



Josephine Eckert

October 10, 1927 - July 10, 2025

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Josephine Eckert on July 10, 2025 at the age of 97. Josephine was born in Mount Holly, NJ on October 10, 1927 to Frank and Jennie Pallante. In high school she met the love of her life and beloved husband of seventy-seven years Lester Eckert.

Josephine was a farmer's wife who oversaw the financial aspects of the family farm, Pine Acres. She was a loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and great- great -grandmother. Her family was her greatest joy. Josephine loved spending time celebrating events together and cooking and baking for them especially on her famous Hoagie Day gatherings.

Survived by her children, Lester Eckert Jr. (Patty), Helen Schwartz (D), Bobby Eckert (Sue) and David Eckert (Deanne), fourteen grandchildren, nineteen great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren and sister Lucille Reamer. Josephine was predeceased by husband Lester Eckert, son Greg Frank Eckert, grandson Dwight Schwartz Jr., brothers Michael, John, Salvatore, Frank and Raymond Pallante, and sisters Lynn Gentile and Ann Ingling.

Relatives and friends may visit with the family on Sunday, July 20th from 6pm-8pm at Perinchief Chapels, 438 High Street, Mount Holly, NJ 08060.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Monday, July 21st 10am at Church of Holy Eucharist, 520 Medford Lakes Road Tabernacle, NJ. Burial services to follow at Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery in Hainesport NJ

Previous Events

Viewing

JUL **20**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Perinchief Chapels
438 High Street
Mt. Holly, NJ 08060
(609) 267-0399
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<http://www.perinchief.com>

Funeral Mass

JUL **21**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Church of the Holy Eucharist
520 Medford Lakes Road
Tabernacle, NJ

Burial

JUL **21** (ET)

Sacred Heart Cemetery
Washington St.
Hainesport, NJ

Tribute Wall

LA

“ We are very sorry for your loss. This is Leslie McDevitt, Doris's daughter, Doris McDevitt. (Lester's sister). My mother lives with me and she is 96 years old. We live in Florida. I will try to get in touch.

Leslie A Annis - August 12, 2025 at 09:54 AM

TN

“ The Ware Family and Debbie Nixon planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Josephine Eckert.

The Ware Family and Debbie Nixon - July 18, 2025 at 07:27 PM

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“ The Ware Family and Debbie Nixon purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Josephine Eckert.



The Ware Family and Debbie Nixon - July 18, 2025 at 07:27 PM

SF

“ Schmauder Family purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Josephine Eckert.



Schmauder Family - July 18, 2025 at 01:19 PM

LP

“ *So deeply sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and heart. No one made a better blueberry or cherry pie than Aunt Phinny. Lisa Pallante*

Lisa M Pallante - July 15, 2025 at 06:12 PM

MP

“ *My deepest sympathy, Lisa Pallante purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Josephine Eckert.*



My deepest sympathy, Lisa Pallante - July 15, 2025 at 06:02 PM