



Dorothy E. Snyder

April 1, 1924 - October 6, 2019

Dorothy E. Snyder, cherished wife, loving mother, grandmother and great grandmother, age 95 of Traverse City passed away on Sunday, October 6, 2019 at her home.

Dorothy was born April 1, 1924 in Fife Lake, Michigan to the late William and Lula (Gonyer) Timmins.

On February 25, 1941 she married Wilbur E. Snyder of Fife Lake, MI. Together they raised six children.

Dorothy loved to garden and canned many vegetables and fruits over the years. She was employed at Burwood Products of Traverse City for 10 years. She also worked in the canning factories and took care of elderly people at her home. She loved baking, and preparing homemade meals for her family.

Her greatest joy was sharing time with her children and grandchildren. She always loved working in her flowers and vegetable garden. She loved music and going to dances.

She will be greatly missed and loved by her family and friends.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her parents William and Lula (Gonyer) Timmins, husband Wilbur Snyder Sr., and sons Wilbur Snyder Jr. and Richard L. Snyder. By two sisters, Pearl Wurm and Lucille Warner Snyder and three brothers, Cleo, Roy, and Richard Timmins.

She is survived by daughters Bonnie Kinder and Connie Kirsch, sons William (Karen) Snyder and Michael (Shiela) Snyder, all of Traverse City. Also 12 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, and 5 great-great grandchildren, several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Friends are welcome to visit with Dorothy's family from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 9, 2019 at the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home, 305 Sixth Street, Traverse City,

MI 49684. The family will pray the Rosary at 7:00 p.m.

A funeral service honoring Dorothy will take place at 11:00 a.m., with visitation at 10:00 a.m., on Thursday, October 10, 2019 at the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home. Deacon Rene Hoenscheid will officiate.

Memorial donations can be made to the American Cancer Society.

Please feel free to share your thoughts and memories with Dorothy's family at her tribute page at www.reynolds-jonkhoff.com.

Dorothy and her family are in the care of the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

Cemetery

Grand Traverse Memorial Gardens

3575 Veterans Drive

Traverse City, MI, 49684

Events

OCT 9 **Visitation** 04:00PM - 07:00PM
Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral
305 Sixth St, Traverse City, MI, US, 49684

OCT 9 **Rosary** 07:00PM
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OCT 10 **Visitation** 10:00AM
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OCT 10 **Funeral Service** 11:00AM
Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral
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Comments



“ An external video has been added.



Reynolds Jonkhoff Funeral Home & Cremation Services - October 13 at 08:45 PM



“ I grew up less than a block away from her house. She was always very nice to me and had a big hello every time I was around seeing her boys. I consider her to be a mom to all the kids in the neighborhood and a gentle person . I hope she runs into my Mom in heaven and they can remember the old neighborhood together .

Dave Coates - October 14 at 08:30 AM



“ To the family, I am so sorry for your loss.
Losing a loved one is very hard. She may be gone, but memories and her love will never fade. You all have each other, family will get you thru. I am not here, but please know I am thinking of everyone.
Pam Warner



Pam Warner - October 10 at 07:54 AM



“ Michelle lit a candle in memory of Dorothy E. Snyder



Michelle - October 08 at 10:23 PM



“ Grandma. I feel so fortunate to have had the relationship we did for the last 45 years. I love your GREAT BIG HEART. I love u Gram.

Michelle - October 08 at 10:32 PM



“ Lajuana Franken lit a candle in memory of Dorothy E. Snyder



Lajuana Franken - October 08 at 09:22 PM



“ SO very sorry for the whole family. She loved and was so proud of all of you. She had a smile that lite up a room and a sparkle in her beautiful eyes. She loved to have company, and always welcomed me, whenever I stopped. I know how much she was loved, and I was one of those lucky people who got to love her, and her family. God bless

Lajuana - October 08 at 09:36 PM



“ Best mom ever. Kindest heart of anyone I've ever known Miss you mamma Big Hugs Forever Your son Bill You are loved by everyone

Bill Snyder - October 08 at 09:06 AM



“ Grandma was full of love for her family and she always made is feel so loved with hugs, kisses and was so interested in all you did. I always loved holidays with grandma and the family. She cooked everything by hand and it was so amazing. I loved how silly she was too. Laughing with grandma and hearing her giggle just warmed your heart. I love you grandma and thank you for caring so very much about our family. You were a wonderful grandma.

Tess - October 08 at 11:04 AM