



## Judith Aileen Gerschultz

July 10, 1944 - October 24, 2017

Judith Aileen (Nachazel) Gerschultz

Judy was a loving wife, mother, grandmother daily trivia challenge champion, avid reader, and the inspiration and guiding light for her family. She was born on July 10, 1944, to Robert (Harold) and Margaret (Marge) Nachazel. She, her parents and her siblings, Charlotte, Bob, Tom, and Margaret grew up in the Old West End on Robinwood Street. Judy graduated from Rosary Cathedral and Central Catholic High School and later enjoyed serving on the reunion committee having recently helped plan their 55th reunion for the Class of 1962.

Judy went to Mercy School of Nursing and received her RN in 1965. She married the love of her life Ron Gerschultz in 1966. Judy passed peacefully the evening of October 24, 2017, with her dignity, wisdom, love, and compassion intact surrounded by her loving husband and family. She instilled in her children and grandchildren the values of education, hard work, kindness and the need to live a life that leaves the world a better place. In addition to these values Judy lived a life dedicated to her faith and her love of God. Judy enjoyed special friendships with her book club, her reunion committee and her Victory Center ladies. A special thank you to Dr. Vogel and Dr. Xia and the Flower Hospital staff as well as Hospice of NW Ohio.

Judy is survived by her husband Ron of 51 years; daughter Anne Merrels, her husband Drew and grandchildren Jacob and Lindsey; daughter Laura Swanson and granddaughters Marit and Sydney; daughter Amy Graham and

grandchildren Maria and Rhys; sisters Charlotte Donovan and Margaret Nachazel and brother Tom Nachazel. Judy was proceeded in death by her parents; her brother, Bob Nachazel and sister-in-law Geraldine Nachazel; and brother-in-law Robert Donovan.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd. on Friday, October 27, from 2:00-8:00 p.m. with a Rosary Service at 7:00. The funeral Mass will begin on Saturday, October 28 at 10:00 a.m. at Regina Coeli Church, with an hour visitation starting at 9:00. Interment will be private. Memorial contributions may be given to The Victory Center or Hospice of NW Ohio. Please leave a condolence message for the family at [CoyleFuneralHome.com](http://CoyleFuneralHome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **27**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Visitation

OCT **28**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Regina Coeli Church  
530 Regina Pkwy  
Toledo, OH 43612

## Funeral

OCT **28**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Regina Coeli Church  
530 Regina Pkwy  
Toledo, OH 43612

# Tribute Wall

SC

“ I remember Judy from our days as mothers to our Regina Coeli kids. We were both pretty active at the school & Parents' Club. She was truly a kind, sharing, generous, loving, person. I'm proud to have known her! There are those people that you encounter in life's journey that leave a lasting impression on you....she was one of them! I'm quite sure that God had a special place in heaven for her and she is looking down on us and cracking jokes. She had a great sense of humor & I'm very sure that she will be missed by many. I am praying for her & her family.....May she rest in peace!

Susan Cater - October 29, 2017 at 01:36 PM

CL

“ Ron,  
Deepest sympathy to you and your family. After 50 years together, you must have many happy memories together. Treasure those memories & Judy will live on in your heart.  
Prayers to you & your Family  
Connie Long

connie long - October 27, 2017 at 09:01 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.



October 27, 2017 at 06:52 PM

SW

“ Dear Judy...remembering all the good times at Devils Lake as our young grandchildren swan, tubed and just had fun. Your shared your family with me and I will miss you.

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**suzanne wright** - October 27, 2017 at 02:02 PM



“ Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.



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October 26, 2017 at 09:06 PM

LD

“ Love and prayers for the family. Lu-Anne Deaton

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**Lu-Anne Deaton** - October 26, 2017 at 08:01 PM

JH

“ Dearest Ron,

*Please accept my deepest sympathies, my thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. I have many fond memories of Judy and you and the girls visiting Calabogie. I especially remember those family meals at the Horner cabin, we really had some good times didn't we.*

*God bless you and keep you strong.  
All my love Judy Horner*

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**Judy Horner** - October 26, 2017 at 05:34 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.*



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October 26, 2017 at 03:28 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.*



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October 26, 2017 at 12:14 PM



“ *I share the same memories of Judy as my sister, Cathy Link Cappelletty, below. So sorry to hear of her passing. Our parents were close friends, as well. Judy and I shared being the "younger sisters" to Margie and Cathy, which meant we always ended up doing the dishes. But she taught me to dance during those sessions! She was an exuberant and funny young woman and carried that with her the rest of her life. My condolences to Ron and all her family, who lost her too soon. Mary Link Frost*

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**Mary Link Frost** - October 26, 2017 at 12:11 PM



*That was great to read, being her youngest daughter, she was so funny, and was the one who taught me and maybe my sisters to dance, we always had music on. Thank you, Amy*

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**Amy Gerschultz Graham** - October 26, 2017 at 06:54 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.*



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October 26, 2017 at 11:55 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.*



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October 26, 2017 at 11:38 AM



“ *Ron and family, I was very saddened to see Judy's announcement in the Toledo Blade. My deepest sympathy to you folks. Although I never met Judy, Ron told me so much about her I feel I did know her, a wonderful lady. Our prayers go out to all of you. Jim Wilson Mi.Napco Sales rep.*

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**Jim Wilson Mi. Sales rep.** - October 26, 2017 at 10:54 AM



“ *Katie Kinsey lit a candle in memory of Judith Aileen Gerschultz*



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**Katie Kinsey** - October 26, 2017 at 10:43 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.*



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October 26, 2017 at 08:31 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.*



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October 26, 2017 at 06:34 AM



“ *Anastasia, Bobbi, Elaine, Karen, Kate, Kim, Mandy, Vikki and Analisa purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.*



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**Anastasia, Bobbi, Elaine, Karen, Kate, Kim, Mandy, Vikki and Analisa** - October 25, 2017 at 10:50 PM

CC

“ I was so very sad to hear of Judy's passing and I send my condolences to Ron and their children and grandchildren. I also grew up in the Old West End on Scottwood Avenue, just around the block from the Nachazels. Judy's sister, Margaret, was my best friend so we all spent a lot of time together growing up. I will always remember Judy's sunny disposition, her laugh and her love of American Bandstand. I met my husband, Ken, at Judy and Ron's wedding, and we were married the next year so we have shared a long history. Rest in peace, Judy. You will be greatly missed.

*Cathy Link Cappelletty*

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**Cathy Cappelletty** - October 25, 2017 at 10:15 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.



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October 25, 2017 at 03:32 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judith Aileen Gerschultz.



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October 25, 2017 at 02:19 PM