



## Barbara M. Munson

June 24, 1935 - February 4, 2019

Barbara M. Munson, 83, of Somonauk passed away Monday, February 4, 2019 at Rush-Copley Medical Center in Aurora. She was born June 24, 1935 in DeKalb, IL, the daughter of Eugene Olin and Gladys Evelyn (Matthews) Wise. She married Richard N. Munson on December 30, 1955 in Chicago, IL. Barbara was a member of First Lutheran Church of Plano and Gamma Rho Sorority. She was a registered nurse for over 37 years, retiring in 1993. During that time, she worked at Copley and Valley West hospitals. She was also the school nurse for the Plano School District for 29 years and continued to serve Sandwich Schools after her retirement. Barbara enjoyed knitting, crocheting, playing the piano, and playing games on her iPad. She and Richard traveled to Palm Springs, CA and Arizona. Most of all, Barbara loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband of 63 years, Richard of Somonauk, IL; three children, Scott (Marilou) Munson of Bristol, IL, David (Linda) Munson of Wamego, KS, and Susan (Scott Siuda) Keenan of Somonauk, IL; five grandchildren, Jessica (Erik) Wold of Somonauk, IL, Jaclyn (Brandon) Abel of Ft. Collins, CO, Jennifer (Kyle) Reuter of Somonauk, IL, Robert (Brittany) Munson of Randolph, KS, and Julie (Tyler) Christopher of Somonauk, IL; seven great grandchildren, Aiden, Liam, and Emerson Wold, Payton Christopher, Mary Abel, Andrew Reuter, and Evelyn Munson.

She was preceded in death by her parents and son-in-law, Douglas Keenan.

Funeral Service will be held at 12:00 noon on Saturday, February 9, 2019 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Somonauk with Pastor Chris Schoon officiating. Burial will follow at St. John's Lutheran Cemetery in Somonauk. Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at 12:00 noon on Saturday, February 9, 2019 at the church in Somonauk.

Memorials may be directed to Shriner's Children's Hospital. For more information or to sign the online guest book, go to [www.EighnerFuneralHomes.com](http://www.EighnerFuneralHomes.com)

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# Cemetery

**St. John Lutheran Cemetery**  
Gage St.  
Somonauk, IL, 60552

# Events

- FEB**  
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**Visitation**  
10:00AM - 12:00PM

St. John's Lutheran Church  
235 S. Green St., Somonauk, IL, US, 60552
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**Service**  
12:00PM

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# Comments

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“ We just heard of Barbara's passing and wanted to let all the family know we are thinking of you. She was a special lady with a very special family she was very proud of. She will be missed. Cherish your memories.

**Frank & Carol McKeever** - February 08 at 06:08 PM

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“ Prayers and thoughts to the family! Mrs. Munson was a very special lady. She touched so many lives throughout her nursing career. She took such good care of me at Plano High School when I wasn't feeling well. She would let me take a nap in her office. Heaven has another Angel for sure!!

**Diane Bobee-Laue** - February 08 at 12:49 PM

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“ My condolences to the Munson family, she will be missed. Mucket Hoffman

**Mucket Hoffman** - February 06 at 07:31 PM

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“ She was my school nurse from kindergarten through my senior year. She was caring and loving. She will be missed by many. Prayers and thoughts for the family.

**Joe Ferguson** - February 06 at 01:26 AM

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“ Joe Ferguson lit a candle in memory of Barbara M. Munson



**Joe Ferguson** - February 06 at 12:34 AM

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“ We are so sorry to hear that Barb passed away. Barb is such a warm and loving lady who will be sorely missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to her family and friends. Glen and Cindy Reuter.

**Cindy & Glen Reuter** - February 05 at 08:29 PM

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“ We were truly saddened to read of Barb's passing. I have many fond memories of working together with Barb at P.H. Miller School when I was principal there. In the years that followed, it was always a joy to see and talk to Barb and Dick. She was a wonderful person and as a school nurse was truly devoted to serving the children and the families at the school. We send our sincerest condolences to the family. Jim and Teresa Jensen

**James L Jensen** - February 05 at 08:27 PM

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“ Barb was such a warm and outgoing person. We always enjoyed talking with her and hearing her laughter. We are so sorry for your loss. Love Tom and Barb Winebaugh and Family.

**winebaugh** - February 05 at 05:07 PM

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“ Mrs. Munson was a beautiful soul who touched so many of our lives over the years. I remember sharing my teenage troubles and her being a caring shoulder and just stopping in to see her and say hi. She will be very missed and was loved by so many! My thoughts and prayers are with her family and loved ones.

**Karylin Morel- Clevenger** - February 05 at 04:59 PM