



## Bessie O. Detweiler

March 13, 1927 - May 13, 2022

Bessie Octavia (Plessinger) Detweiler, 95, of Fredericksburg, PA died peacefully at home on Friday, May 13, 2022. She was born on March 13, 1927, to Elijah Darlington and Bessie Virginia (Smith) Plessinger. She married Lloyd K. Detweiler on October 19, 1946. They enjoyed 61 years of marriage. Surviving are her daughters JoAnne (Linford) Swartzentruber of Shoemakersville, PA, Linda (Timothy) Derstine of Mapleton Depot, PA, and Karen (Mark) Siegrist of Fredericksburg, PA; son-in-law Lester Reinford; brother-in-law Sam Rittenhouse; 32 grandchildren; 105 great grandchildren; and nine great-great grandchildren. Bessie was preceded in death by her husband Lloyd, daughter Kathy Reinford, grandson Leslie Reinford, her parents, three brothers and three sisters.

A viewing will be held on Friday, May 20, 2022, from 2:00-4:00 p.m. and 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Swatara Mennonite Church, 10 Camp Swatara Rd., Myerstown. The funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 21, at the church. Interment will follow in the adjoining church cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be sent to New Horizons Haiti Children's Home, 518 Linda Dr., Lebanon PA 17046.

# Cemetery Details

## Swatara Mennonite Church Cemetery

10 Camp Swatara Rd.  
Myerstown, PA 17067

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAY 20. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Swatara Mennonite Church  
10 Camp Swatara Rd.  
Myerstown, PA 17038

## Public Viewing

MAY 20. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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10 Camp Swatara Rd.  
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## Funeral Service

MAY 21. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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