



Lois Cathryn Miller

April 29, 1924 - October 22, 2012

Lois Cathryn Miller passed away at home on October 22 after a long and courageous battle with Alzheimer's. Born in Toledo, Ohio on April 29, 1924, she was the daughter of Catherine and Frank Buchele. Following her graduation from Waite High School in 1942, Lois married her high school sweetheart, Bill Miller, with whom she celebrated 68 years of marriage on October 18th. From the onset of Alzheimer's, until her death, Bill remained her devoted loving companion and caregiver who was always by her side. She and her husband owned their own interior design firm, Maumee Valley Interiors, for over 45 years. They had a love for traveling globally in order to collect one-of-a-kind accessories and expand their knowledge of the design world. Lois was a household name for many Toledoans as she was responsible for decorating some of Toledo's finest homes. At the height of her career, she was expanding her talents outside of the Toledo area, traveling the country working on her clients' homes. Her creative legacy still continues as the family is now on the third generation of interior designers. For many years, she was a member of Quota Club, Old Newsboys and delivered Meals on Wheels. She is survived by her husband, Bill; son Robert (Mary) Miller; daughter Lynn (William) Duty, with whom she and her husband made their home; six grandchildren: Sarah (Steve) Dent; Anne (Damian) Ruggiero; Mark (Lindsay) Miller; Matthew (Wendi) Duty; Stephen (Michele) Duty; Katherine (Kirk) Guenther; nine great grandchildren; and sister, Evelyn Martin. She was preceded in death by her parents and sister, Merle Gamby. The family gives

special thanks to caregiver, Sue Gilbert, for her selfless, dedicated care over the past several years. Her body has been donated to The University of Toledo College of Medicine. The family will receive friends from 3:00-7:00 PM Wednesday in the Ansberg-West Funeral Home, 3000 Sylvania Avenue. Interment will be private. Any tributes may be made in the form of contributions to Alzheimer's Association of NW Ohio, 2500 N. Reynolds Road, Toledo, Ohio 43615.

Tribute Wall

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“ TO BILL AND FAMILY, OUR HEARTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU. WE WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER LOIS AS A SPECIAL PERSON, SOMEONE WE COULD ALWAYS DEPEND ON. SHE HAD THAT WAY OF MAKING YOU FEEL GOOD WHEN YOU TALKED TO HER.. GOD BLESS HER

George & Nancy Zitzelberger - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Lynn, Condolences. Didn't realize your ma had passed until I talked to Kathy today. Hope to see you soon Al

Albert Geha - Ageha@bex.net Ageha@bex.net - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Keeping the Dutys and Millers in our prayers. Grandma Lois was a very special lady and my girls and I remember her fondly.

Traci Torkelson-Tobin - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Such a beautiful picture for a very beautiful lady. You have such a close knit family with whom to share many memories which will be of comfort in the days to come.

Dianne Winkler - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM