

Florence Adeline Gerig

April 23, 1932 - November 5, 2024

Florence Adeline (Schrock) Gerig of Albany, Oregon, passed away Tuesday, November 5, 2024, at her home in the Mennonite Village.

She was born on April 23, 1932, the youngest of four children, in Albany, Oregon, to Elmer and Bertha (Heyerly) Schrock.

Florence married Elmer Gerig on August 27, 1950. They were married for 68 years and raised ten children, before Elmer passed away on February 23, 2019.

Florence was a homemaker- a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. She loved spending time with her family. She always had a smile and a hug for each one.

She loved music and was often heard humming a hymn as she went about her daily activities.

Florence was a member of Fairview Mennonite Church. She was baptized April 14, 1946, at age 13. She enjoyed participating in the Women's Sewing Circle, and singing in the Christmas Pageant Choir. She was a quiet, compassionate woman who cherished her time spent with fellow believers.

She volunteered at the Et Cetera Shop in Lebanon for several years. A few hobbies were sewing, working on crafts, reading her Bible, crossword puzzles and word searches, and collecting dolls. She also loved flowers. She enjoyed strolling through her yard, admiring flowers, and occasionally stopping to smell the roses.

Florence was preceded in death by her husband, Elmer Gerig; parents, Elmer and Bertha Schrock; brother, Eldon Schrock; sister, Dora Willems; and great grandson, Marvin Gerig.

She is survived by her children, Clayton Gerig of Lebanon; Russell (Brenda) Gerig of Lebanon; Joyce Vomocil of Albany; Joleen (Jeff) Blunck of Corvallis; Roberta (Phil) Schrock of Iowa City, Iowa; Dale Gerig of Lebanon; Nathan (Karen) Gerig of Albany; Kenny (Shanna) Gerig of Albany; Vernon (Ellen) Gerig of Mt. Sterling, Iowa; Tim (Susan) Gerig of Albany; 32 grandchildren; 22 great grandchildren; her brother, Perry Schrock of Albany.

Services will be held Tuesday, November 12, at Fairview Mennonite Church, Albany, OR. Visitation 9:30 a.m. Funeral 10:30 a.m., with Graveside Service following. After services, a meal will be provided in the Fellowship Hall.

Memorials for Florence can be made to Christian Aid Ministries or Gospel Echoes NW.

AAsum-Dufour Funeral Home is handling the arrangements (www.aasum-dufour.com)



In Loving Memory ***Florence Adeline Gerig***



Deeply loved, forever in our hearts.

God Saw You Getting Tired

*God saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be,
So He put His arms around you,
And whispered, "Come to me".
With tearful eyes we watched you.
And saw you pass away.
Although we loved you dearly,
We could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating,
Hardworking hands at rest,
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.*

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Funeral Service

*Tuesday, November 12, 2024 at 10:30 a.m.
Fairview Mennonite Church ~ Albany, Oregon*

Welcome & Prayer

Pastor Brandon Funk

Obituary

Jaeden Gerig

Special Song
"Living Hope"

Message

Pastor Phil Schrock

Congregational Song
"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Memories

**Jeff Blunck &
Brenda Gerig**

Special Song
"In the Garden"

Slide Show

Closing Remarks & Prayer

Pastor Brandon Funk

Graveside Committal

Pastor Phil Schrock

Casket Bearers

**Benjamin Gerig, Brad Vomoci, Sheila Copenhaver, Cody Gerig,
Peyton Gerig, Jaeden Gerig & Natalie Gerig**

**Everyone is invited to a reception
immediately following the service**