



Suellen J. Springer

March 12, 1940 - October 15, 2025

Suellen J. Springer, age 85 of Mentor, OH, passed away on October 15, 2025 at Mentor Hills Post Acute Care, Mentor, OH. She was born on March 12, 1940 in Johnstown, PA.

Suellen (Sue) was a devoted wife, loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin, and cherished friend to many. She was married for 59 years to her late husband, Francis. Together, they built a life full of warmth, laughter, and devotion to family, friends, and faith.

A woman of many talents, Suellen was known for her beautiful cake baking and decorating skills, bringing joy and sweetness to countless celebrations. She worked for 20 years as a compassionate private duty nurse, offering comfort and care to terminally ill patients. A dedicated homemaker, Suellen poured her heart into making her home a place of love and hospitality, especially during the holidays. She was also a seamstress, enjoyed ceramics, and playing the piano. Many joyful hours were also spent around the table with family and friends, playing a variety of card games; her favorite was hand and foot.

A faithful Christian, Suellen's life was a reflection of her deep and abiding faith. She was a devoted member of her church and gave generously of her time through the Willing Workers Club, always willing to lend a helping hand

where it was needed most.

Every year, Suellen looked forward to vacationing with friends and family in Ocean City, Maryland. One of her greatest joys was attending the annual Crystal Spring Camp meeting, a tradition she began as a little girl and continued throughout her life. The fellowship and shared faith of the camp were a deep comfort and joy for her.

Suellen's life was one of quiet strength, heartfelt service, and deep love. Her memory will live on in the hearts of all who knew and loved her.

She is survived by her daughter, Jenny Lynn (Gary) Minadeo; sons, Douglas (Maureen) Springer and Daniel (Karen) Springer; daughter, Suzanne (Mark) Braun; grandchildren, Jamie (Tom) Gould, Michael Petti, Maria Petti, Ashley (John Mark) Dorough, Justin Minadeo, Tiffany Springer, Heather Springer, Kim (Joe) Fink, Joe Lucas, Jeremy (Ashlee) Springer, Kristina (Jeff) Misley, Steven Springer, Danielle Springer, Brandon (Rachel) Springer, Dean Springer, Kayla Braun (Michael), and Jordan Braun; great-grandchildren, Addison, Genevieve, Clara, Emilia, Elizabeth, Frances, Charles, Moses, Zion, Richard, Savannah, Alexis, Jaiden, Delaney, Penelope, Declan, Jacob, Dominic, Savannah, Colton, Kaiden, and Riley; sister Ann (John Rodger) Akers, sister-in-law Jill Salkeld, brother-in-law Jon Sertway, and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Francis "Fran" Springer; her infant daughter; parents, Edgar and Lillian Salkeld; brother, Todd Salkeld; and sister, Elaine Sertway.

A funeral service will be held at 5 p.m. on Saturday October 25, 2025 at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

The family will receive friends from 3-5 p.m. on Saturday October 25, 2025 at the funeral home.

Contributions may be made in her memory to:

Crystal Spring Camp Meeting

C/O Jason Bryant

1030 N. Breezewood Rd

Breezewood, PA 15533

Send flowers and offer condolences at www.brunners.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **25**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Funeral Service

OCT **25**. 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SG

“ *The Northeast Ohio Nurse Honor Guard wishes to express our sincere condolences to the family and friends of nurse, Suellen J. Springer.*



We thank her for her contribution to caring for others and representing the nursing profession with trust, dignity and respect. Your nurse colleagues will take over from here. Rest in peace.

*neohnursehonorguard@gmail.com
<https://northeastohionursehonorguard.com/>*

Secretary@ NEO Nurse Honor Guard - December 09, 2025 at 11:54 AM

JB

“ *Springer Family,
My deepest sympathy for the passing of your mom and grandma Sue. My family was neighbors in Hunters Woods. My mother Madeline and Sue were dear friends. Your mom was such a kind and loving person. I treasure a few visits with her as I would go through the neighborhood after the passing of my mom in 1990. Your mom was such a great support system for My family at that time. My mom left me a recipe for apple cake and in the corner in parentheses said from Sue Springer so I always remember her when I make that cake. You're in my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time.*

*Jayne Patrick Blaha
Perry, Oh*

Jayne Blaha - October 24, 2025 at 10:54 AM

DV

“ Denise Valocchi purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Suellen J. Springer.



Denise Valocchi - October 23, 2025 at 03:01 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Suellen J. Springer.



October 23, 2025 at 09:30 AM

JB

“ Julie B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Suellen J. Springer.

Julie B. - October 23, 2025 at 09:30 AM

SA

“ See the names above purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Suellen J. Springer.



See the names above - October 23, 2025 at 08:38 AM

SA

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See the names above - October 23, 2025 at 08:38 AM



“ Meat & Cheese Wooden Gift Crate was purchased for the family of Suellen J. Springer.



October 22, 2025 at 11:07 PM

KC

“ Kendra and Alyda Clay planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Suellen J. Springer.

Kendra and Alyda Clay - October 22, 2025 at 11:07 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Suellen J. Springer.



October 22, 2025 at 09:12 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Suellen J. Springer.*



October 21, 2025 at 02:44 PM



“ *Lynn, Frank, Mayah and Max Piunno planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Suellen J. Springer.*

Lynn, Frank, Mayah and Max Piunno - October 21, 2025 at 02:44 PM



“ *Suellen was a delight to spend time with and get to know. Her love for the Lord and family was her life. She told many stories about camp and her family. She had a great love of music. She will be greatly missed.*

Denise Jones - October 21, 2025 at 01:59 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Suellen J. Springer.*



October 20, 2025 at 03:20 PM

DH

“ *Suellen was a pastor's delight*
Rev David Herrin

David Herrin - October 20, 2025 at 11:18 AM

JD

“ *I am so glad to have met her at church years ago and enjoyed visiting her. She loved her cabin and talked about it many times. She had so many stories to tell. We went to Ocean City because she recommended it and enjoyed our stay there also. She will be missed, such a great lady!* *Judy DePasquale*

Judy DePasquale - October 18, 2025 at 08:09 PM