



Iona M. Schanou

November 21, 1928 - September 13, 2022

Iona M. Schanou, 93, of Omaha, formerly Kearney, died on Tuesday, September 13, 2022 at her home in Omaha. Funeral Services will be on Wednesday, September 21, 2022 at 11:00 a.m. at First United Methodist Church in Kearney. Pastor Seungli You will officiate and burial will be at the Kearney Cemetery. Visitation will be one hour prior to services at the church on Wednesday. Memorials are suggested to Heart Hero's <https://heartheroes.kindful.com/> or Heritage Hospice, care of the family. Please visit www.hlmkfuneral.com to leave a tribute or message of condolence. Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services in Kearney are in charge of arrangements.

Iona was born on November 21, 1928 in Shelton, NE to Roy G. and Carrie (Skeen) Wilcox. She attended school in Shelton and would later marry Cort Schanou, Sr. on September 4, 1948 in Shelton. Iona and Cort farmed in the Odessa area for many years before they moved to Kearney in 1976. Iona worked at Baldwins in Kearney until she retired in 1994 after 28 years of employment. She was a member of First United Methodist Church in Kearney and also the Kearney Eagles Club.

Surviving relatives include her son, Cort Schanou, Jr. and his wife Bonnie of Omaha, NE; daughter, Sherry Fulton of Omaha, NE; 8 grandchildren, Kurt Schanou and wife Beth, Andrea Tyler and her husband Adam, Mindy Barber

and her husband David, Chris Schanou and his wife Kayla, Michelle Labadie and husband Bill, Trista Petersen and Zane Fulton; 12 great grandchildren, Owen, Alison, Calissa, Maren, Caden, Corben, Bristol, Brinley, Zoe, Brodie, Greeley, Aspen; other relatives and friends.

Iona was preceded in death by her husband, Cort Schanou, Sr; grandson, Troy Petersen; 5 sisters; 3 brothers

Cemetery Details

Kearney Cemetery

4400 Avenue I
Kearney, NE 68847

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
4500 Linden Drive
Kearney, NE 68847

Funeral Service

SEP 21. 11:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
4500 Linden Drive
Kearney, NE 68847

Tribute Wall



“ *Iona M. Schanou*

January 29, 2023 at 11:14 AM



“ *I had the priviledge to know & be with "grandma" Iona when I travelled back with Sherry to Omaha about 20 years ago. It was a week vacation & all those times I stayed in her place, she has been so welcoming, kind & so fun to be with - with all her stories & of course the good food she prepped.*

Grandma Iona, I am sad that I didn't get to see you again yet I am comforted to know that you are in a much better place now... no more pain & suffering. Thank you for the memories - those will be treasured forever. May the Lord Grant Your Soul Eternal Rest & May His Perpetual Light Shine Upon you.

Emily

Emilia C Thompson - September 20, 2022 at 08:55 PM



“ *Roger and Terry Maricle purchased the Beautiful i n Blue for the family of Iona M. Schanou.*



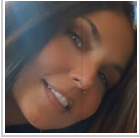
Roger and Terry Maricle - September 19, 2022 at 11:15 PM

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“ *The Case Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Iona M. Schanou.*



The Case Family - September 19, 2022 at 02:23 PM



“ *My condolences to her family & friends. Sorry for the loss of your amazing Mom. She had a wonderful long life. Hugs, love & prayers enclosed. JoAnn Cesaro*



JoAnn Cesaro - September 17, 2022 at 07:57 PM

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“ *My Deepest Sympathy to the family*

Barry F. Holste - September 15, 2022 at 11:03 AM

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Thank you Barry, we've appreciated all your kindness and help

Sherry - September 17, 2022 at 10:08 PM