



NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS

# Auxiliary to Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

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Without Change, There Would Be No Butterflies!

## Special Order #4 Series 2013 – 2014

January 25, 2014

Sisters,

It is with deep regret and heavy heart that I announce the passing of sitting Pennsylvania Department President Lucille Coe Ryan on Friday, January 24th, 2014, after a long and courageous battle with cancer.

Sister Lucille was a member of the Anna M. Ross Auxiliary #1 of Philadelphia, and had served as Department President from June 2012 until her death. Her willing spirit, dedication, optimism, and courage will be missed by all who knew her.

Her calling hours will be held on Wednesday from 7 to 9 PM at Wackerman Funeral Home, Verree Road near Rhawn, PA. At that time, the Sisters of Anna M. Ross Auxiliary will conduct the funeral service from our Ritual. A funeral mass will be held on Thursday at 11AM at St. Cecelia Roman Catholic Church. Lucille's obituary will be in the Philadelphia Inquirer on Sunday with full details.

Cards and letters may be sent to Brother Fred Ryan at the home.

It is ordered that the National Web site, the Charters of all Departments and Auxiliaries and membership badges be draped in black for a period of 30 days from the date of this Special Order.

Ordered this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2014.

**Diane L. Mellor**, National President,  
Auxiliary to Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Attest:

**Patricia G. Bures**, National Secretary,  
Auxiliary to Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

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