



## Mary J. Clouser

September 30, 2020

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1/22/52 - 9/29/20

So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

- 2 Corinthians 4:18

Mary J. (Shumaker) Clouser, 68, of New Bloomfield, went to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, late Tuesday, September 29, 2020 in West Shore Hospital.

Born January 22, 1952 in Mechanicsburg, she was the daughter of the late Warren Ray and Betty G. (Kauffman) Shumaker.

Mary was a loving and wonderful wife, mother, and grandmother. She created the most loving home memories humanly possible. In addition to being a full-time wife and mother she was the Centre Twp. Tax Collector for 41 years. She had been employed earlier at Duncannon Dress Co., New Bloomfield Dress Co., and Danny Boy Mfg. She enjoyed camping, birdwatching and flowers. Fall was her favorite time of the year with all the wonderful colors. She also enjoyed going to carnivals, watching football, and swinging on her porch. She was a Penn State and Steelers fan. She was loved by all who knew her and will be sadly missed.

Surviving are her husband of 50 years, Calvin "Buster" Clouser. Two sons,

Gary L. and wife Lisa of Mechanicsbug and Steven R. and significant other Carla M. Weidenhof of Newport. 2 grandsons, Adam and Dakota Clouser. Brothers, Ken Shumaker and wife Darlene of Landisburg, Dave Shumaker and wife Connie of Shermans Dale and Ron Shumaker and significant other, Lorraine Knouse of Newport and sister in law, Kathy Shumaker of Shermans Dale. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by a brother Edward Shumaker.

#### SERVICE DETAILS

Services will be held at 11 AM on Saturday, October 3, 2020 in the Boyer Family Funeral Home, New Bloomfield. Burial will be in Clouser Cemetery in Clouser Hollow.

A viewing will be held 6-8 PM on Friday, October 2, 2020 in the funeral home and Saturday one hour prior to the service.

The Boyer Family is honored to handle the arrangements for the Clouser Family.

# Tribute Wall

“ Tribute To Mary Clouser

*Embracing the memories of our lives spent together as a family. Death is always at our doors. Death doesn't give us a choice when the knock arrives. Fear or ignoring it will not stop it. Our families will diminish as we age, get involved in accidents, or disease. But without death there can be no life. Just as a seed is planted in the depths of the earth, it to will die. New life will then grow towards the heavens above. Quote John 12 Verse 24 ( Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it bears much fruit.)*

*We don't generally think as ourselves as seeds. Awe, but we are. God put us here to grow and prosper. Those seeds will be passed on to further generations, our children and grandchildren.*

*Mary was and always will be my sister-in-law. She dated, married my brother and started their journey together. Soon she would become the mother of two beautiful boys. Gary and Steve. She took her duties of wife and mother seriously. Her intelligence opened the doors of opportunity for her to fulfil these duties. Working from home as Tax Collector for Perry County for many years. Many people grew to know her and remember her mark in life. Her brothers, children, grandchildren, etc. will remember her. Mary you are cherished and will be dearly missed.*

*The following lines are how I want to remember her. All of you will have your own or maybe a few of these.*

*I will remember her as the sunshine peeks through the clouds on a cloudy and overcast day.*

*I will remember her when there is a heavy dew on the grass . All the dew will remind me that many tears have been shed since you have gone.*

*I will remember her when I hear the birds chirping a sweet melody on summer days.*

*I will remember her when on cold winter days I feel the warmth of the sunshine on my face.*

*I love you Mary Clouser and will always remember you.*

*Amen!!!!*

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**Betty Baer** - September 30, 2020 at 10:27 PM

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“*Mary was a wonderful person to be around. We enjoyed watching our Grandchildren play Baseball together at the Billy Cox Field in Newport. We will miss sitting together with Mary and Buster at the games. Prayers for the Clouser Family.*

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**Maynard Gardner** - September 30, 2020 at 10:27 PM