



## Rosene Musser Brubaker

October 31, 1933 - April 3, 2025

Rosene Musser Brubaker of Columbia passed away on April 3, 2025, at the age of 91. She was a resident of Legend of Lancaster assisted living facility.

Born Florence Rosene Musser in Lancaster, she was the daughter of the late Martin S. Musser and Florence (Herr) Musser of Mount Joy. She is survived by a daughter, Kathleen Ray, (Don) of Columbia, South Carolina and a son, Roger Brubaker, (Alice) of Lancaster.

She was proud of her four grandchildren: Jesse Tetreault of Vienna, Virginia, Jeremy Tetreault of Arlington, Virginia, Morgan Brubaker (Robert Zick) of Alexandria, Virginia, and Derek Brubaker (Janell) of Lancaster. She is also survived by a sister, Audrey M. Murray (Harold) of Annapolis, Maryland.

She was a graduate of the former East Donegal Township High School. She was a private piano teacher and also taught piano at East Donegal Township High School. She was a piano student of the late Earle W. Echternach. She was formerly an active member of the Elizabethtown Church of the Brethren where she served in the ministry as a deacon and served on various committees. She also served as organist of her church and the former Washington Street Church.

Rosene and her husband operated the Columbia Diner in Columbia and the Etownian Restaurant in Elizabethtown for several years. Earlier she was employed as a bookkeeper in her family's business at Musser Leghorn Farms. Later she worked for Brubaker

Electric, Inc., and retired from Wilco Electric, Inc. after twenty-eight years.

She enjoyed reading and tending to her flower garden. She will be remembered as a loving mother and grandmother and delighted in her grandchildren and their accomplishments.

A private graveside service will be held at the family's convenience. In Rosene's memory, please consider donating to a music-affiliated charity of your choice.