



## Virlee K. Durcholz

May 15, 1930 - June 21, 2020

Virlee K. Durcholz, 90, of Ferdinand, passed away at her home on Sunday, June 21st. Virlee was born May 16, 1930 in Ferdinand to Leo and Caroline (Weyer) Kippenbrock. She married Harold P. Durcholz on July 4, 1953 in St. Ferdinand Church. Virlee was retired from General Electric Company after 27 years of service. She was a former Bookkeeper at Ferdinand Railroad. She enjoyed gardening and was a member of St. Anne's Sodality. Virlee is survived by a son, Allen Durcholz of Louisville; three daughters, Mary Dauby of Ferdinand, Jayne (Gary) Stewart of Dalton Springs, IL and Dianne (Edward) Lee of Washington DC; seven grandchildren, Laurel, Shaina and Ross Dauby, Brandon and Tyler Stewart, Brian Sullivan and Arden Lee; three great-grandchildren, Ellie and Dawn Stewart and Briana Sullivan. Virlee was preceded in death by sisters, Mildred Klem, Virginia Pieper and Isabelle Tarullo; brothers, Robert, Reynold, Hubert and Aloysius Kippenbrock; a son in law, William F. Dauby. Funeral services will be Friday, June 26th, at 11:00 AM in St. Ferdinand Church with burial to follow in the church cemetery. Visitation will be Friday from 9:00 AM until 10:45 AM at Becher Funeral Home in Ferdinand. Memorial contributions may be made to Bright Focus Alzheimer's and Glaucoma Research. Online condolences may be shared at <http://www.becherfuenralhome.com>

# Cemetery

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St. Ferdinand Church Cemetery

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# Events

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**JUN 26**   **Visitation**   09:00AM - 10:45AM

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Becher Funeral Home, Inc.  
625 Main Street, Ferdinand, IN, US, 47532

**JUN 26**   **Funeral**   11:00AM

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St. Ferdinand Catholic Church  
Ferdinand, IN, US

# Comments

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“ Mary & Shaina, you have my sympathy and are in my prayers. Anna Mae still asks about her and talks about what a wonderful neighbor she was.  
Holly Kern

Holly Kern - July 01, 2020 at 11:26 PM

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“ The family of Clara and Sylvan Oeding offer our sincere sympathy on the passing of Virlee. Her husband, Harold was a first cousin. Remembering all the good times we had with their children growing up.  
Mary (Oeding) Schriefer and family

mary schriefer - June 26, 2020 at 08:44 AM

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“ To Mary Dauby, although I never met your dear mother, was so sorry to read of her passing. My sympathy and prayers for you and your family. I know the promise of eternal life will be a comfort for you. Take care, be well. Sincerely from Jane Cole Sullivan, Louisville, Ky.

Jane Cole Sullivan - June 23, 2020 at 10:14 PM

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“ Dear Allen, Jayne, Mary Beth and Dianne,

We send you our prayers and love. We have so many lovely memories of our dear Aunt Virlee. I always think of her sparkling smile. She and her sisters were so close. We used to think they had their own language and only had to say the first part of a sentence before it would be finished by one of the others.

I have fond memories of visiting Ferdinand as a child: visiting Grandma and Grandpa's house and always seeing you all next door, the weddings and reunions and tables of fried chicken and potato salad, the local bands playing and all of us dancing.

I know that my mother felt blessed to have sisters, and I certainly felt blessed to have such wonderful aunts. They were hard-working, loyal, loving and compassionate. I miss them.

Love,  
Jeanne Tarullo Hays and family

**Jeanne Tarullo Hays** - June 23, 2020 at 11:43 AM

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“ Joe Tarullo purchased the Pink Satin Heart Casket Pillow for the family of Virlee K. Durcholz.



**Joe Tarullo** - June 23, 2020 at 08:12 AM

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“ Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Virlee K. Durcholz.



June 22, 2020 at 09:47 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss, Mary and Shaina. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Monica and Ken Sicard

**Monica Sicard** - June 22, 2020 at 08:47 PM