



# **Renate A. Lucas**

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**D**ECATUR- Renate A Lucas, 82 of Decatur, passed away at 5:38 AM Sunday, January 9, 2022, at Decatur Memorial Hospital, surrounded by her family. Services to celebrate Renate's life will be held at 3 PM Wednesday, January 12, 2022, in the Chapel of Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the services. Entombment will be in the Star of Hope Mausoleum at Graceland Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to the Macon County Humane Society, Donate Life or the Cancer Care Specialists of Decatur. Services will be live streamed at:

<http://webcast.funeralrecording.com/events/viewer/66836/hash:FD3576D7ED0F66A3>

Renate was born on June 7, 1939 in Stolp, Germany a daughter of Bernhardt and Ursula (Sonnemann) Hamilton Dickneite. She married Warren R. Lucas in 1992 in Decatur. She retired from Taylor Pharmaceuticals as a line inspector. Renate attended Holy Family Catholic Church. She was an avid gardener, enjoyed knitting and crocheting and loved all animals.

Surviving are her husband Warren, her daughters- Donna (Ed) Raycraft of Decatur, Debra (Andy) Staker of Atlanta, GA and Pamela (Thomas) Simmons of Franklin, TN, one sister- Carmen (Greg) Baize of Owensboro, KY, six grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents and two brothers Bernd and Uva Dickneite. The family would like to give a special thanks to Angels Among Us, Keaira Tyler and Teresa Perry as well as Dr. Wade and the team at Cancer Care Specialists.

Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements. Online condolences and memories can be shared at [www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com)



# Events

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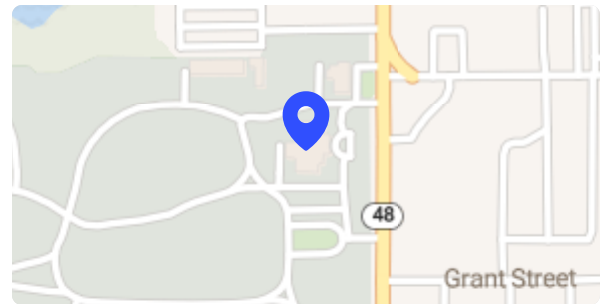
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## Visitation

**Wednesday**, January 12, 2022

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM CT

**Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**  
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526

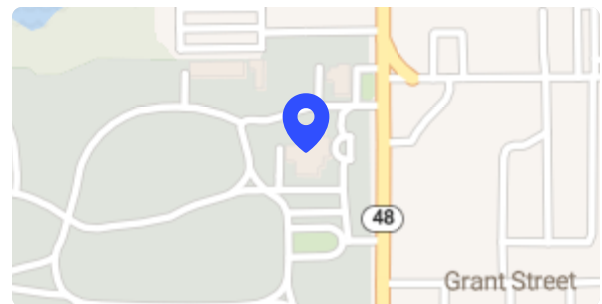


## Funeral Service

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3:00 PM CT

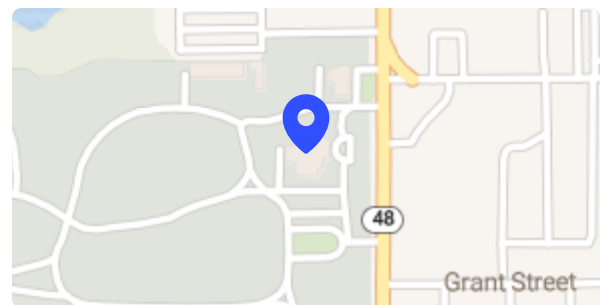
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## Entombment

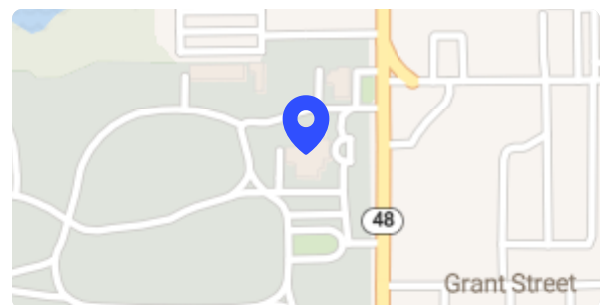
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## Cemetery Details

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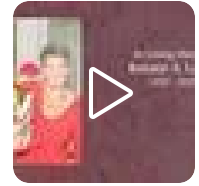
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**Graceland Fairlawn** shared a **Video**.



January 10 at 12:21 PM



**Madeline Cooper** January 11 at 7:36 AM

Your photo album of memories was wonderful and enjoyed viewing. Thinking of you and your family at this sad time. With deepest Sympathy 💙



**Geri Edwards Farmers Market** posted:

Thank you for sharing so many memories ❤️ . Sorry for your loss. She was a 1 of a kind I will miss her so so much . She will always have a little spot in my heart . Geri Edwards Farmers Market 🌻❤️🌻.

January 15 at 6:44 AM



**Debbie Rhodes** posted:

Rene was a lovely lady, inside and out. She loved to giggle and made the best banana bread (which she gave away lots of it) and always shared her fresh tomatoes from her garden. Her yard was always full of beautiful flowers for all to admire My shopping trips I had with her were always fun and she too often had to buy me items at TJ Maxx because she had such a sweet and generous heart. Jesus is now smiling at her and I'm sure she is just having a blast up there. We'll all see you soon. Love, Debbie Rhodes

January 11 at 6:21 PM



**Jessica Pittman** posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. Sending prayers to the family during this difficult time.

January 11 at 12:52 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Lucas family.



January 11 at 5:00 AM



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**Anonymous** sent a Serene Retreat to the Lucas family.



January 10 at 11:21 AM



# Media

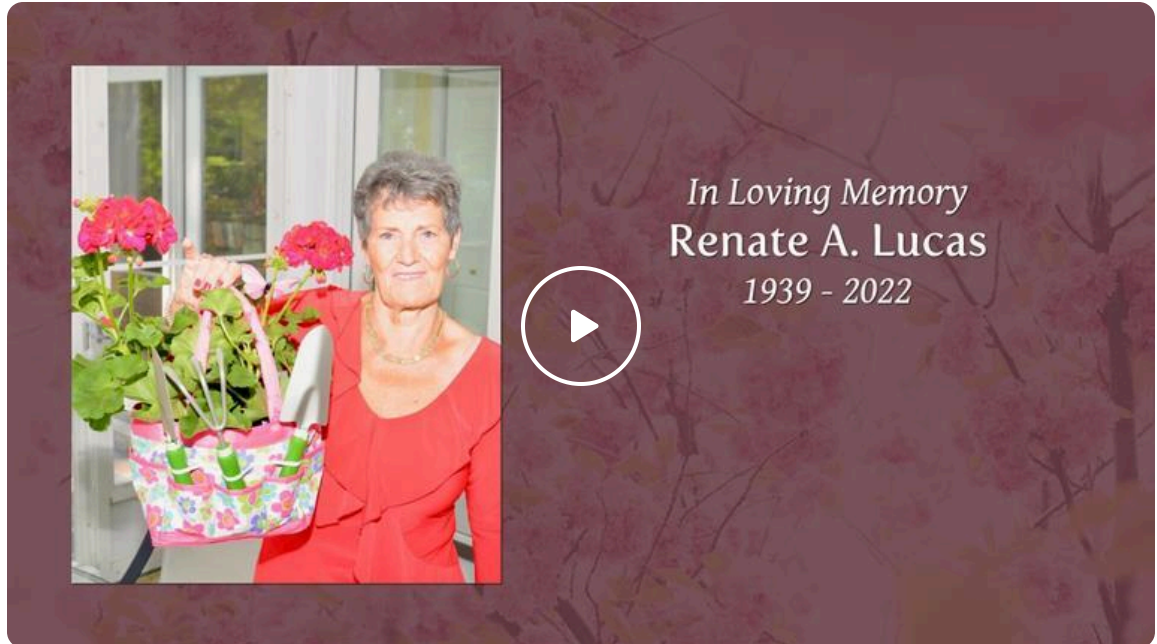
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## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Renate by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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