



## Lila Fay Schmalfuss

February 4, 1930 - February 28, 2022

Lila Fay Schmalfuss, 92, of Sopchoppy, died Monday, February 28, 2022, at her home surrounded by her family. Ms. Fay was a native of Zion, Illinois, and she has lived in Sopchoppy for over 40 years. She was a member of the River of Life Church, and she also attended the Sopchoppy Southern Baptist Church. Ms. Fay loved her Bible and her God; she was a farm girl and once had a horse named "Ribbon". She loved to sew and made matching cloths for her children. Ms. Fay was a great cook and loved to bake, she always liked playing board games especially scrabble, and would always enjoy a dessert, cake, cookies, ice cream or whatever was sweet. She enjoyed playing the piano and singing about her Lord which was something she often did.

Survivors include her four children, Catherine Fay Talbott, Gary Robert Schmalfuss and wife Debbie, Laurel Lee Travis and husband Mike, Pamela Chafin and husband Charles; one sister Lorna Thorn; 11 Grandchildren Courtney, Justin, Ann, Elizabeth, Will, Kelsey, Destiny, Jennifer, John, David and Shayna, and 15 Great Grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents Joseph Lester Crow and Catherine, sister Carolyn Dreyer-Switzer, and a brother Winson Crow.

A graveside funeral service will be held Saturday, March 5, 2022, starting at 11:00 AM at the West Sopchoppy Cemetery, the family will receive friends starting at 10:00 AM.

Contributions may be made to Covenant Care Hospice in Ms. Fay's memory at 1921 Capital Circle NE, Suite 1, Tallahassee, Florida, 32308;

[choosecovenant.org](http://choosecovenant.org); 850-575-4998 and/or Wakulla County Senior Center, 33  
Michael Dr. Crawfordville, Florida 32327;850-926-7145;  
[wakullaseniorcenter.com](http://wakullaseniorcenter.com)

Skip and Trey Young are assisting the family. Family Funeral Home at Harvey  
Young Chapel.

# Cemetery Details

## West Sopchoppy Cemetery

Curtis Mill Rd.  
Sopchoppy, FL 32355

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAR 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Young Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Lila Fay Schmalfuss*



**Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services** - March 04, 2022 at 10:35 AM

SM

*Sweet memories you have*

**sharon McMaken** - March 05, 2022 at 06:34 PM

SH

*Was is beautiful! Made me cry..she was so blessed to have such a big family that did things together.*

**sherry Heid** - March 05, 2022 at 07:49 PM

JC

*This is such a beautiful tribute to the whole family!*

**Judy Cook** - March 06, 2022 at 06:09 PM

BJ

*This is a beautiful tribute to Fay's life. She will be missed and loved.*

**Bill Jenkins** - March 07, 2022 at 09:33 AM



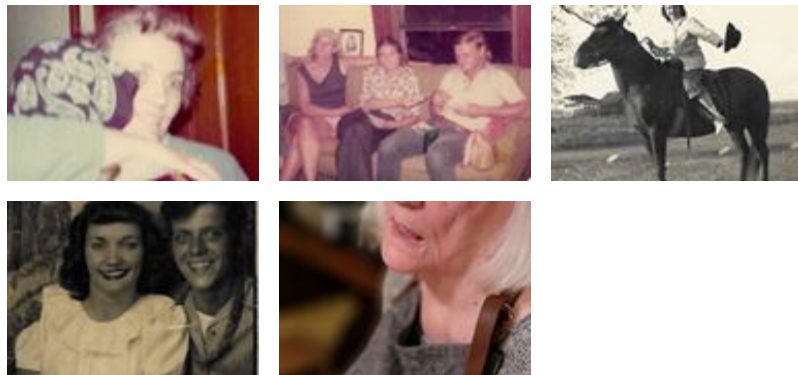
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Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services - March 04, 2022 at 10:32 AM



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Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services - March 02, 2022 at 05:00 PM



“ Anita D'Asti purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Lila Fay Schmalfluss.



Anita D'Asti - March 02, 2022 at 11:30 AM