



Bertha Ann Schnurbusch Unterreiner

February 18, 2015

Bertha Ann Schnurbusch Unterreiner of Cape Girardeau died February 18, 2015 at her home in Cape Girardeau surrounded by family. She was born November 4th, 1915 in Old Appleton, Missouri to Joseph F. and Helen Ponder Schnurbusch. She and Clemens Unterreiner were married September 10, 1943 in Pasadena, California. He preceded her in death on February 18th 1965. In her younger years she worked at Western Union in Chicago, Illinois and Los Angeles, California. Later in life she worked part-time at Cape Answering Service in Cape Girardeau. She was a volunteer at St. Francis Medical Center Ladies Auxiliary for many years. She was a member of St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church. Survivors include four sons, Charles (Donna) Unterreiner and Ronald (Donna) Unterreiner both of St. Louis, Wayne (Jane) Unterreiner and Steve (Debra) Unterreiner of Cape Girardeau; one daughter, Jane (Ray) Mrozewski of St. Louis; two brothers, William Schnurbusch of St. Louis, and Ruben Schnurbusch of Old Appleton; one sister, Betty Rellergert of St. Louis; nineteen grandchildren and twenty great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Barbara Unterreiner Stern, her parents and seven brothers and one sister. Friends may call 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Friday, February 20, 2015 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau. Parish prayers will be at 7:00 PM. Funeral mass will be at 10:00 AM Saturday, February 21, 2015 at St. Vincent DePaul Catholic Church in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. David Hulshof officiating. Burial will be at St. Mary Cemetery in Cape Girardeau. Memorials may be

made to St. Vincent De Paul Church, Notre Dame High School or to a charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall

EM

“ Please know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers. You were blessed to have such a wonderful mother. God bless you all.

Ed & Nancy (Davis) Myers - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Dear Unterreiner Family, my brother informed me of your mom's passing. I'll always remember her kindness when I lived at your house. Please know that I will keep all of you in my prayers. She was a wonderful woman.

Mary Gagnepain Gibbar - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Charles, This is an old friend from St. Vincent's school, Susan Montgomery. I was sad to read of your mother's passing, but what a wonderful long life she had. You were most fortunate to have her for so many years. I often think of my grade school friends and wish we could get together. I have many fond memories. I am offering prayers for you and your family as you go through the healing process. A Mother is always as near as our hearts.

Susan Montgomery Smith - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ Ron & Donna, we want to send our love to you and your wonderful family. You both were so amazing at my Mom's passing - we wish we could be there. We are there in spirit. Love & peace, Kim & Cathy

Cathy & Kim Richter - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WG

“ Harold just told me about Bertha's passing. Cath and I send our sympathy to all of you. Had I known yesterday, we would have come down to see everyone. All of you will be in our prayers.

Woody/Cathy Gagnepain - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HH

“ I talked with my mom this morning and she informed me of Berths's passing. I am so sorry to hear this. She was a very kind and gentle lady. The 4 years I lived in the basement while in college we some great times. They were made more so by her kindness. I don't know if I ever heard her raise her voice. What a great lady! All my best to each of you and your families. Blessings on you all and may she rest in peace. Harold

Harold Hagan - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I'm sure you are comforted by your memories and the love you shared with your sweet Mom. God bless you!

Brenda Howe Speidel - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ To the Unterreiner family, please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your mother. She was a lovely lady. My prayers will be with you.

Rick Geringer - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ Prayers for Bertha & her family. When I think of Bertha, I think of all the hams she baked for the many bereavement dinners at St Vincent's for so many years. What a caring person she was and what a joy to work with her. Lou Flood

Lou Flood - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ Thinking of all the good memories of you and your family... over the years... what a strong woman your mom was... what a testament of your love for her that you took special care of her when she needed you!!!!

Andrea Rigdon Seabaugh - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ I am truly regretful that I am unable to visit with you and your families on the loss of your Mother, Bertha. She was a truly amazing lady and was a good friend to my Mother. They attended Adoration Hour at St. Francis many Wednesday afternoons. God's many blessings on this time of great loss. Lorelei

Lorelei Jones (Schwartz) - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Dear Unterreiner Family, I join you in celebrating Bert's long and fruitful life. She was a great cook, nurturing mother and all around lovely lady. I knew her for some 50 years or more and always admired her strength of character. I know she will be missed but she leaves an enduring legacy. Love to you all.

Diane Wulfers Hinchey - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ So sorry for your loss, Donna and Sarah. What a wonderful long life!

Mary Ellen Kopsas - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TN

“ Ron and Family, you have my condolence and prayers.

Tim Nenninger - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ Donna and Family, I am sorry for your loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Alicia Landers - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Dear Steve and Debra -- we're so sorry for your loss. I know she must have been a wonderful woman and mother. Steve, I smiled while reading her obituary -- what an incredible life she lived. Ninety-nine years, 4 sons, 19 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren -- quite a legacy. Blessings to you all.

Cheryl and Mark Milde - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ My Prayers are with the family ,Bertha was just such a good person she will be missed greatly

Charlie & Vickie Tallman - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ We are thinking of the family.

LeRoy & Corena Berkbigler - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM