



## Renate S. Lacey

January 6, 1939 - December 23, 2008

Clearwater, SC- Mrs. Renate Schardt Lacey, 69, of Andover Drive, Clearwater, SC, who was known to everyone as Oma, peacefully passed away from a long battle with cancer December 23, 2008, surrounded by her family. Funeral Services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Posey Funeral Chapel. Pastor Kenneth E. Young, Sr. and Pastor Steve Norsworthy officiating. Interment in Pineview Memorial Park.

Mrs. Lacey was a native of Germany, having made the Clearwater-North Augusta area her home for the past 46 years. She was the daughter of the late George and Martha Schardt. Her mother was a concert pianist and her father was a fine musician. At the age of five World War II commenced causing her family to flee to West Germany. Upon graduation from high school she worked as a Nanny for several years before her marriage and moving to the United States in her early 20's. With her determination and strong will she taught herself English through television and her children as they gained their education.

She was an incredible mother, grandmother and friend to all, who could be seen playing with her children and grandchildren constantly and was the "Uno Queen". Having a positive attitude and never a negative thought was one of her greatest attributes, this even carried through her long illness until the end of her life. Everyone who knew her had nothing but high praise for her and

considered her incredible. Many enjoyed a visit with a cup of her 8 o'clock coffee!

Survivors include her beloved husband, Dean Carver; three sons and daughters-in-law, Pete Lacey and Bert and Tanya Lacey, all of North Augusta, Chuck and Julie Lacey, Evans; two daughters and sons-in-law, Patricia and Bobby Poston, Jacksonville, FL, Deana and Chris Vaughn, Aiken; nine grandchildren, Brittany Lacey, Ashley Poston, Kyle Poston, Jeremy Lacey, Devin Lacey, Brent Lacey, Madison Lacey, Blaire Vaughn and Carver Vaughn; two brothers, George Schardt and Hans Hofmann, Germany.

Pallbearers will be Bobby Poston, Kyle Poston, Jeremy Lacey, Brent Lacey, Tim Head and Chris Vaughn.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home this Friday evening from 6 until 8.

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta in charge of arrangements (803-278-1181). Visit the registry online at [www.poseyfuneralhome.com](http://www.poseyfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Residence following the service**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

DEC **26**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Directors  
1307 Georgia Avenue  
North Augusta, SC

### Service

DEC **27**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Home Chapel  
1307 Georgia Avenue  
North Augusta, SC

# Tribute Wall



“ Posey Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Renate S. Lacey



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**Posey Funeral Directors** - December 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Renate S. Lacey

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October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ Renate S. Lacey

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September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ I first met Renate in Germany when she was in her early 20's. I will always remember her as she was then: beautiful, vivacious, happy, talkative, humorous and a pleasure to be around. May she rest in peace.##imported-begin##Ed Pomfret##imported-end##

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January 13, 2009 at 10:53 AM



“ Dear Patricia, dear Bert, dear Chuck, we are very sorry for the loss of your mother. We will keep Renate in our minds forever as a unique, kind and inspiring person. She handled everything with great ease and it was a pleasure to be around her. I wil never forget how surprised she was when i stood in front of your familys house and all of you made me feel like i'm at home. Nearly 30 yiears ago now. As we have lost our mother a few years ago, we can imagine what this loss means to you. But then again come better times and you might feel that your mother will always be part of you. Our sympathy goes out to all of you. Your cousins from germany and the brothers of Renate.##imported-begin##Hans Hofmann##imported-end##

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January 06, 2009 at 09:01 AM



“ Chuck, Julie, Madison and Lacey Family, You are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. We are so honored to have met such a wonderful and loving woman. If you need anything please call us.##imported-begin##Michael and Alison Williams##imported-end##

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December 29, 2008 at 03:38 PM



“ Although it has been many years since we saw Renata, the memories of her are profound. She was genuine!! Renata touched many lives and they are better for having known her. Our sympathy goes out to all the Lacey family in their time of such loss and sadness.##imported-begin##Patti Peterson Rice##imported-end##

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December 28, 2008 at 11:54 AM



“ Although it has been many years since I had contact with Renate, I have fond memories of her being a very gracious lady and hostess. She was always smiling and ensuring everyone had a good time. I know how much she loved her family and how much her 4 children loved her. May her memories bring you comfort as they linger in your hearts.

Sincerely, Lynn McDearis (formerly Syms - Mother of Terry, Jr. & Chad)##imported-begin##Lynn McDearis (Syms)##imported-end##

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December 28, 2008 at 11:15 AM



“ I love you so much! I miss you so much! It is going to be a very different world without my Omi in it! I know you will be watching over & waiting for us up there in Heaven!

I love you, Omi!!!!##imported-begin##gina##imported-end##

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December 27, 2008 at 10:50 PM



“ I am very sorry for your loss. Renate was a great lady. She will be missed by so many.##imported-begin##Tracy DeFillips##imported-end##

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December 27, 2008 at 05:26 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during the loss of a loved one.##imported-begin##Doug and Vickie Goodman##imported-end##

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December 27, 2008 at 02:59 PM



“ Dear Chuck and family,

*We are so very sorry for your loss. Your mother was such a kind and sweet person, and we enjoyed spending time with her over the years. Please know that you are in our constant thoughts and prayers.*

*Much love,*

*Jamie and Jeff Culbertson##imported-begin##Jamie and Jeff Culbertson##imported-end##*

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December 27, 2008 at 11:33 AM



“ *My dearest Oma, How can I ever thank you for allowing me to be a part of your legacy? From the first time I met you, I was totally amazed with your stories and your 8 o'clock coffee! You were always, always so kind to me and loved me like a daughter. I am forever grateful for your example of gentleness, kindness, meekness, and love. I can only strive to be all the awesome things you are. I can almost feel those sweet Mama lips kiss my face and tell me you love me or those soft hands stroke my hair when I was sad. My life will never be the same for it has been touched by Oma! I love you my sweet Oma. Julie##imported-begin##Julie Lacey##imported-end##*

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December 26, 2008 at 09:44 PM



“ To All The People whose lives you have touched Renate, I know when you come into their hearts now as memories they will always be touched with all your love, kindness and care that you have shown to all of us. We are all so blessed to have known you, I will never forget that beautiful spark you always had in your eye, you were so full of energy and oh how much you loved those grandbabies. May your loved ones take comfort in the memories you have made with them; forever. We are the ones that are blessed to have known you. One thing noone can take from us is our memories of you and we will cherish them for always and forever. We Love You Renate.##imported-begin##Rick,Tammie,Shane,Kyle Soto ##imported-end##

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December 26, 2008 at 07:18 PM



“ Our deepest symapathy for the family.##imported-begin##Joe & Mayrant Lojewski##imported-end##

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December 26, 2008 at 12:34 PM



“ WE ARE VERY SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS.  
HER BEAUTIFUL SMILE WILL BE MISSED##imported-begin##MICHAEL, PENNY AND SHANA COX##imported-end##

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December 26, 2008 at 11:12 AM



“ We will miss your beautiful smile and joyful personality. We spent so little time together, but we cherish the times we had. You were a delight to know and you were loved by us all.##imported-begin##Mary and Sandra Beaver##imported-end##

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December 25, 2008 at 04:43 PM



“ Our family is deeply saddened to hear of your Oma's passing.....we know what a great loss this is for those of her family and many friends who knew and loved her so much. What a fantastic LADY she always was and will be remembered for. God bless you all, and take comfort in Him.##imported-begin##The Wade Family##imported-end##

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December 25, 2008 at 12:58 PM



“ Chuck:

*I don't know if you remember me or not but I used to work with you at Bechtel in North Augusta. I am sorry for you loss of your Mother. I know how difficult it must be for you and your entire family at this time. I lost my Mother last year and it was one of the hardest thing for me to not have her in my life anymore. Just know that your Mom loved you and she in a better place than we are here on Earth. If you need anything please let me know. I will be praying for you and your family. God Bless you!*

*Love,*

*Angie##imported-begin##Angie Squires##imported-end##*

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December 25, 2008 at 12:22 PM



“ Our sincere heartfelt thoughts and prayers are with you all at this sad time. We have lots of wonderful memories of your Mom. Renate was full of life and love always. She was a wonderful friend. Our love goes out to each and everyone of you. May God bless and keep you and help you find peace at this most difficult time. Jackie and Eddie###imported-begin##Jackie & Eddie Roy###imported-end##

December 25, 2008 at 11:28 AM



“ We are so sorry to hear about oma dying..ya'll are in our thoughts and prayers. Love ya'll.###imported-begin##Jennie and Elaine Pearson###imported-end##

December 25, 2008 at 02:02 AM



“ Omi,  
Thank you for being such a wonderful part of our lives! You have been through a lot with us and wish it could have been for a lot longer. We will cherish our memories of our incredible times together. You will never be forgotten. You were a truly remarkable woman! We are forever blessed just to have had the opportunity to know, love, and be loved by you!

We love you!!!!

~Gina, Tony, Kylie, Connor, & Chandler Alyssa###imported-begin##Gina, Tony, Kylie, Connor, & Chandler Alyssa###imported-end##

December 24, 2008 at 11:35 PM



“ *I miss you Oma. I know you are with the Lord.##imported-  
begin##Steve Norsworthy##imported-end##*

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December 24, 2008 at 09:23 PM