



Janien Berdell Blakely

July 24, 1930 - June 26, 2016

Janien B. Blakely 85 of Holland, passed away Sunday June 26, 2016 in her home. Born to Mearl and Mabel (Kohli) Shelt on July 24, 1930, Janien graduated from Napoleon High School in 1948 and the Flower Hospital School of Nursing in 1951. She married Richard Blakely May 10, 1952 and together they raised 5 sons. Janien worked as an RN in the Toledo area and Detroit until 1978 when she and her husband founded the Blakely Care Center in North Baltimore, Ohio. She retired in 1985. Janien enjoyed playing cards and dominoes and spending winters in Florida as well as visiting with her nursing school friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Richard, infant son David, son John and sisters Lois Tonjes, LaVonne Metzger and Norma Fisher. She is survived by her sons Mike (Cheryl), Tom (Jessica), Doug (Cheryl) and Bill Blakely as well as 12 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd. on Wednesday from 2-4 and 6-8 pm. Funeral services will be held on Thursday beginning at 9:15 am in the mortuary followed by the Mass of Christian Burial in The Historic Church of St. Patrick, 130 Avondale Ave., at 10 am. Entombment Resurrection Cemetery. Memorials may take the form of contributions to St. Jude's Children Hospital. Please view and sign the guest

registry at coylefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

5725 Hill Avenue
Toledo, OH 43615

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **29**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

JUN **29**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral

JUN **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Historic Church Of St Patrick
130 Avondale Ave
Toledo, OH 43614

Tribute Wall

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“ *The Blakely Family, My sincere condolences to your families at the passing of Janien. I had the pleasure of knowing Janien and her family as being one of her first employees when she and her husband established the Blakely Care Center in North Baltimore. Janien had a kind heart and loving spirit which I had the pleasure of witnessing every day through her caring for the residents at her center. She loved being a nurse and she displayed that many times over. I occasionally ran into Janien through the years, she had that same smile and sparkling personality that I remembered . I will remember her fondly and cherish the memories of a great lady.*

My thoughts and prayers are with you. God knows your sorrow and he will comfort you with his light and love.

Sincerely,

Patricia Crouch

Patricia Crouch - June 30, 2016 at 07:57 AM

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“ Dear Blakeley family,
I grieve with you at the passing of Janien. May you find strength to continue in a faith-directed way remembering the promises we all share in Christ Jesus.
I was a classmate of Janien in Napoleon High School and remember her as a striking majorette leader of the band, a great friendliness, and there are still a few of her classmates remaining in Napoleon who have fond memories of that shared time.
I lived elsewhere for most of my life but returned to the Napoleon area, my farm west of Napoleon on Route 6, in September of 2000.
God be with you.
Norm Imbrock

Norman Imbrock - June 29, 2016 at 10:08 AM

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COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - June 28, 2016 at 08:31 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Janien Berdell Blakely.



June 28, 2016 at 12:06 AM