



## Shirley J. Anderson

November 16, 1934 - October 12, 2014

Walkerton - Shirley Jean Anderson, 79, passed away Sunday, October 12, 2014 in Millers Merry Manor, LaPorte, IN after a long illness with heart disease.

Shirley was born in Barron, WI to John and Frances Zulliger. She moved to the Walkerton area as a youngster.

On June 27, 1953, she married Dean Anderson, who preceded her in death. She was also preceded in death by her parents; one son, Stephen Anderson; and one sister, Gloria Pascasio.

Surviving her are two sons, Keith (Kay) Anderson and Todd (Teri) Anderson, all of Walkerton; grandchildren, Kyle (Jennifer) Anderson of Walkerton, Vanessa Anderson of Indianapolis, Jordan Anderson, and Victoria Anderson, both of Walkerton; one great-grandchild, Elliott Anderson; two brothers, John (Sonny) Zulliger of Fish Lake and Jim Zulliger of Walkerton; and one sister, Barbara Byous of Pensacola, FL.

Shirley started working as a young girl at the Walkerton Dairy Bar. Upon graduating from Walkerton High School, she went to work for Bendix Corporation. After leaving Bendix, she worked for LaPorte Production Credit, later called Farm Credit Services. She worked many years before choosing to work part-time for the LaPorte County Fair Association. While pursuing her career, she also worked with her husband, Dean, to establish the family farm. She was a member of the Walkerton United Methodist Church and the Eastern Star. She was very active in the Johnson Township farming

community. She was elected to the John Glenn School Board, where she fought very hard to represent the views of her community. She also assisted her husband, Dean, while he was the township trustee.

Her number one love was her family, especially at Christmas time with all of her Santas as decorations. She was an avid bowler with many trophies to her credit. She always kept busy cooking, canning, and gardening. Later in life, she loved listening to her Gospel music.

Private services will be held at the Rannells Funeral Home, Koontz Lake Chapel. Memorial contributions may be given to the Walkerton United Methodist Church.

# Tribute Wall

LB

“ So sorry to hear of your moms passing. Doug and I send our condolences to all of you. Prayers to ease your sorrow.

Laura Brovold - April 29, 2018 at 07:16 PM

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“ Our sincere sympathy to all the family for the loss of your loved one. We know she will be cherished in all your good memories. Sending blessings, Richard & Anna Anderson & family

Anna Anderson - April 29, 2018 at 07:16 PM

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“ Grandma-  
I wish I would have gotten the chance to have you be a part in my life. Thank you for coming and seeing me the day my mother had me and for bringing her the flowers. My mom said you rocked me and your cried. I would have loved to have a relationship with you but I understand that Todd and his father were forbidding you to have anything to do with me and my mom and by the time my mom revealed to me who my biological father was, I didnt know what to do. Im sorry that I have missed my chance to at least just give you a hug and let you see the woman that I have become. You have 4 great grand children. Two girls and Identical boys. Sadly they dont have their dad either. growing up with out your father for a little girl destroys her heart and all of her self worth. I just want to thank you for what you did for my mother and I want to thank you for holding me and for knowing that I was your grand baby. I will see you one day in heaven. Rest in peace grandma.

Rachel Beerwart - April 29, 2018 at 07:16 PM