



Jean C. Perkins

May 1, 1943 - May 15, 2025

Jean Carolyn Perkins, 82, of Lykens Township, passed away on May 15, 2025, at the UPMC hospital in Harrisburg. She was born in Lykens Twp on May 1, 1943, a daughter of the late Blanche M. and Homer G. Daniel. Jean was employed for over 45 years at Susquehanna Township School District in the Administration Department.

She was an active member of Simeon United Lutheran Church, Gratz, where she devoted much time to various positions. She was a Sunday School Teacher, Youth Group Advisor, past Council member, Bible School Director, Christmas Program Director, Fellowship Committee member, and part of the Willing Workers. She was also a member of the Red Hot Wildcats of Gratz, which is a local lady's organization, and a member of Alpha Iota Sorority which is a women's leadership sisterhood.

She loved her church, family, friends, and community. She could often be found playing cards, cooking for friends or family, and organizing local events.

Jean is survived by daughter, Lisa Perkins; brother, James (Dorothy) Daniel. She was preceded in death by husband, Robert Perkins and a brother, Harold E. Daniel. She leaves behind many loving nieces, nephews, and cousins.

A viewing will be held on May 21, 2025 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am at Simeon

United Lutheran Church, Gratz. Funeral Service will be held on Wednesday, May 21, 2025, at 11:00 am at the Simeon United Lutheran Church, Gratz. Interment will take place in the Gratz Union Cemetery, Gratz.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Simeon United Lutheran Church.

Cemetery Details

Gratz Union Cemetery

173 N Center St
Gratz, PA 17030

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Simeon United Lutheran Church
173 N Center St
Gratz, PA 17030

Funeral Service

MAY 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Warren Weaver lit a candle in memory of Jean C. Perkins



Warren Weaver - May 21, 2025 at 09:19 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jean C. Perkins.



May 20, 2025 at 12:33 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jean C. Perkins.

May 20, 2025 at 12:33 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jean C. Perkins.



May 17, 2025 at 02:04 PM

BR

“ Thinking of all the good times with Jean - from Youth Group trips to Christmas pageants to church picnics. Thankful for her great spirit, her sense of humor, and her devotion to the church. God bless!

Barry Ridge - May 17, 2025 at 10:20 AM



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May 17, 2025 at 10:06 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jean C. Perkins.



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JB

“ Joseph Blessing purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Jean C. Perkins.



Joseph Blessing - May 16, 2025 at 10:12 PM

DW

“ *Debbie & Bruce Weaver lit a candle in memory of Jean C. Perkins*



Debbie & Bruce Weaver - May 16, 2025 at 07:56 PM

JD

“ *Lisa and family,
My deepest sympathies in the loss of your mother. Jean was a lovely lady. I have fond memories of riding back and forth to Harrisburg with Harold for many years and always enjoyed bowling on Thursday nights in Valley View. May your memories comfort and carry you through the upcoming times. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.*



Janice (Mace) Dietz - May 16, 2025 at 07:34 PM

KW

“ *Lisa, so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. She will definitely be missed.*

Kim & Barry Williard - May 16, 2025 at 06:14 PM

LR

Lisa, I am sorry to hear your mother 's passing. She was a gentle and kind friend. We always had fun at Red Hat meeting's. God be with you!

Linda Reedl - May 16, 2025 at 09:32 PM

DM

Lisa, Ed & I are so sorry for your loss! Our love and prayers are with you!

Diane Matter - May 16, 2025 at 09:48 PM