

Buni R. Leininger

Oct. 2, 1948 – July 7, 2019

Buni R. Leininger, 70, rural Akron, passed away unexpectedly Sunday, July 7, 2019, at Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

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She married William A. Leininger on June 27, 1970, at the Beaver Dam United Methodist Church. He survives.

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Survivors include her husband, Bill Leininger, Akron; her sons, Thad and wife Rochelle Leininger, Pierceton, and Aron and wife Kayla Leininger, Akron; her daughter, Cami and husband Dave Shriver, Akron; her grandchildren, Jordyn, Jaden, Delaney,

Cooper, Tucker, Miranda and Allie;

her brother, Dail "Butch" and wife Jan Barber, North Manchester; her brother-in-law, Larry Jackson, Warsaw; her sister-in-law, Judy McCartney, Plymouth; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by her parents; her sister, Susie Jackson; and her brother-in-law, Edward McCartney.

Her memorial service will be at 10 a.m. Monday, July 15, 2019, at Hartzler Funeral Home, 305 W. Rochester St., Akron, with Pastor Butch Troke officiating. Memorial visitation hours will be from 1-7 p.m. Sunday, July 14, 2019, at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Wheels on Fire-Cancer Crusaders, 9798 W. 1000 S., Akron, IN 46910. Family and friends may share a memory or send an online condolence at www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com.

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