



Martha Marie Lorenz

December 3, 1924 - May 20, 2020

Funeral services for Martha Marie Schulz Lorenz, 95, of Serbin, Texas will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 23, 2020 at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Serbin with Rev. John Schmidt officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday, May 22, 2020 from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. and on Saturday, May 23, 2020 from 7:00 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The family will be present for visitation Friday evening from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Martha Marie Schulz Lorenz was born on December 3, 1924 to Alwin and Pauline (Wukasch) Schulz in Serbin. She was baptized December 3, 1924 at home by Pastor Herman Schmidt. On April 10, 1938, she confirmed her faith at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Serbin by Pastor Herman Schmidt. Her confirmation verse was Matthew 28:20. On September 15, 1946, she was married to Rudolf Walter Lorenz at St. Paul by Pastor Herman Schmidt. She passed away the evening of Wednesday, May 20, 2020 at Oakland Manor Nursing home in Giddings. Church was always important to her and while at the nursing home she looked forward to church service and daily devotions.

She grew up on the farm and learned to work at an early age. She attended St. Paul Lutheran School. At the age of 15, she went to work in Austin for the Chief of Police Higgins as housekeeper and took care of their children with her friend Hattie (Mertink) Mutschink from Serbin. She was a good cook,

made quilts, knitted, crocheted, and embroidered. She was especially known for her German cheesecake and won several trophies and blue ribbons in noodle cook-offs. She also worked at Dipple Grocery Store, Hennesey Nursing Home, and Invader Boat Company in Giddings. She was a member of the St. Paul LWML for 72 years and the American Legion Auxiliary.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Alwin and Pauline (Wukasch) Schulz; her husband, Rudolf Lorenz; her brothers and sisters-in-law, Walter and Rode Schulze, Mildred Schulz, Edgar and Bernice Schulz, twin brother Wilhelm, and Quinten and Bessie (Schulz) Wenke; brothers and sisters-in-law, Alma and Alfred Menzel, Ervin Lorenz, Leona and Milton Krakosky, Anton and Mildred Lorenz, and Ewald Lorenz; nephews, Wilbert Lorenz, Dennis Lorenz, Glen Lorenz, Gary Lorenz, and James Wenke.

She is survived by her son, Kenneth Lorenz of Serbin; sisters-in-law and brother-in-law, Adelia Lorenz of Serbin, Burnies and Lawrence Richter of Houston, and Lucille Lorenz of Cypress; nieces and nephews, Linda and Jim Baccus, Debra and Bob Fanning, Delores and Morgan Karisch, Winfred and Kathy Menzel, Geraldine and Milton Albrecht, Joyce and Robert Hinze, Ronnie and Patty Krakosky, Dean and Lisa Krakosky, Margie Murray, Wesley and Sherri Lorenz, Michael and Geoganne Richter, Steve and Holly Richter, Peggy and Mark Scheel, Terry and Susan Richter, Cary and Pam Lorenz, David and Josephine Lorenz, Darryl and Cindy Lorenz, Gerald Lorenz, Ralph Wenke, Carolyn Bayer, Kervin Wenke, and Allen Wenke. Many great and great-great nieces and nephews and cousins also survive.

Serving as pallbearers will be Nicholas Hinze, John Hinze, Glen Albrecht, Robert Hinze, Raymond Arldt, and David Schulz. Honorary pallbearers will be Bob Fanning, Charles Arldt, Jim Baccus, and Milton Albrecht.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials are given to St. Paul

Lutheran Church, 1572 CR 211, Giddings, Texas 78942 or the charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

St. Paul Lutheran Cemetery of Serbin

1572 County Road 211
Giddings, TX 78942

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **22**. 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin St.
Giddings, TX 78942
(979) 542-3113
phillipsluckey@yahoo.com
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

Family Present for Visitation

MAY **22**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Public Visitation

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Church Service

MAY 23. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul Lutheran Church of Serbin
1572 County Road 211
Giddings, TX 78942
<http://stpaulserbin.org>

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Martha Marie Lorenz*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - May 21, 2020 at 07:02 PM

DL

“ *David & Jo Lorenz lit a candle in memory of Martha Marie Lorenz*



David & Jo Lorenz - May 23, 2020 at 08:09 PM

OD

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the Martha Lorenz family. May God comfort you knowing she is in eternal bliss and no more pain. God's Blessings to all of you.*



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VF

“ Violet Frosch lit a candle in memory of Martha Marie Lorenz



Violet Frosch - May 23, 2020 at 12:18 AM

DM

“ We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Lorenz. She was always so nice. Our sympathies to the family.

Dianna and Clarence Mitschke

Dianna Mitschke - May 22, 2020 at 05:43 PM



“ Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Martha Marie Lorenz.



May 22, 2020 at 12:15 PM

JS

“ Janice A Schneider sent a virtual gift in memory of Martha Marie Lorenz



Janice A Schneider - May 21, 2020 at 08:31 PM

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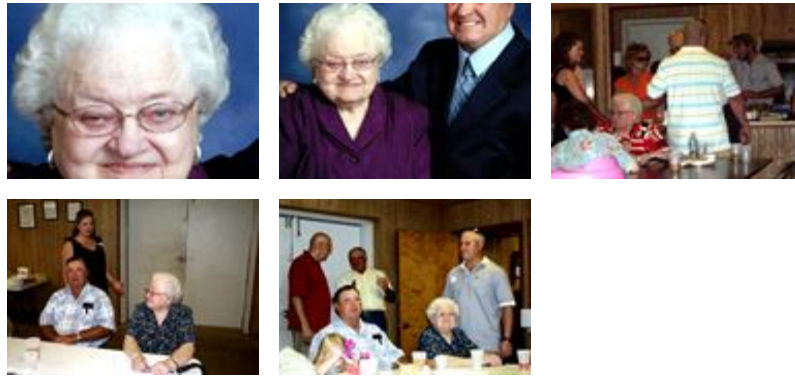
“ Carolyn Richter lit a candle in memory of
Martha Marie Lorenz



carolyn richter - May 21, 2020 at 08:21 PM



“ 74 files added to the album Life Tributes



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - May 21, 2020 at 06:50 PM



“ She was a very sweet friend, relative, and
neighbor!
Love, David, Carol, and Christopher Schulz



David Alfred Schulz - May 21, 2020 at 06:32 PM