



Jeanette Rae Goedde

June 6, 1937 - September 30, 2025

Jeanette Rae Goedde, 88, of Evansville, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, September 30, 2025, at her home surrounded by her loving family.

Jeanette was born on June 6, 1937, in Evansville to the late George Henry and Rose Ann (Hillenbrand) Helfrich. She was a homemaker and had worked at the Holiday Retirement Village and as a private sitter.

Surviving Jeanette are her husband of 70 years, Darwin Goedde; daughters, Janice Wilcox, Donna (Ray) Vanover, Jane (Bill) Mahan, Rebecca (Randy) Colson, Diane (Jeff) Norman and Lisa (Bruce) Mayer; sons, Ron (Letta) Goedde, Robert (Pam) Goedde, Rick (Robin) Goedde, and Roger (Jennifer) Goedde; twenty-four grandchildren and twenty great grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Jeanette was preceded in death by sisters, Marcella Montgomery and Eloise Akin; by brothers, Wilfred Helfrich, Alvin Helfrich and George Helfrich, Jr.; by a granddaughter, Kristen Norman and son-in-law, Dwayne Wilcox.

Funeral services for Jeanette will be held at 10:00 AM on Saturday, October 4, 2025, at Christian Fellowship Church, Pastor Reid Schultheis officiating. Entombment will follow in St. Joseph Mausoleum.

Friends may visit with the family from 3:00 until 7:00 PM on Friday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street and from 9:00 AM until service time on Saturday at Christian Fellowship Church, 4100 Millersburg Road, Evansville, IN 47725.

Jeanette's family extends a special thank you to the staff of Heart to Heart Hospice for all of their kind and compassionate care.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Heart to Heart Hospice, 610 E. Walnut Street, Evansville, IN 47713.

Condolences may be made online at www.pierrefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery

2500 Mesker Park Dr
Evansville, IN 47720-5964
(812) 423-1356

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 3. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home
2601 West Franklin Street
Evansville, IN 47712
(812) 423-6471
info@pierrefuneralhome.com
<https://www.pierrefuneralhome.com>

Visitation

OCT 4. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Christian Fellowship Church
4100 Millersburg Road
Evansville, IN 47725

Funeral Service

OCT 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DH

“ I'm so very sorry for your Loss.
Robert, your in my thoughts and prayers. May God give you peace
and comfort. 88yrs on earth, 70 yrs of marriage. Big beautiful family.
A life to celebrate. God Bless
Fondly, Dana Garrison Householder

Dana Householder - October 06, 2025 at 09:37 AM

MH

“ I don't your family but these pictures are so
beautiful I can tell how much love in every
picture



Martha Hayes - October 04, 2025 at 03:52 PM

CG

“ Our Deepest Sympathy

Connie Gries - October 04, 2025 at 07:09 AM

JF

“ Jenny and Jeremy Skelton Family purchased the
Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Jeanette
Rae Goedde.



Jenny and Jeremy Skelton Family - October 03, 2025 at 10:34
AM



“ 25 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Pierre Funeral Home - October 02, 2025 at 07:09 PM



“ 23 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Pierre Funeral Home - October 02, 2025 at 05:09 PM



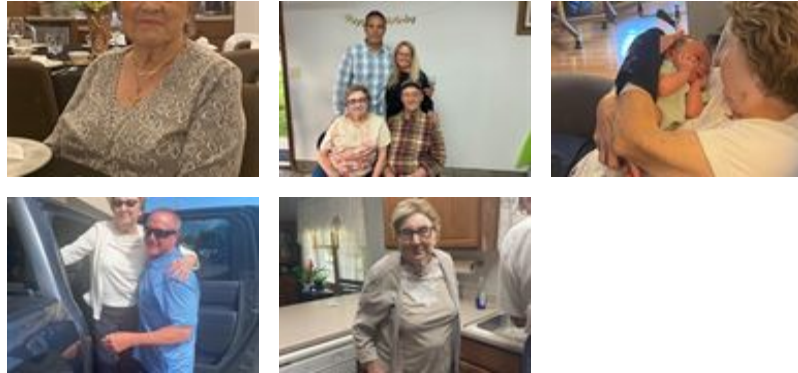
“ James A. purchased the *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Jeanette Rae Goedde.



James A. - October 02, 2025 at 02:39 PM



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Pierre Funeral Home - October 02, 2025 at 01:25 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear about Jeanette's passing. She was my last friend from my 8th grade class, and also was in my Mater Dei Class of 1955. I send my heartfelt sympathy to Darwin and all her huge family. She passed away just a day after her sister-in-law, so that family has more than their share of sorrow. Jeanette was such a sweet, beautiful lady and I know her family has good memories to sustain them through these difficult days. May God's peace be with all of you!

Patty (Wolf) Egbert - October 02, 2025 at 08:52 AM



“ Underwood Family purchased the *Divine Peace Bouquet* for the family of Jeanette Rae Goedde.



Underwood Family - October 01, 2025 at 06:46 PM

UF

“ Underwood Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeanette Rae Goedde.

Underwood Family - October 01, 2025 at 06:46 PM

JW

“ I know ur daughter Jan. She is a wonderful daughter. Prayers to Jan abd the families. I am the oldest of 10 children, we had 6 girls and 4 boys. RIP Lovely Jeannette.

Jane Williams - September 30, 2025 at 09:47 PM

JW

I forgot to mention my Name is Jane.

Jane Williams - September 30, 2025 at 09:48 PM

JC

Lisa, we are so sorry to hear of the passing of your dear mother. Don and Judy Cox

Judy Cox - October 09, 2025 at 09:54 AM