



Clara Jean "Clare" Gredlein

March 16, 1928 - February 9, 2026

Pennsylvania/South Carolina

Conway, SC

Mrs. Clara Jean "Clare" Frost Gredlein, age 97, passed away peacefully on Monday, February 9, 2026 at Embrace Hospice House, with her loving and devoted family by her side. She was the widow of the late Walter E. Gredlein, Jr.

Born March 16, 1928 in Windsor, NY, she was the daughter of the late Clarence L. Frost and the late Lovisa Carpenter Frost. In addition to her parents Mrs. Gredlein was also predeceased by her sister, Lena Frost Ward.

Mrs. Gredlein is survived by her children, Jane E. Chanaca and husband Dr. John Chanaca of Conway, SC, and Craig A. Gredlein and wife Elaine of Scotrun, PA and Mesa, AZ; her grandchildren, Mark D. Chanaca and wife Jenny of Conway, SC, Joel P. Chanaca and wife Traci of Conway, SC, Christina Carroll and husband Keith of Mesa, AZ, Cheryl Buchanan and husband Nelson of Xenia, OH, and Daniel Gredlein and wife Brittany of Mesa, AZ; eleven great-grandchildren; one niece; and one nephew.

Mrs. Gredlein read through her Bible every year for more than 30 years and

now has seen her Savior of those Bible pages face to face. No doubt, she has heard His precious voice say, "Well done good and faithful servant". She was a loving, kind, gentle, and selfless lady who shared those qualities with her family and all who knew her. She loved to bake cookies for her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren but also enjoyed teaching them how to bake alongside her.

Graveside services, officiated by Rev. JJ Meyer, will be held later this Spring at Nicholson Cemetery, Nicholson, PA. Charles H. Litwin Funeral Home is in charge of local funeral arrangements and Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel, is in charge of SC arrangements.

Memorial donations may be made to Our Daily Bread Ministries, Post Office Box 2222, Grand Rapids, MI, 49501-2222.

Please sign the online guest registers at either www.litwinfuneralhome.com or www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Nicholson Cemetery

Harding Avenue
Nicholson, PA 18446

Tribute Wall

SH

“ *She was a such a blessing to many. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Love-Chuck, Susan, and Charley Hucks*

Susan Hucks - February 13 at 10:38 AM

JC

Thank you for all of your thoughtful words and beautiful flowers.

Jane Chanaca - March 23 at 07:36 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Clara Jean "Clare" Gredlein.*



February 13 at 10:35 AM

FB

“ *Jane, John and family,
Your Mom is at peace now. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
Tony and Faye Barker*

Faye Barker - February 12 at 07:39 AM

JC

Thank you for your thoughts and prayers. I know you have recently walked this same road.

Jane Chanaca - March 23 at 07:40 AM

CC

“ Craig Cornell purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Clara Jean "Clare" Gredlein.



Craig Cornell - February 11 at 11:21 PM

DP

“ I'm so sorry about your loss. Prayers for your family and friends 💕🙏💕

Doris Piver



Doris Piver - February 11 at 11:17 AM

JC

Thank you Doris, for your thoughts and prayers.

Jane Chanaca - March 23 at 07:40 AM