



## Germaine Schrad

August 16, 1934 - February 17, 2017

Germaine Schrad, age 82, of Carroll, Iowa, died Friday, February 17, 2017 at St. Luke's Hospital in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, February 22, 2017 at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church in Mt. Carmel, Iowa. The celebrant will be Fr. Mark Stoll. Music will be by Nancy Lemker and the Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Choir with Germaine's daughter-in-law, Kathy Schrad as vocalist. Lectors will be Germaine's grandsons: Ryan Kramer, and Joel Kramer. Gift bearers will be Germaine's grandchildren: Lauren Ulveling, Logan Schrad, and Carter Schrad. Honorary casket bearers will be Germaine's grandchildren: Lauren Ulveling, Logan Schrad, Carter Schrad, and Germaine's niece: Judy Broich. Casket bearers will be Germaine's grandsons: Christopher Kramer, Ryan Kramer, Joel Kramer, Airmen Zachary Schrad, and Germaine's nephews: Mark Anthofer, and Larry Lappe. Burial will follow the funeral mass at St. Francis of Assisi Cemetery in Maple River, Iowa.

Friends may call at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll after 4 p.m. on Tuesday, where there will be a rosary prayed at 5 p.m., and a Christian Wake Service will be held at 7 p.m.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll, and online condolences may be left for Germaine's family at [www.shar](http://www.shar)

pfuneral.com.

Born on August 16, 1934 at Westphalia, Iowa, Germaine was the daughter of Leo and Magdalene (Altman) Gubbels. She grew up and attended school at Westphalia, Iowa. On May, 4, 1960 Germaine was united in marriage to Duane Schrad at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Maple River, Iowa. The couple lived in Carroll, Iowa for a brief time before moving to their family farm near Maple River, Iowa. Germaine worked alongside her husband Duane farming her entire married life. She enjoyed the farm lifestyle, and the rewards from their hard work. She also enjoyed gardening, canning, baking, and spending time with her family. Germaine was a member of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish, and a lifelong member of St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Maple River, Iowa.

Living family members include: her children: Carla Schrad of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Linda Kramer of Boone, Iowa, and Thomas (Kathy) Schrad of Renner, South Dakota; two step-children: Mark (Cathy) Lynam of Brentwood, Tennessee, and Lee (Patricia) Lynam of Carlsbad, California; seven grandchildren, three step-grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, five step-great-grandchildren; her siblings: Mildred Broich of Carroll, Iowa, Henrietta Tusa of St. Peter, Minnesota, Hyacinth Lappe of Panora, Iowa, and Eunice Madsen of Sprit Lake, Iowa, as well as many nieces, nephews, and other extended relatives.

Germaine was preceded in death by her parents, husband Duane in 2011, a great-granddaughter Claire Kramer, and sisters: Thelma Anthofer, Delores Campbell, Janet Gubbels, and Judy Gubbels, her brothers: Kenneth Gubbels, Donald Gubbels, Patrick Gubbels, and Virgil Gubbels.

# Tribute Wall

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“ To the Schrad Family, My deepest sympathy in the loss of your wonderful mother. I was in total shock when I saw her picture in the obit. I certainly would have been at her funeral, but our paper being late, it was not possible to get there in time. I've been calling her house, and Carla's with no luck. I would love to hear from you, Carla, Sometime give me a call, or E-mail me. Thanks. Germaine's friend Sandy from Coon Rapids.  
Sandy Wurr.



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**Sandy Wurr** - February 24, 2017 at 10:21 AM

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*Thank you Sandy..we appreciate your condolences..Linda Kramer*

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**Linda Kramer** - February 25, 2017 at 07:46 AM

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“ Our deepest condolences for the loss of your mother and grandmother, etc. May God wrap his arms around you and comfort you. We will never forget her and she will always be with you. Love and Prayers - Rolf and Deb (Campbell) Barron

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**Rolf and Debra (Campbell)Barron** - February 21, 2017 at 06:45 PM

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*Love you*

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**Linda Kramer** - February 25, 2017 at 07:48 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Germaine Schrad.*



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February 21, 2017 at 05:49 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Germaine Schrad.*



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February 21, 2017 at 12:40 PM



“ *What I first noticed is how she would always call her son Tommy. No one else did that and I really loved it. Her raspberry jam, amazing. I loved when Tom danced with his mom at our wedding, it was a beautiful moment.*

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**Kathy Bruflat Schrad** - February 21, 2017 at 09:24 AM



“ *With deepest sympathy, John & Jill Snitko purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Germaine Schrad.*



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**With deepest sympathy, John & Jill Snitko** - February 20, 2017 at 03:42 PM



“ *Peach Rose (Silk Cemetery Flowers) was purchased for the family of Germaine Schrad.* ”



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February 20, 2017 at 06:51 AM