



Barbara Jeanne Zuercher

October 7, 1926 - February 18, 2009

Barbara Jeanne Zuercher passed away Wednesday, February 18, at St. Luke's Hospital. Barbara was born October 7, 1926 to Willard and Grace (Baird) Rule in Norwalk, Ohio. She graduated from Norwalk High School in 1944. After World War II ended, she and Raymond Zuercher, also from Norwalk, were married on April 14, 1946. They went to Defiance College together. They raised four children and lived in Defiance, Rawson, and Norwalk before they moved to Toledo in 1962. She lived in West Toledo until becoming a resident at Lutheran Village at Wolf Creek in June, 2004. Their lives revolved around their family and music. Barbara sang in choirs at Augsburg and Holy Cross Lutheran Churches. She also enjoyed singing with the senior choir at the Eleanor Kahle Senior Center. Barbara worked at Read Mor Book Store, retiring in 1991. She loved watching sports, especially the Cleveland Indians and the Browns. Barbara was always most proud of her children, Katherine (Joseph) Myers, Kenneth (Lynn) Zuercher, Peg (David) Hinds, and Sarah (David) Rockwell. She has eight grandchildren; Thomas (Tamara) and Rebecca Myers, Stephanie (Ben Kimball) and Andrew Zuercher, Mark and Daniel Jaques, and Bradley and Kristen Rockwell. She was also delighted to hold great-grandson Parker Raymond Easler. She also leaves family friend Robert Beers. She was preceded in death by her husband Raymond, sister, Phyllis Boyer, and brothers, Casey and Willard Rule. A sister, Florence Stacy, lives in Florida. Visitation will be Monday, February 23, at Ansberg West Funeral Home, 3000 W. Sylvania Avenue, from 3:00 until

8:00 p.m. Funeral services will be at Reformation Lutheran Church, 4543 Douglas Road, Tuesday, February 24, at 11:00 a.m., with Holy Cross Pastor, Peter Burfeind officiating. The family wishes to thank the nursing staff at Lutheran Village for their kind and skilled care. We suggest memorials be sent to Lutheran Village at Wolf Creek or Holy Cross Lutheran Church, or a charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. Your mother lived a long and cheerful life. Now she has gone to be with her husband and those she preceded in death to start another journey. Hold on to the memories and good times you enjoyed together.*
Martha Zuercher

Martha Zuercher - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ *Aunt Kathie, Thinking of you. ~ Hilary*

Hilary Peterson - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We wish to honor your mother's memory by making a contribution to Lutheran Village at Wolf Creek for their care of your mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Ken and Lynn.*

Your Friends at TSA - lbaldwin@ts4arts.org lbaldwin@ts4arts.org - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Hi Aunt Kathie, Love to you and your family. Bryan*

Bryan Enk - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Dear Family, I was saddend to hear Barbara had passed. I was her nurse at LVWC until Nov. of 2008. She and I were great Ohio State fans!! After I left Wolf Creek Barb was always on my mind and thought of fondly. God Bless, Charlene*

Nurse Charlene Miller - CMiller419@aol.com CMiller419@aol.com - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM