



Agnes L. Schleppenbach

January 20, 1922 - June 25, 2022

PIERCE -- Agnes Louise (Hoffmann) Schleppenbach, 100, passed away peacefully on Saturday, June 25, 2022, surrounded by loved ones at The Legacy Arbors in Lincoln, Nebraska. Visitation is planned from 5:30-7:00 p.m., on Thursday, June 30, followed by the Rosary at The Cathedral of the Risen Christ in Lincoln. The Memorial Mass of Christian Burial and celebration of Agnes's life will be at 10:30 a.m., Friday, July 1, at The Cathedral of the Risen Christ in Lincoln, followed by luncheon in the basement hall.

A Rosary will also be held at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, July 2, 2022 at the St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierce, Nebraska, with a viewing beginning at 10:30 a.m., burial will then be held at St. Joseph's Catholic Cemetery, rural Pierce. Reception will follow the burial in the St. Joseph's Parish Center in Pierce. Stonacek Memorial Chapel in Pierce is in charge of the local arrangements.

Agnes was born on January 20, 1922, in Pierce, Nebraska, to Julius and Anna Hoffmann. Agnes was the seventh of nine children and grew up on the family farm southeast of Pierce. She attended St. Joseph's Catholic School and graduated from Pierce High School in 1940. After graduation she worked for a time in Omaha and then returned to Pierce to work at the county courthouse.

Agnes met Dr. Raymond (Doc) Schleppenbach in Pierce and they married in 1949. They lived in Pierce their entire married life where they raised eleven

children. Agnes continued to live on in Pierce after Doc's death in 1999 but moved to Lincoln in 2010 to be closer to several of her children and grandchildren.

Agnes was a loving and faithful wife, mother, sister, grandmother and great-grandmother. She often expressed her deep love and appreciation of her family, and the pride and joy she had for each of them. She was an active member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierce and The Cathedral of the Risen Christ in Lincoln. She was a member of the Altar Society in Pierce and St. Anne's Circle in Lincoln. Agnes initiated one of the first Right to Life chapters in Nebraska and worked passionately throughout her life to protect the lives of the unborn. She was a wonderful cook, loved to bake, and enjoyed sewing, quilting, needlepoint and the occasional round of golf. After raising her children, she also enjoyed being involved in fitness classes at the Y in Norfolk and Lincoln.

Those left to live out her legacy of love include her children: Robert of Norfolk, NE; Joan (Robert) James of Brisbane, Australia; Tim (Paula de la Torre) of Dallas, Tx; Tom (Judi Whiting) of Leesburg, VA; Ann (Sam) Doss of Leesburg, VA; Gene (Sharon Pietzyk) of Vienna, VA; Mary (Dan) Curran of Lincoln, NE; Mike (Sandy Manzer) of Lincoln, NE; Gary (Jolene Norris) of Lincoln, NE; Julie (Dave) King of Lincoln, NE, and Greg (Jacqueline Halbig) of Haymarket, VA; 26 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Agnes was preceded in death by her parents Julius and Anna; husband Raymond (Doc) in 1999, grandson Anthony, daughter-in-law Therese, brothers Frederick, Aloysius, Julius, Gregory and Clemens, sisters Johanna and Amelia Hoffmann and Josephine James.

In lieu of flowers, donations to: Nebraska Right to Life <http://www.nerighttolife.org> Birthright of Norfolk <https://birthright.org/norfolkne/>

CHI Hospice https://give.chihealth.com/SEFGeneraladobe_mc=MCMID=14773181936720832563679169164976759019

Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Catholic Cemetery - Rural Pierce

Rural Pierce
Pierce, NE 68767

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church - Pierce
118 Willow St.
Pierce, NE 68767

Rosary Service

JUL 2. 11:30 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church - Pierce
118 Willow St.
Pierce, NE 68767

Tribute Wall



“ Agnes L. Schleppenbach

October 05, 2023 at 03:46 AM



“ So sorry to hear of Ag's passing. She looks great in her pictures! I'm very glad to see that she was able to live such a long life, sharing the life and love of her kids and grand-kids. I will always treasure her friendship and kindnesses and all the many good times w/ her, Doc and her family. Ag was definitely a force of nature. LOL.

She was a woman of MANY talents who shared them w/ the world. And she and Doc have had a huge impact on the world! My dad (March) always enjoyed sharing recipes back and forth w/ her. The recipe that he thought was the most valuable to him was her elderberry wine recipe. I, in fact, remember that wine. It WAS delicious!

Anyway, she led an impactful life in many ways. Her memory and values and words will live on in her and her and Doc's kids and grand-kids. Many blessings, Mark Filips

Mark Filips - August 15, 2022 at 09:45 PM

BB

“ I will miss seeing Agnes each month when I play music at The Arbors. She was always there finishing her lunch as I set up to play. And since the first of this year, she really seemed to enjoy joining in the singing of the old songs and in general having fun at the gigs. Often she would stay behind as I packed up my instruments and she would ask questions and chat. I recall one gig a few months ago where she was not there, and I saw her going down the hall with a relative and she turned and waved as she went past. She was a lovely woman.

Barb Biffle - July 11, 2022 at 04:01 PM

TT

“ The Culture Project team purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Agnes L. Schleppenbach.



The Culture Project team - June 29, 2022 at 12:23 PM

YF

“ Your Numotion family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Agnes L. Schleppenbach.



Your Numotion family - June 29, 2022 at 11:26 AM

TF

“ *The Torning Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Agnes L. Schleppenbach.*



The Torning Family - June 28, 2022 at 11:06 AM

PF

“ *Pat, Steve, Annette, Maureen, Ron & families purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Agnes L. Schleppenbach.*



Pat, Steve, Annette, Maureen, Ron & families - June 27, 2022 at 06:30 PM

KF

“ *Ken and Jennifer Sander Family purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Agnes L. Schleppenbach.*



Ken and Jennifer Sander Family - June 27, 2022 at 09:05 AM

JB

“ *I am so sorry to hear Agnes has left this world but we all know she is with Jesus and in a much more peaceful place. My thoughts and prayers to all of her family.* ❤️❤️🙏🙏

Jan Bartee - June 26, 2022 at 06:17 PM