



## Lucille E. (Cartisser) Busch

November 9, 1924 - December 20, 2015

Lucille E. (Cartisser) Busch was born on November 9, 1924, and went home to be with the Lord on December 20, 2015, at the age of 91. She joined her beloved husband of 58 years, Harold J. Busch, who passed in 2004. She was also preceded in death by her three sisters, Eva, Claire, and Dolly. Her hometown was Pittsburgh, PA, though she recently made her home in North Ridgeville, OH with granddaughter Tiffany B. (Edward) Craft. Lucille (Lou, her preferred name) is survived by three children: Bob Busch, Maureen (Art) Boeltz, and Lee Ann (Brian) Merdich, along with grandchildren Wendi (Fred) Cagni, Bobby (Melissa) Busch, Tiffany (Edward) Craft, Brittany Boeltz, Brianna (Brian) D'Odorico, Chelsea Merdich, and Michael Merdich. She is also survived by four great-grandchildren: Jayden, Haley, Landon, and Mason and two adopted grandchildren, Tanya (Gary) Walsh and Jimmy Cummings, as well as many other nieces, nephews, friends and family that she loved dearly. Lucille, a homemaker and shoe saleswoman, loved to make homemade chocolate candy for everyone she knew and gave it away on the holidays to friends, family, and strangers. Everyone Lucille knew and came into contact with said what a special lady she was - her sassy personality and huge heart made her simply unforgettable. Friends received Tuesday 2-4 and 6-8 pm at the GRIFFITH FUNERAL HOME, INC., 5636 Brownsville Road, (at 6th St.), South Park Twp. (412) 655-4600. Funeral prayer Wednesday, 9:15 am with a Mass of Christian Burial in Nativity Church at 10 am. Interment in Jefferson Memorial Park. A luncheon will be held immediately following, all

friends and family are welcome to attend. Condolences may be offered for the family at [www.GriffithFH.com](http://www.GriffithFH.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **22**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Griffith Funeral Home, Inc.  
5636 Brownsville Road  
Pittsburgh, PA 15236  
(412) 655-4600  
<https://www.griffithfh.com>

## Visitation

DEC **22**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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5636 Brownsville Road  
Pittsburgh, PA 15236  
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## Funeral Mass

DEC **23**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Nativity Church  
5811 Curry Road  
Pittsburgh, PA 15236  
(412) 655-3000

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lucille E. (Cartisser) Busch.*



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December 22, 2015 at 01:01 PM



“ *Sending love and prayers to the family. May your wonderful memories comfort you during this difficult time.*

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**Sheila Mullins** - December 22, 2015 at 09:03 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Lucille E. (Cartisser) Busch.*



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December 21, 2015 at 07:29 PM



“ *Jim  
May the memories held deep in your Heart,  
help to comfort you. You're in my daily Prayers.*

*With Deepest Sympathy  
John Amato*

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**John B. Amato** - December 21, 2015 at 03:56 PM

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“ To the family of Aunt Lucille, May God our Father bring you comfort. She will be missed!

*So many wonderful memories of Aunt Lucille. Our late son, Erik, said there were 3 women in his life that when they walked into a room, the entire room lit up. Aunt Lucille was one of these sweet ladies. He also said that these women would make you feel like you were the only one in the room. They made you feel special.*

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**Julie Timko** - December 21, 2015 at 10:55 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lucille E. (Cartisser) Busch.



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December 21, 2015 at 08:52 AM

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“ Grandma Lou....this is only " so long", as I know we will meet again in heaven. Thank you for loving me because you "wanted to", NOT because you " had to" ! xo Tanya.

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**Tanya Walsh** - December 20, 2015 at 09:58 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Lucille E. (Cartisser) Busch.



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December 20, 2015 at 08:41 PM