



Ann Gertrude Seth

March 4, 1942 - February 21, 2025

Ann Gertrude Steckbeck Seth ('Cookie' to her family), age 82, of Maumee, passed away February 21, 2025 in Monclova, Ohio. Ann was born March 4, 1942 in Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

Ann was preceded in death by her loving husband of 45 years, Satish Kumar Seth, her parents, Mary (Ondrejicka) Steckbeck Soliday and Phillip Steckbeck, stepfather Earl Soliday, and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and beloved friends. Ann is survived by her children, Vijay Seth and Anita (Eric) Seth DeVaul; grandchildren Seth (Macie Ruiz) Toska, Dylan Toska, and Lilyann Toska; sisters Agnes (Bill) Dohner and Mary (Phillip) McClain; a niece, five nephews, multiple great nieces/nephews and extended family.

Ann worked as a Registered Nurse in her early adult years. Her truest joy, though, was being a devoted wife, mother, volunteer, and friend. Managing Satish's work, caring for Satish through his journey with Alzheimer's, caring for Vijay, Anita and her grandchildren, and being an active and treasured member of the community were Ann's passions. From being an officer in Vijay's Boy Scout Troop to being involved with numerous organizations for individuals with developmental disabilities, Ann always gave her time and talents generously to anyone that needed an advocate or a helping hand. She served on numerous parent committees and was an officer on the Board for the ARC of Lucas County. She chaired the ARC of Lucas County Awards Banquet

Committee for over 20 years, and she was a Special Olympics, scouting, church, and United Way volunteer. Ann was honored with numerous awards over the years, including a Lifetime Achievement Award in 2015 presented by Camp Courageous and the ARC of Northwest Ohio for her years of volunteer service to the developmentally disabled community. Ann loved to spoil all 'her kids', providing treats and gifts to all of Vijay and Anita's friends and coworkers whenever she could. Ann also loved to treat her friends and family by 'importing' Pennsylvania Dutch goodies from her hometown of Lebanon. She was known for her baking, contributing homemade baklava to church and community events, and delivering trays of holiday baked goods to her loved ones every Christmas. She was also an avid collector of coins and entertainment memorabilia, and she always had a great story to tell any captive audience. Her generosity, sassy character, and unconditional love will be greatly missed.

Ann's family would like to thank everyone associated with Fresenius Kidney Care, The Lakes of Monclova, and Hospice of Northwest Ohio for all the love and care they showed to all of us over the last few months of Ann's life journey. We'd also like to express our sincere appreciation to all of Ann's healthcare providers over the years, particularly Dr. Heather Klepacz. Dr. Klepacz's skill and expertise gave us an extra ten years with Ann, for which we are eternally grateful. Anyone that knew Ann knows that she had a long and complicated health history, and we appreciate all the effort and care from all the healthcare professionals that helped Ann live her extraordinary life.

A visitation celebrating Ann's life will be held Monday, March 3, 2025, from 3:00 - 8:00 p.m., at Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 South Reynolds Road, Toledo, Ohio 43614, with a prayer service being held at 7:00 p.m. Guests will be received beginning at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 4, 2025 (Ann's 83rd birthday) at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 5856 Heatherdowns Boulevard, Toledo, Ohio 43614, with a Funeral Mass following at 11:00 a.m. Entombment

will follow at Ottawa Hills Memorial Park. Memorial contributions in Ann's honor may be made to Sunshine Communities, Courageous Community Services, or Hospice of Northwest Ohio. Please leave a condolence message at CoyleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Ottawa Hills Memorial Park

4210 W Central Ave
Toledo, OH 43606

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 3. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

Vigil

MAR 3. 7:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

Visitation

MAR 4. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Joan Of Arc
5856 Heatherdowns Blvd
Toledo, OH

Funeral Mass

MAR 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Joan Of Arc
5856 Heatherdowns Blvd
Toledo, OH

Tribute Wall

LS

“ Love, Scott and Sherri purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Ann Gertrude Seth.



Love, Scott and Sherri - March 02, 2025 at 12:52 PM

TC

“ The Owens and The Conrad's purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Ann Gertrude Seth.



The Owens and The Conrad's - March 02, 2025 at 10:26 AM

TC

“ The Owens and The Conrad's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ann Gertrude Seth.

The Owens and The Conrad's - March 02, 2025 at 10:26 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ann Gertrude Seth.



February 28, 2025 at 06:06 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ann Gertrude Seth.

February 28, 2025 at 06:06 PM



“ 1 file added to the album video tribute



COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - February 28, 2025 at 02:13 PM



“ Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Ann Gertrude Seth.



February 28, 2025 at 08:51 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ann Gertrude Seth.



February 27, 2025 at 03:42 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ann Gertrude Seth.

February 27, 2025 at 03:42 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ann Gertrude Seth.



February 27, 2025 at 06:59 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ann Gertrude Seth.

February 27, 2025 at 06:59 AM



“ Tribute

Carlene DeFalco - February 27, 2025 at 06:41 AM



“ Dawn Reyes purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ann Gertrude Seth.



Dawn Reyes - February 25, 2025 at 07:18 PM

MC

“It is such a heavy heart we all feel hearing about Ann's recent death. It is always so final and we are left feeling somewhat helpless and so sad, already missing her terribly!

We go way back some 50 years with V.J. and our Mike going to Larc Lane School together, to The MRDD Workshops, and then on to Sunshine employment. We have spent years sharing our son's activities and also meeting with friends for dinner on a monthly basis for 40 some years.

Ann was a woman of tremendous generosity, compassion and wonderful down to earth patience. She had a beautiful faith and trusted God to help her with all the many challenges she had to face in this life, of which there were many. It was wonderful to have a friend whom you could go to and feel comfortable with any conversation.

I am grateful that she is finally at peace, but know that we all have a big hole in our hearts that can be filled in time with the memories of her love and dedication.

We will miss you forever, Ann!

Marge and Mike Clark

Marge Clark - February 25, 2025 at 01:38 PM

OC

“Office of the General Counsel purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Ann Gertrude Seth.



Office of the General Counsel - February 25, 2025 at 06:44 AM

OC

“ Office of the General Counsel planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ann Gertrude Seth.

Office of the General Counsel - February 25, 2025 at 06:44 AM

MR

“ Dear Family of Ann Seth, you have my sincerest sympathy and prayers at the loss of such a special and dear lady! I met Ann while I was Vijay's instructor at Larc Lane. When she found out after years of trying that I was finally expecting, she took it upon herself to plan a Larc Lane baby shower for me. It was such a touching event. I was thrilled to attend her 80th birthday party and see the family again. Wishing her two wonderful children and son-in-law peace, may all your wonderful memories carry you through the days of sadness.

Mary Ann Repka - February 24, 2025 at 10:21 PM

CD

“ I am honored to have been your friend and a part of your beautiful family for all these 45 years watching our children growing up has been a real pleasure and especially Vijay and Tammy and they're growing friendship of love and caring for one another. I cherish every moment together, especially discussing preparation of food, dishes, our family, traditions, and different cultures... summertime worrying about your grass made me worry about my grass... you little stinker... and, your gambling habits, my gambling habits buying tickets every week for us so we can run away if we won a large amount of money... how we tried... how we... our journey together will never be forgotten... then there is camp, courageous, Sunshine, lot industries, Lucas County Board Of, MRDD, recreation, Special Olympics, words and all the other events we share together with Tami and Vi-Jay.... The laughter and the tears... you're famousba BAKlava that everyone loves and you shared with everyone. How happy and proud you were when Anita started baking, baklava... you know someday she would follow your cooking methods and keep it in the family you just knew... I will miss our talks every day, your smiles, your wisdom, your stories of life and family from Pennsylvania... I will miss our dreaming of going on a trip together with or without our children... we did dream, dreams, not reality... and loved every minute... I can't imagine my life without you in it every day, someday, yet I know your spirit has been with me this particular winner as our winter months gave such an apprehension to us both. I miss you now. I will miss you forever, my dear friend, you are my heartbeat of love, kindness, and dreams as I move on, but not forgotten not ever. I love you, Ann Seth always my hugs are filled with much love for you, Anita and Vijay and your two wonderful sisters that I happen to know and a big hug to Eric. He's a great husband. You are proud. You don't worry anymore.

Carlene DeFalco - February 24, 2025 at 07:12 PM

SF

Dear Sweet Ann,

Thank you for adopting Lee and me into your family many years ago to become members of the LCBMRDD social group "around the pool" with the puppies and kiddos. Thank you for sharing your abundant supply of homemade treats and of course, the Opera Fudge, my ultimate favorite. Thank you for sharing our love of Angels and gifting me several that I will cherish always. Thank you for the honor of sharing time with you in your final hours as we were able to communicate and remember the good times of the past and the peaceful times you will share with family and friends for eternity. Thank you for your generosity, kind spirit, gentle and compassionate soul and friendship. I love you and will miss you dearly.

HUGS, Susan

SUSAN RADEY FORGETTE - February 25, 2025 at 02:46 PM