



Henrietta L. "Henri" Steiner

December 14, 1936 - December 14, 2014

Henrietta L. "Henri" Steiner, 78, Lebanon, passed away Sunday, December 14, 2014 at the Good Samaritan Hospital. She was the wife of the late Richard L. Steiner who passed away August of 1991. Born in Jackson Twp., Lebanon Co., on November 25, 1936, she was the daughter of the late Henry and Lena Reed Fetter.

Henri was a graduate of South Lebanon High School. She was retired from Crestview Answering Service, Lebanon. She was serving as secretary and member of Lebanon Valley Motorcycle Club, secretary and congressman of District 6 Sports Association, sign in and scoring clerk for Sleepy Hollow MX Park and presently managed Budget Self Storage. She volunteered at the voting poles for North Lebanon Twp. Henri enjoyed and supported the sport of motorcycling in all forms. She was a member of Millcreek Lutheran Church, Richland.

Henri is survived by a son, Henry M., husband of Karen Steiner, Lebanon, grandson, Matthew M. Steiner, Middletown, sister, Nancy Miller, Myerstown, brother, Charles, husband of Joan Fetter, Lebanon, several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by sister Laverne Patches.

Family and friends are respectfully invited to attend Henri's funeral service on Thursday, December 18, 2014 at 8:00 PM from Porterfield-Scheid Funeral Directors & Cremation Services, Ltd., 890 Isabel Drive, Lebanon (next to Quentin Circle) with Jason Keener officiating. A viewing will be held Thursday 6 to 8 PM at the funeral home. Interment will be made in Indiantown Gap

National Cemetery on Friday, December 19, 2014, at 1:30 PM with memorial cycle ride and procession leaving the funeral home Friday at 1:00 PM. In lieu of flowers memorial remembrances in Henri's name may be made to AMA's Motorcycle Hall of Fame Museum AMAHF, OR, AMA Legislative Supporter, both c/o 13515 Yarmouth Dr., Pickerington, OH 43147.

Tribute Wall



“ *Henrietta L. "Henri" Steiner*

October 22, 2023 at 10:35 PM



“ *Henrietta L. "Henri" Steiner*

October 06, 2023 at 08:29 AM



“ *Henrietta L. "Henri" Steiner*

October 05, 2023 at 11:43 PM



“ *Miss you my friend.....you helped me so many times with motorcycle racing.....tears.....Matthew*

Matthew Howton - Mountain Top, PA - Friend - December 12, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *God speed to such a lovely woman that took me in and showed me what to do at those AMA D6 meetings.....sadly missed my friend, Mr. Matt*

Matthew Howton - mountain top, PA - fellow motorcycle rider - February 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ In my short years of knowing her, she was one of the most generous, kind hearted, dedicated, and hard working people I know.

I'm sure I'm speaking for all the Sleepy Hollow track crew that she was like a motocross mother or grandmother to us, as she took us all under her wing.

With so many of our motocross riders ripping it up in Heaven, I'm thinking God needed this amazing lady to organize the motocross races, and AMA memberships in Heaven.

Melisa Hunter - Williamsport, PA - friend and coworker at Sleepy - December 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ I raced at Sleepy Hollow MX park in the 80's and casually knew Henrietta. I will pray for her soul and for here loved ones. I just lost my father who helped me with all of my MX sports adventures so I know how sad it is! People that love the sport of motocross are exciting and passionate people. I thank God for allowing me to race and meet people like Henrietta! God bless all involved and may you all have great peace!

Doug - Nags Head, NC - Acquaintance - December 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ I will miss Henrietta greatly. I worked with her for years thru the AMA, and she was always a pleasure to work with. She did so much for the sport of motorcycling, and worked very hard. I loved her hard working spirit and enjoyed talking to her about Congress, the AMA, and motorcycles.

Serena Van Dyke - Lancaster, OH - Friend - December 22, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ God Bless you Henri. Just found out. Been out of the loop. D-6 will miss you and so will we. Peace be with you

Dottie & Jack Vanino - Reading - Friends - December 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ We'd been friends for over 45 years and even though we didn't get to see each other we stayed in touch by phone at least once or twice a year. Your passion for the cycling world shone so bright it could be seen for many miles and we all appreciated that. Say "hello" to Dick for me.
Henry, never forget that she loved you more than anything else in this world. Our parents only hold our hands for a little while, but they hold our hearts forever.

Beverly "Jolly" Hess - Hamburg, PA - Friend - December 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Our condolences to Henrietta's family.
We appreciate all the years of her supporting the AMA and the motocross community. I have many fond memories of working with her in the "office" at Sleepy Hollow MX.
Godspeed Henri...you will be missed by many.

The Savidges: Barb, Tim, Alyssa & Timmy

Barb Savidge - Pine Grove, PA - Friend - December 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ It's hard to believe I've known this crazy lady for 14 years now. I only say crazy because she was so passionate and fought for so many things in the motorcycle industry...if she believed something needed to be changed, IT WOULD BE!!
I'll never forget the first night I met her at the D6 meeting when I was a little timid 16 year old; thrown into the whirlwind of getting our races at Rausch Creek organized. She took me under her wing and mentored me through it all and called me every chance she could to "just check in."

I will miss those random calls and her fighting spirit. D6 and the AMA will never be the same without Henrietta.

An amazing woman for sure!

Rest in piece my mentor.

Tiffany Rausch Creek - PA - FRIEND - December 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ God bless you, Henrietta. You devoted your life to others. Many will never know or appreciate your enormous contribution to our sport, but will forever benefit from your time of carrying the torch forward. I think some of the happiest time of Henri's life was the first few years after we started Loretta Lynns when she would stay on the gate with me all night welcoming riders from all over the country. Henrietta loved being an important part of that huge event. Those were happy years at Loretta's.. During the week Henri was helping her favorite people--the riders. And then at night there was partying at Proud Mary's. Many of us will remember the work you did to get member representation on the AMA Board. I will miss you old friend. It won't be long before we'll meet at the big racetrack on the other side.. .

Paul Schlegel9 - Toledo, OH - A long time kindred soul - December 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM