



Ursula Erna Schneider

June 23, 1943 - March 27, 2026

Ursula Erna Elisabeth Schneider (Ushe) went home to be with the Lord on March 27, 2026. In silent sorrow, we say auf wiedersehen until we meet again. Born June 23, 1943 to loving parents Wilhelm and Helma Bruning in Wingst, Dobrock Germany, she emigrated in the 1960's to New York with her son. She owned and operated a deli, convenience store, and later a gift shop with family. In her early life she apprenticed in a bakery and years later worked in the Jersey Bakery. As a young girl she loved and rode horses in Germany. Her love of horses remained with her throughout her life. In later years she volunteered with the Columbia Memorial Hospital Ladies Auxiliary. In late 1983 she married Ewin A. Schneider Sr. (Red) and they settled in Claverack, NY. They really enjoyed each other and shared many interests, especially fishing together to catch the "big fish" which mom often did. They had great times fishing various bodies of water including Horseshoe Lake with dear friends Ronnie and Beth Gerlach.

Surviving are her son Michael Schulze (Amy Tunis), her husbands children Leeanne Thornton (Larry), Susan Larson (Mark), and Erwin Schneider Jr. (Gail). Nieces Ute and Sabine Bruning and nephews Frank and Volker Bruning and their families from Germany also survive. Ursula is also survived by many step grandchildren and great grandchildren, along with several nieces and nephews whom she loved beyond measure. In addition to her parents, Ursula is predeceased by her husband Erwin Schneider Sr. and her brother Erich Bruning (Erika).

Memorial services will be Saturday April 18, 2026 from 1:00-2:00pm at the Bates & Anderson-Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home. Interment will follow in St. Thomas Cemetery 2201 County Rte. 27 in Churchtown. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are encouraged to be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital 501 St Jude Place Memphis, TN 38105 or Community Hospice of Columbia/Greene 47 Liberty St. Catskill, NY 12414.

Rest in peace dear Ursula.....It was heaven here with you. Love your family and friends.

Cemetery Details

St. Thomas Cemetery

Claverack, NY 12513

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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