



Joyce Bailey Mitchell

September 26, 1932 - September 13, 2012

Joyce B.

Joyce Bailey Mitchell, age 79, passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving family on September 13, 2012. Joyce was born in Toledo on September 26, 1932 to Ralph and Winifred (McCarthy) Bailey.

She graduated from Central Catholic High School in 1950, and the St. Vincent School of Nursing in 1954. Joyce loved swimming in the Salisbury and Whitehouse quarries. She was an avid reader, and exceptionally strong willed, offering her well read opinions to all who would listen. Joyce was a deeply spiritual woman who practiced transcendental meditation and accepted the Lord into her heart.

Joyce was a devoted mother, always putting the needs of her family before her own. Known as the "Granny Nanny," she loved caring for her grandchildren.

Left to cherish her memory are her children Joseph (Janet) of Marysville, OH, William (Nicole Duve) of Potsdam, NY, Arthur (Inga Schader) of Clunes, Australia, Edmund (Laurie Manke-Mitchell) of Maumee, and Mary Ann Mitchell of Toledo. She is also survived by her grandchildren Owen, Jacob, Olivia, Joshua, Emily, Jordan and Nova; her sisters Barbara Krastin of Kansas City, MO and Dorothy (Ray) Abair of Toledo.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Road, Toledo, Ohio, on Sunday, September 16 from 2:00-5:00 p.m. and from 7:00-8:00, where a Rosary Service will begin at 7:00. Funeral services will begin in the

mortuary on Monday at 9:30 a.m. followed by a mass at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. Interment at Calvary Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Northwest Ohio.

The family wishes to thank the kind and devoted caregivers for Joyce: the devotional love of her daughter Mary Ann; special aide Jackie Knack; and the Hospice nurses Debra, Linda, Karen and Dee.

Tribute Wall



“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. My thoughts and Prayers are with you.*

Love - Cheryl###imported-begin##Cheryl Sanders###imported-end##

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“ *May you always feel her love, recall her smile, laughter and see her swim w/ each passing day! Love and Peace. -K###imported-begin##K. Durco###imported-end##*

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“ *Our prayers are with you all. A strong family created by a strong woman. Please let us know if there is a way for us to help you through this tough time. D and Bob###imported-begin##Bob and Denise Abbott ddabbott@hotmail.com###imported-end##*

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“ *My deepest condolences go out to you and your family at this very difficult time MaryAnn. I am sure she is at peace in a much better place. Love and Miss you very much.*

*Deepest Sympathies,
Jumana###imported-begin##Jumana McManus joujou_746@hotmail.com###imported-end##*

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“ Mary Ann,

I am so sorry to hear about your mother, God has chosen her for his needs now so, that you can move forward with your life and your needs as she watches over you from above.... I know she was a fine woman as it shows with the children that she raised.

God Bless you and yours and I'm here if you need something.

Love,

Vivian##imported-begin##Vivian (Mayle) Hernandez vmayle57@yahoo.com##imported-end##

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“ MA...I am so sorry for your loss. I was blessed to speak with your Mom on the phone a couple of times when she called NES for you-- she was an awesome lady! and I know....she is proud of you for some many things....but you will honor her with your call to nursing. My thought are with you....##imported-begin##Ronda & family Rondaabruce@aol.com##imported-end##

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“ Arthur, Mary Anne, Joseph, Bill and Ed and your families, we send deepest sympathy, love and Blessings to you all. The loss of a deeply loved mother leaves a void in the heart that can never be filled. As you mourn her passing and feel the grief take heart in the knowledge that her legacy is not in the material but in the grand and beautiful lessons she imparted to each and every one of you. She was a trail blazer, who inspired many with her dedication to her beliefs, a dedicated mother, a loving nurse, a loving granny and so proud of each and every one of you. As time goes by the memories of her will be many and varied, some sad some funny and some really beautiful....and in each and every one of those memories will be a lesson of love, peace harmony, tolerance, understanding, non-judgment, humour, dedication to one's goals, determination, tenacity, and the list can go on and on....but whichever one of those lessons we feel is relevant to us as individuals, just know, that, is the gift our mother has bequeathed to us. That is the wisdom we will pass on to our own children, grand children, nieces and nephews. We in turn become the Wisdom Makers. Blessed be the Mother for she is the Nurturer and Future of Mankind. Thank you Joyce for your wisdom. Thank you for sharing your son with our family....the man who has made our daughter so happy and given us two of the most beautiful grand children in the world. May the Angels carry you to the Peace and Blessed Joy of God's Everlasting and Divine Light and Love. Amen.##imported-begin##Valda and Peter Schader##imported-end##

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“ Dear MA,

I am so sorry to hear about the passing of your mother. We talked alot about her over the years. She was a beautiful woman, and she definantly raised a wonder, brilliant, intelligent and beautiful daughter inside and out. You were a God send to your mother, for the past years. She is finally at peace. No more pain, or missery. She is free and so are you and your family to move on with the grace and love she and God has taught you. May God help you and your family throught this most difficult time. Please if there is anything you or your family needs, do not hesitate to ask me for help. God Bless

*Love Donna###imported-begin##Donna
rdsheets@bex.net###imported-end##*

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“ Ed, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. You are testimony of her strong family values. May her memories be with you forever.###imported-begin##Jeff Spohn
spoonerjls@aol.com###imported-end##

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“ Dear Dorothy and family,
Please accept our deepest sympathy for the loss of your sister, mother, aunt and grandmother. We hope you find comfort in being together and remembering happier times.
*With love, your D Dock friends - the Tobins###imported-
begin##Jennifer and Tom Tobin Jentobin@comcast.net###imported-
end##*

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“ I was a classmate of Joyce's at St. V's. We were a small class and all very close. I have not been able to keep in contact with her in the past several years but I always count the members of that class as my extended family. She was a very special person. I send my sincere condolences.##imported-begin##Mary Anne Wendt Bernicke mabernicke@gmail.com##imported-end##

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“ Ed & Laurie, We are sorry for your loss and may it bring your family comfort knowing that God gained another angel in heaven. Peace be with all of you during this time.
-Bobbie & Tim Ramsey, Maumee##imported-begin##Bobbie & Tim Ramseu##imported-end##

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“ Dear Joe, Bill, Art, Ed, and Mary Ann,
We were so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. May your wonderful memories and the love she had for you help you through this. If you need anything please don't hesitate to call us at 205-276-2418. God be with you all.##imported-begin##Tim and Barbara Szmania blszmania@hotmail.com##imported-end##

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“ I have been looking for Dot for awhile to thank her for all the time spent with me and Sharon Johnson at the Catholic Club. Joyce drove Dot, Sharon and I in her grey and pink car to swimming contests out of Toledo. Wonderful times! So sorry to see the notice about Joyce.##imported-begin##Mary Ellen (King) Klein kmstella@aol.com##imported-end##

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