



## Florentina Pfettscher

February 12, 1929 - January 27, 2023

Florentina F. Pfettscher, 93, of Evansville, passed away Friday, January 27, 2023 at the Linda E. White Hospice House.

Florentina was born February 12, 1929 in Evansville to the late Edward and Justina (Kiesel) Weiss. She worked at the Old Mill restaurant of over 20 years and also at Bristol Myers. Florentina was a longtime, devoted member of Resurrection Catholic Church and was inducted into the Brute Society in 2008 and was a member of the Quilter's Club. She was also a proud member of VFW Post #1114 Ladies Auxiliary and the Ladies of Charity.

Surviving Florentina are two daughters, Mary Sue (Michael) Reese and Julie Lee (Dale) Barton; one son, John Pfettscher; a sister, Marie Gumbel; eleven grandchildren and seventeen great grandchildren. Along with her late husband Jack, Florentina helped raise many foster children, they include Francis Skelton, Patricia Tolliver, Terri Devine, Arthur Skelton and Berta Kares.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Jack Pfettscher in 2002; by a son, Steven Ray, a great granddaughter, Trinity Hall and a sister, Alvina Schneider and by brothers, Leroy, Anthony and Henry Weiss.

There will be a Mass of Christian Burial held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, February 1, 2023, Rev. Jerry Pratt officiating. Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Friends may visit with the family from 4:00 until 7:00 PM on Tuesday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street and from 10:30 AM until service time on Wednesday at Resurrection Catholic Church, 5301 New Harmony Road, Evansville, IN 47720.

Memorial contributions may be made to Resurrection Catholic Church or the Ladies of Charity.

Condolences may be made online at [www.pierrefuneralhome.com](http://www.pierrefuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Memorial Park Cemetery

2200 Mesker Park Drive  
Evansville, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 31. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home  
2601 West Franklin Street  
Evansville, IN 47712  
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## **Mass of Christian Burial**

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Pierre Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Florentina Pfettscher*



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**Pierre Funeral Home** - January 30, 2023 at 12:41 PM



“ *This is Anita Gilbert, when I came to Solarbraun she took me under her wings, we enjoyed bingo, taking communion, both catholic and shared the same birthday. I will miss her very much. My husband Gary just passed Jan 24 .I will be praying for the family. God Bless*

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**Anita Gilbert** - February 01, 2023 at 08:40 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Florentina Pfettscher.*



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February 01, 2023 at 04:39 PM

PH

“ *She was the sweetest person. I still have her doilies she made. The lady had a heart of gold. Heaven has definitely gained an angel.*



Peggy and Eugene Herrmann - February 01, 2023 at 08:20 AM

MH

“ *I truly loved the visits I had with Florence when she would bring quilts for me to quilt, when we had them done she would pick them up. I am sure she is in heaven. I am praying for the family as I often prayed for her.*  
*Mary Hirsch*

MARY HIRSCH - January 31, 2023 at 01:12 PM

NN

“ *Prayers for your peace as you mourn. I have been bringing Eucharist to Florentina on Sundays for about a year and just visiting with her when she was able to get out and go to Mass. I loved visiting with her and hearing about all her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. You are all in my prayers for peace as you remember her and mourn.* Nancy Nelson

Nancy Nelson - January 31, 2023 at 11:16 AM

DT

*Florence nightingale! I loved you so! I knew you before I worked at the old mill Mom sold your grandma and grandpa dolls. When we were distributing our grandmothers belongings one of my cousins gladly processed them. Sorry for your loss you have lost a Saint. Berta you were a beautiful person raised by her! Love you all Debbie Beard Titzer*

Debbie Titzer - January 31, 2023 at 12:28 PM



“ Hi. My name is Ellen Mayse. I recently joined the Ladies of Charity. I had the privilege of meeting Florence and spending some time with her. I am taking up the mantle so to speak to crochet hats for the needy. I met with her and she shared all about all the years she crocheted for different organizations. I fell in love with her right away. I wish I could have spent more time with her. My heart was touched by her presence. She gave me lots of yarn and encouraged me to give with my hooks. She will be missed.

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**Ellen Jeannine** - January 30, 2023 at 08:32 PM

JE

“ My mother is staying at Solarbron and we got to know Florentina. She shared a birthday the same as my Mother's.

*She did not meet a stranger and very friendly to my Mother, at a time my Mother needed a friend. My Mother (Anita Gilbert) will miss her dearly.*

*Sending prayers and strength to the family at this difficult time.*

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**jennifer** - January 30, 2023 at 03:15 PM

KS

*Mary,  
I just learned that you have lost your mother, I am so sorry to hear this sad news. I hope you are well and my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.*

*Kevin Straw*

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**Kevin Straw** - February 10, 2023 at 07:12 PM



“ 50 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pierre Funeral Home - January 30, 2023 at 12:36 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Florentina Pfettscher.



January 29, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ Florentina was a dear friend! We shared good times discussing families! She was very proud of her “kids” and talked about them at great length! She always stopped by to see what knitting project I was working on! She had made a hat for my greatgranddaughter after Christmas! Her smile and sweet spirit will be missed here at The Terrace!

Betty Brown - January 29, 2023 at 09:57 AM

DB

“ *I don't think this special lady ever met a stranger! Her heart was bigger than life itself. Her family is a testament of her faith and love of life itself!*

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**Debbie Bartlett** - January 29, 2023 at 12:15 AM