



## Juanita Knorr

February 21, 2016

Juanita Knorr, age 81, passed away Sunday February 21, 2016 at her home in Foley, Alabama. Juanita passed peacefully in the presence of several family members. Juanita was born on October 26, 1934 in Muscoda, Wisconsin to her parents Roy and Beulah (Koller) Merwin. Juanita lost her biological father Roy Merwin, at the young age of four years old. She was also preceded in death by her mother Buelah (Koller), step father William Bohadlo, son Bruce C. Knorr, sister Joyce Merwin and brothers Robert Merwin and Richard Merwin.

Juanita moved to and worked in the Milwaukee, Wisconsin area soon after graduating high school. After several years she returned to Pardeeville, Wisconsin to be near her mother and new step father, William Bohadlo. It was there that she met and wed her husband, Jerry Knorr.

Juanita and Jerry raised a family of four children; Sheryl, Bruce, Kelly, and Robert. Juanita was an active participant in her children's school functions such as PTA, Cub Scouts and Girl Scouts. Juanita became an avid reader over the years but her greatest passions were playing bridge and traveling. She treasured two European trips that she took with her dear friends, Betty Kornmeyer and Lil White.

Juanita is survived by her husband Jerry; daughter Sheryl Lynn Cruz (Glen

Riley); daughter Kelly Renee (Lynn) Isensee; and son Robert Jerry (Stacy Hydrick); by grandchildren Ryan Isensee, Ashley Cruz, Melanie Cruz, Sarah Seeton, Joe Seeton, and three great grandchildren. She is further survived by sister-in-law Judy Merwin, brother-in-laws Jack (Cheryl), Tom (Kris), and Robert (Debbie) Knorr; and many nieces and nephews. She also leaves behind dear friends Alice Hanson of Racine, Wisconsin, Kathleen Parker of Foley, Alabama as well her local bridge group.

Juanita's family conveys their deepest appreciation to Community Hospice - specifically to nurse Kaelea and caregiver Shanette.

Following Juanita's wishes, a small service at a later date will include family only. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Foley Community Hospice of Baldwin County.

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Foley, AL 36535

# Tribute Wall

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**Jerry Knorr** - March 03, 2016 at 07:49 PM

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**Jerry Knorr** - March 03, 2016 at 07:47 PM

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“ *Juanita was my favorite neighbor several years ago when we live on Old Mill in Racine. She was always friendly and cheerful and she & I never ran out of things to talk about! She was a sweet and special lady and I know she will be missed by her family and many friends. My family and I send our prayers & sympathy. Diane Gissell*

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**Diane Gissell** - February 28, 2016 at 10:23 PM

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Jerry Knorr - February 26, 2016 at 07:40 PM

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*With fondest & so many memories of Juanita, from way back in our high school days, vacations taken, etc. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in your loss. Anne*

Anne Yakos - February 28, 2016 at 11:31 AM

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“ *Juanita will be missed by many. She had a way of lighting up a room with her beautiful smile and making you feel at home. I had the pleasure of spending some time with her recently in her home and even in sickness she made my visit memorable. I will treasure that time I got to spend with her, Jerry and her wonderful granddaughter Melanie. We will also hold dear her trip up to Wisconsin this past Christmas. She met my children for the first time and of course made them feel special and welcome. Nolan will always remember his "big win" from the scratch off lottery tickets she loved to share with everyone. What great memories. Rest in peace Juanita, we will all miss you!*



Stacy Hydrick - February 26, 2016 at 04:04 PM