemade coffee cake and treats for special events, and a hug and kiss on the cheek when we said goodbye. She will be dearly missed, but so happy that she is with her risen Lord, and reunited with her loving husband and family. Sympathy, prayers and comfort for the daughters and family left behind.

-Jim Kuehnert and Kathy Kuehnert Wahler (and Families)

Jim Kuehnert - July 16, 2021 at 12:18 PM



“ What a wonderful lady to know. Prayers to the family .

Darlene Bachmann - July 16, 2021 at 10:17 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Myrtle Kuehnert.*



July 15, 2021 at 08:06 PM



“ *She was a great lady and a good example. God's Blessing to her family. You will met her in Heaven.*

Sharon S Haertling-Rosenberg - July 15, 2021 at 06:37 PM



“ *Bob & Liz (Kuehnert) Lowry purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Myrtle Kuehnert.*



Bob & Liz (Kuehnert) Lowry - July 15, 2021 at 06:00 PM



“ *Love and prayers and many fond memories from Viola Theiss' family. God is with you during this time. We love how you wrote the obituary. She is sharing her love of our Lord through you. Thank you.*

Nancy Theiss Ponivas - July 15, 2021 at 03:29 PM



Myrtle was a caring Sunday School teacher for our Sarah and she always remembered Sarah when we met years later. God's blessings to all the family. Bob and Carol Kassel

Bob Kassel - July 16, 2021 at 09:46 AM