



## Patricia L. Van Kleunen

April 16, 1938 - March 2, 2024

Patricia L. Van Kleunen, 85, of Annville passed away on Saturday, March 2nd, 2024, at Freedom Village at Brandywine, Coatesville. She was preceded in death by her loving husband in 2008, William A. Van Kleunen.

Born in Newark, NJ on April 16th, 1938, she was the daughter of the late Roland G. and Henrietta (Morrissey) Lawton. Patricia earned a bachelor's degree from Montclair State University, where she also performed in a modern dance group. After moving to Annville, in addition to raising her family she became a Dance Instructor for young people in variety of settings. As a member of St. Paul's Catholic Church she created a liturgical dance group to support worship at Mass. She also was an active member of the St. Paul's community as a eucharistic minister, lector, one of the coordinators of a bible study group, and helped to lead parish trips to various worship sites.

Surviving Patricia are three children, Andrew W. Van Kleunen of Philadelphia, Nancy Van Kleunen-Curran, wife of Francis of Chester Springs, Jonathan P. Van Kleunen, husband of Amy of Duncansville, a brother, Roland Lawton of Georgia, and six grandchildren, Lucy, Malcolm, Sophia, Jillian, Patrick, and Julia. In addition to her husband, Patricia was preceded in death by her sister, Dorothy Basto.

A public viewing will be held on Tuesday, March 12th, 2024, from 10:30AM-11:30AM at Kreamer Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 618 E. Main St., Annville, PA 17003. Mass of Christian Burial will begin at 12:00PM on Tuesday, March 12th, 2024, at St. Paul the Apostle Church, 125 Spruce St.,

Annville, PA 17003. Interment will follow in Grand View Memorial Park, Annville. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Friends of Old Annville, P.O. Box 99, Annville, PA 17003, in her memory. Kreamer Funeral Home and Crematory, Annville is handling arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Grand View Memorial Park

500 N. Weber Street  
Lebanon, PA 17046

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAR 12. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc  
618 E. Main Street  
Annville, PA 17003  
(717) 867-4811

## Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 12. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church  
125 S. Spruce St.  
Annville, PA 17003

# Tribute Wall

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“ Pat was a member of our Red Hat Group for years. She was a lot of fun. I lost track of her since she did not answer inquiries the past years. I realized when I read this obituary that she was not in her home anymore. Sincere sympathy to all of you. Shirley Sternberger

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**Shirley Y Sternberger** - March 20, 2024 at 10:17 AM

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“ We are so sorry to learn of Pat's passing, too late to attend her funeral & share our sympathies with the family. As former members of St Paul.s we knew Pat, Bill & her family for 40plus years, and worked with her on so many church activities, Pat was an incredibly gifted & creative person. Not only was she creative with dance, she was in charge of decorating the church throughout the years for so many occasions. One of my favorite memories was seeing the church decorated for Christmas, w/ small evergreen trees all covered in tiny blue lights around the altar. It was absolutely breathtaking when you entered the church. I loved it so much, that I put up a small extra tree at home completely covered in blue lights, which in the 80s & 90s, were much harder to find! We will cherish her memory, and we send our heartfelt sympathies to her children & grand-children. Barb & Rick Bentz

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**Barbara & Rick Bentz** - March 13, 2024 at 03:16 PM