



## Nina Schnarr

July 2, 1944 - May 7, 2020

Nina Louise Schnarr, 75, of Centralia, passed away Thursday, May 7, 2020 at SSM Health Saint Louis University Hospital.

Nina was born July 2, 1944 in Centralia, daughter of Joseph Gilbert and Doris (Wanzo) Gilbert. She married Donald Schnarr on October 17, 1992 in Centralia and he survives her.

In addition to her husband Donald Schnarr of 27 years, Nina is survived by three sons: Dion White of Centralia, Ryan White and wife Kristy of Centralia, and Jerry Pollard of Mt. Vernon; one daughter Arian Harris of Twentynine Palms, CA; one daughter-in-law: Gina White of Louisville, KY; fifteen grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Nina was preceded in death by her parents Joseph and Doris Gilbert, her son: Derrick White, and two brothers: Leander Gilbert and Leon Gilbert.

Nina retired from Littelfuse after working for 26 years. She was also a member of the Second Baptist Church of Centralia. She will be missed dearly by her husband and family.

Due to the pandemic, a private funeral service for Nina Schnarr will be held Wednesday, May 13, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. with the service being live broadcasted for family and friends which can be accessed by going to [www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com) website and clicking on Nina's Obituary. Burial will follow at Elmwood Cemetery in Centralia. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association and will be accepted by the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home at 235 North Sycamore

Street Centralia, Illinois 62801, (618)532-3523, who is honored to be of service to the Schnarr Family. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting [www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sutherland Funeral Homes, Cemetery and Cremation Services created a Webcast in memory of Nina Schnarr*



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**Sutherland Funeral Homes, Cemetery and Cremation Services** - May 13, 2020 at 10:46 AM

CB

*Wow, not sure where to start. Ryan, Dion, Jerry and Don, as you know Mrs. Nina Schnarr, was like a second mom. I think I spent about as much time at you guys' house as I did mine. My heart goes out to your family. I have nothing but great memories of Mrs. Nina, she had that personality that would keep you laughing. She will surely be missed. My sincere condolences goes out to your family.*

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**Christopher Buford** - May 13, 2020 at 01:17 PM



*Ryan, Dion, Jerry and Don, My heart goes out to your family, I will be praying for you all my sincere sympathy and condolences. And anything you need just let me know.*

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**Tyrone Jones** - May 14, 2020 at 01:35 PM

GA

“ Words can not begin to express my sorrow for your loss. When I was young I used to see Nina all of the time walking down the street as she visited her parents. She was always beautiful, smiling and speaking. Then I saw her last fall, after many years, and we were both happy to see each other and visit a bit; It Blessed me so much! Knowing how I've always fondly looked upon her, I know you all have been blessed to have have such a kind and beautiful woman for a Mother, Wife, Niece, cousin, friend, etc. God Bless all of you that mourn and heal your hurting hearts.

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George and Kim Atchison - May 15, 2020 at 07:28 PM

 Kevin Hill

“ To the family of Mrs. Nina Schnarr,

*I extend my deepest heart felt condolences and sympathy to and for you all.*

*I have many childhood memories and good times with you guys and the family. Her love and welcoming spirit will never be forgotten.*

*May God continue to love, cover, strengthen, encourage and empower you all during this difficult time.*

*Our continued love, prayers, and support 🙏🙏🙏 are with you all*

*Sincerely and humbly,  
Kevin M. Hill*

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Kevin Hill - May 13, 2020 at 02:48 PM



“ To Don and the family of Nina Schnarr, we are so sorry for your loss. Words can not describe the pain we are feeling of her passing; she will always be remembered in our hearts as a strong and loving lady. To Dion, Ryan and Jerry, your mother loved you so much and she will always be watching over you. I’m sure that she is up there in heaven with Derek and they are both smiling down at you.  
With love and sorrow Vince “Binky” Lott and family

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**Vince Lott** - May 13, 2020 at 02:44 PM

LG

“ Don, Dion, Ryan, Jerry & Families:

*I know you will miss your wife & Mother greatly.*

*I will miss our chats about when we were kids and didn't have a lot BUT since we didn't know anybody that was RICH we assumed everybody was in the same boat. Of course we realized later in life that SOME kids didn't really have anything! But, WE both had mothers whom put us first in their lives and wanted us to do better in our future lives.*

*Nina had a great sense of HUMOR - she always had me laughing about something.*

**GOD BLESS YOU ALL!**

*Louis & Patricia Garrett (Neighbors for 42+ years!)*

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**Louis Garrett** - May 13, 2020 at 01:39 PM

PC

“ Don,Dion,Ryan,Jerry you all are in my prayers .Nina was a very good true friend to me .We were together almost every day while you all were growing up..I will always keep those memories dear to my heart.God bless you all and if we didn't have this pandimic you know that I would be there .So you all be there for each other and remember the good times with your wife and mother my dear friend Nina

God bless 🙏 Paulette

Paulette Campbell - May 13, 2020 at 01:00 PM

CO

“ There are a lot of memories of my cousin Nina, when I used to come sit at her house and we enjoyed conversations. Our sons Jerry and Maurice were classmates and friends. Praying for her husband, sons and daughter. May God bless you all.

Cathy O'Neal - May 12, 2020 at 10:53 PM



“ Schnarr Family,  
Sorry to hear of Nina's passing.  
Remember the fond memories you had with her.  
Our sincere condolences to you.  
May God strengthen you.  
Love,  
Julia Thomas & Family



Marlena Thomas Burton - May 12, 2020 at 10:35 PM

GM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Dion, Ryan, Don and the entire family. May the comfort of God help you during this difficult time.*



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**Glenda McKnight** - May 12, 2020 at 04:31 PM

KC

“ *Sending my condolences and prayers to Don, the children and family of Ms. Nina Schnarr. I am so sorry for your loss. She will be sadly missed. Nina was a best friend to my mother for many years and to know they will no longer be able to talk/visit each other as the did is devastating. Our love for her and the family will never diminish, may God continue to bless and comfort you during this time.*

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**Kimberly Crosby** - May 12, 2020 at 11:44 AM

CB

“ *To Dion, Ryan and the entire family. We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Sending our condolences and prayers in abundance to you all. May God's comfort and strength help you all to get through this difficult time. Although we can't be there, we want to send you all our Love!! From your cousins: Cozette Bradford (Las Vegas, NV), Mary Houston, Lauretha Ward, Chiquita Bradford, and Chimera Williams (Decatur, IL), Kevin J Bradford (Peoria, IL) God Bless!!*

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**Cozette Bradford** - May 12, 2020 at 01:06 AM

DD

“ Jerry- thinking of you in the loss of your mom- so hard at any time but especially during the pandemic and so close to Mother’s Day. Praying for you all! D. Ann Davenport

D. Ann D. - May 11, 2020 at 10:47 PM

RP

“ On behalf of Rev Val and Mrs. Colleen Powe we were sadden to hear about our friend of 50 plus years passing away so suddenly, to the family our heart felt sympathy goes out to you. May the God that gave Nina life grant you his peace during this very difficult time.

Rev Val J Powe - May 11, 2020 at 04:51 PM

TF

“ To Mr. Schnarr, Dion, Ryan, Jerry and Arian We were deeply saddened by the loss of your spouse and mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May our God bless and comfort you and your family during this time of grief. The Wanzo Family



The Wanzo Family - May 11, 2020 at 04:49 PM

JF

“ To Mrs. Schnarr. Family you have my deepest sympathy. May God loving presence comfort you and his perfect peace restore you. Continue to stay encourage and hold onto God unchanging hand. You are in my prayers.

Julius Flagg - May 11, 2020 at 08:54 AM

CT

“ I am sorry for the family's loss. I worked with Nina 35 years ago at Littlefuse. I remember her as a straight forward, funny, kind lady. Funny the things you remember, but she told me once that after working hard all week she believed a person deserved to treat themselves each week, Even if it was just a belt or some little something from Topper's. Always thought that was good advise! Enjoyed working with her. God Bless.

Carla Taylor - May 10, 2020 at 11:29 AM

JF

“ Janet Finley-Huffman lit a candle in memory of Nina Schnarr



Janet Finley-Huffman - May 09, 2020 at 12:24 PM

LB

“ I had the pleasure of knowing and working with this pretty lady for many of those 26 years at Littelfuse. Always offered a big smile, or almost always, and was a good role model for others. May God bless and accept her in his loving arms. Larry Brashear

larry brashear - May 09, 2020 at 09:52 AM

VP

“ To Jerry and the rest of the Schnarr Family I would like to send my Condolences to the Family. I know how it feels to loss a Mother and I can't explain the hurt and pain but trust me God is real believe in him trust in him cast your sorrow upon the Lord he will see you thought.



Vert Pollard - May 09, 2020 at 03:24 AM

JW

“ Mr. Schnarr, Dion, Ryan, Kristy, Jerry, Arian, All Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren, All Family Members and All Friends; with Deep Sadness and Sincere Prayers 🙏 I am Seeking God Almighty on Your Behalf. May He Continue to Comfort Each of You with His Divine Grace, Love and Eternal Salvation and Mercy in Jesus Name. Trust in the Lord Always and He Will Direct and Guide You. Proverbs 3:5-6. Jessie White, Jessica & Nedra. We Love You All For Ever.



Jessie White - May 09, 2020 at 12:16 AM

RB

“ You are a wonderful lady and I so enjoyed working with you. God has this now.

Ruby Berry - May 08, 2020 at 08:47 PM

AJ

You were a beautiful God fearing woman. You raised a wonderful family all thou you are on the other side of the family in my heart we are all family. Tereda and myself (Alva) use to watch the boys while you went out . We were all young and it was so much fun. I pray for your family God bless your husband and the boys. Alva J.

Alva Johnson - May 13, 2020 at 10:25 AM

GN

Of course I am praying for all the family of Nina Schnarr. May God grant you peace and comfort during the time of Nina's passing. I am here for you and praying constantly for you.

Glenda Newton--White - May 13, 2020 at 02:21 PM