



LaVerne Markert

July 29, 1935 - April 27, 2024

LaVerne Markert, 88, of Tallula, passed away on April 27, 2024. LaVerne was born in Petersburg on July 29, 1935, the daughter of the late Willy and Mae Weidhuner. LaVerne married Fred Markert on August 28, 1981, at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Petersburg.

LaVerne is survived by her husband Fred; her son Wil Baum (Jenny) of Greenview, son Doug Baum (Tammy) of Kannapolis, NC, daughter Julie Moeller (Rich) of Lee's Summit, MO; sisters Louetta Collins and Loretta Meyer; 6 grandchildren: Jeremy Baum, JD Baum, Nicole Wernette, Melissa Moeller, John Moeller, Zach Moeller; and 4 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her brother, Richard Weidhuner.

LaVerne was a member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church where she played the organ, sang in the choir and taught Sunday School for many years. LaVerne enjoyed reading and quilting.

Visitation will be at 10:00 am on Saturday, May 4, 2024, at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 120 W. Monroe Street, Petersburg, with Funeral Services at 11:00 am. Pastor Jeffrey Gross will be officiating. Interment will immediately follow at Rose Hill Cemetery in Petersburg.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in LaVerne's name to

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Concordia Village Scholarship Fund or donors' choice.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg is assisting LaVerne's family with final arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Rose Hill Cemetery

IL-123
Petersburg, IL 62675
(217) 632-3022

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 4. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Petersburg, IL 62675
(217) 632-2453

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Tribute Wall

RW

“ Willy's sister Amanda was my great grandmother. I was very young but remember all of them well in Petersburg. I am sorry for your loss. Robin Walls robwalls1995@gmail.com

Robin Walls - March 07, 2025 at 06:01 PM

LH

“ Larry Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of LaVerne Markert



Larry and Mary Hundt - May 01, 2024 at 08:40 AM

LF

“ Loretta Meyer and family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of LaVerne Markert.



Loretta Meyer and family - April 30, 2024 at 05:58 PM

LF

“ Loretta Meyer and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of LaVerne Markert.

Loretta Meyer and family - April 30, 2024 at 05:58 PM

RS

“ *Ron Susie Sanert lit a candle in memory of
LaVerne Markert*



Ron & Susie Sanert - April 30, 2024 at 02:31 PM