



Barbara Nadeau Heldt

December 5, 1935 - February 12, 2015

Barbara Nadeau Heldt, age 79, passed away unexpectedly from this life Thursday February 12, 2015.

She was born December 5, 1935 in Toledo to Dr. and Mrs. Donald J. Nadeau. Barbara was a graduate of Central Catholic High School and attended the University of Michigan where she was a member of the Alpha Epsilon chapter of Alpha Xi Delta Sorority. Following the University of Michigan she dedicated her life to raising four daughters. She was a Girl Scout Leader, volunteered with the Parent Teacher Association, Rosary Altar Society and loved being involved in the lives of her grandchildren.

Barbara loved sewing, being on the water and always enjoyed a good story. She was a loving and devoted mother, sister and grandmother and was loved by everyone.

Barbara is survived by her daughters, Liz (Gary) Speelman, Teresa (Gordon) MacRitchie, Barbara (Douglas) Jordan and Judy Heldt; grandchildren, Sara (Judson) Speelman-Lohman, Andrew (Bailey) Speelman, Chelsea (Mike) Luck, Ashley Speelman, Ariel Peatee and Haley MacRitchie; two great-granddaughters and sister, Cathy (Bill) Clark. She was preceded in death by her parents and her sister, Sandra Ferris.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., on Monday, February 16, 2015, from 2-8 p.m. where a Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, February 17, 2015, beginning at 9:45 a.m., in the mortuary, followed by a Mass of Resurrection at 10:30 a.m.

at St. Rose of Lima Church, Perrysburg.

The family suggest contributions be made to National MS Society, Northwest Ohio Chapter.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **16**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral and Cremation Services
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614
(419) 865-1295
<https://www.coylefuneralhome.com>

Funeral

FEB **17**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Rose Church
215 E. Front St.
Perrysburg, OH 43551

Tribute Wall

DA

“ Barb

I am so sorry for your loss. I know what you are feeling, and nothing can take away your hurt other than time. Here is a poem someone shared with me when my father passed that I would like to share with you:

*Feel no guilt in laughter, she'd know how much you care.
Feel no sorrow in a smile that she is not here to share.
You cannot grieve forever; she would not want you to.
She'd hope that you could carry on the way you always do.
So, talk about the good times and the way you showed you cared,
The days you spent together, all the happiness you shared.
Let memories surround you, a word someone may say
Will suddenly recapture a time, an hour, a day,
That brings her back as clearly as though she were still here,
And fills you with the feeling that she is always near.
For if you keep those moments, you will never be apart
And she will live forever locked safely within your heart.*

Please know that I am thinking of you and Doug and praying for your family.

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Danee - February 17, 2015 at 07:55 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Barbara Nadeau Heldt.*



February 16, 2015 at 07:59 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss and know you will be in my thoughts and prayers. In the days before political correctness and when we were living on Princeton, I remember you as kids trick or treating. We put the usual candy in your bags as well as a few beers for your mom and dad. I will always be grateful that they did not call the authorities.*

mike hertzfeld - February 16, 2015 at 03:46 PM



“ *Teri, Gordon, and family. Please accept our sincere condolences on your loss. Love, Neil, Kate, Danny, and Claire MacDonald, Sparta, Michigan.*

Neil MacDonald - February 16, 2015 at 10:53 AM



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COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - February 16, 2015 at 08:42 AM

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“ *The TPS Coordinators and SPED Supervsiors purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Barbara Nadeau Heldt.*



The TPS Coordinators and SPED Supervsiors - February 15,
2015 at 03:20 PM