



Judith Z. Buckius

February 21, 2026

Judith Z. Buckius, 87, of Lancaster, PA, passed away peacefully on Saturday, February 21, 2026, at Hamilton Arms, following an eleven-year battle with Alzheimer's disease.

Born in Lancaster, she was the daughter of the late Augustine A. Zimmerman and Kathryn Nickel Zimmerman.

Judy found joy in life's simple pleasures. She was an avid gardener who took pride in tending her flowers, and she enjoyed playing bridge, knitting, and sewing. Her quiet creativity and love of home were evident in all she did.

She is lovingly survived by her son, Thomas (Lisa) Buckius; her daughter, Tracey (Jim) Bousum; her four grandchildren, Bryan (Ashley), Alison, Olivia, and Paige (Caleb); and five great-grandchildren, who brought her immense pride and happiness.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Arlene Miller, and her brother, Stan Zimmerman.

Services will be held at the family's convenience.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Judy's memory may be made to

the Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave., Floor 17, Chicago, IL
60601.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Tom and Tracey,
I was saddened when I saw your Mother's passing in the LNP. You probably don't remember me, but we were neighbors when you lived on Stehman Church Road. Tom walked our daughter, April, to the bus stop when she started school, and Tracey was a friend of Allie. I don't do Facebook, so do not know if you are aware that Allie passed on July 27 to a ten-year battle with cancer. Your Mother was also a friend of my Mother who passed with Alzheimer's disease. My Mother always spoke kindly of Judy and enjoyed their friendship together. Please accept our sincere sympathy to your family at this time. Praying that God will grant you peace and comfort in the memory of happier times with your dear Mother.

John & Shirley Warfel
592 Stehman Church Road
Millersville, PA 17551

Shirley Warfel - February 25 at 03:09 PM

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“ I remember Judy from high school, McCaskey '56. She was a pretty, vivacious, popular cheerleader and was engaged in many activities. She lived around the corner from me in Millersville in approx. 2007-2010. One summer afternoon we took our beach chairs down to the Little Conestoga Creek behind my house and sat on a sand bar with our feet in the water and observed the fish and wildlife, including an otter playing among the rocks. It was such a nice day. Somehow we lost track of each other, but I will always remember that day with Judy. Fondly, Barb Kauffman Weller

Barb Weller - February 25 at 02:26 PM