



## Catherine A. "Kitty" Ernst

September 13, 2019

Catherine A. "Kitty" Ernst, 93, of East Petersburg, PA, passed away on Friday, September 13, 2019 at Lancashire Hall in Lancaster, PA. Born in Pequea Township, Lancaster County, PA, she was the daughter of the late Ira G. and Kathryn P. (Wenger) Shaub. Her husband, J. Charles Ernst, passed away in 1982.

Kitty was a former member of Zion Lutheran Church in East Petersburg.

Surviving are her sons, Ronald C. Ernst, married to Patricia A. (Grube) Ernst, and William S. Ernst, Sr., married to Cynthia A. (Ruhl) Ernst; eight grandchildren, seventeen great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren. Catherine was preceded in death by her daughter, Patricia A. Ernst Himmelberger, three brothers and two sisters.

Relatives and friends are invited to funeral services at Zion Lutheran Church, 1905 Broad Street, East Petersburg, PA on Thursday, September 19, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. The family will receive friends at the church for a viewing on Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the service. Burial will be in the adjoining church cemetery.

In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to the American Lung Assoc. ([www.lung.org](http://www.lung.org))



# Cemetery Details

## East Petersburg Lutheran Cemetery

East Petersburg, PA

# Previous Events

## Service

SEP 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church  
1905 Broad Street  
East Petersburg, PA

## Viewing

SEP 19 (ET)

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church  
1905 Broad Street  
East Petersburg, PA

# Tribute Wall



“ Catherine A. "Kitty" Ernst

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ Dear Ernst Family,  
I was so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. She was such a sweet person. My mother (Mae Meringer) and her were friends and neighbors at Fairview Meadows and my mother missed her when she left to go to Oak Leaf Manor. They used to eat lunch together in the community room. I took mom to visit her at Oak Leaf Manor several times and also to Lancashire Hall. We visited her not too long ago.  
Sincerely, Nancy Froeschle and family

Nancy Froeschle - September 17, 2019 at 10:44 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Catherine A. "Kitty" Ernst.



September 17, 2019 at 09:46 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Catherine A. "Kitty" Ernst.



September 17, 2019 at 07:13 AM