



Mary Ellen Alexander

May 28, 1924 - October 22, 2014

Mary E. Alexander, 90, of Toledo, Ohio passed away on October 22, 2014 at St. Vincent's Hospital surrounded by her devoted family.

Mary was born the eighth of eleven children on May 28, 1924 in Whitehouse, Ohio to Daniel and Clara (Mallendick) Bucher.

Mary shared fifty-nine years of blessed marriage with her loving husband Edwin. Gardening, nature walks, and especially baking her famous sugar cookies for family gatherings were her favorite activities. She was a dedicated, serving member of Pilgrim Church. She will be remembered for her kindness, generosity, and unconditional love. Mary will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

Surviving are her children James (Deborah) Alexander, Janet Alexander, Lisa (Kevin) Paxton all of Toledo, and Susan (John) Heiderscheidt of Chicago, Illinois; grandchildren, Nicole (Michael) DuVall, Bradford (Carrie) Alexander, Kurtis Alexander, Brandon (Stephanie) Paxton, Brett (Allison) Paxton, Jessica, Sarah, Jacob and Emily Heiderscheidt; great grandchildren, Michael and Lucelia DuVall; beloved sisters Lois Bixler of Missouri and Ann Bucher of Toledo.

Mary was preceded in death by her husband, Edwin A. Alexander, three

brothers, and five sisters.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the staffs of St. Anne's and St. Vincent's hospitals and Great Lakes Caring.

Friends are invited to visit from 3:00pm to 8:00pm Friday at Ansberg-West Funeral home 3000 Sylvania Avenue. Services will be held 11:00am Saturday at Pilgrim Church 1375 Sylvania Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43612, where the family will receive guests after 10:00am. Memorial contributions may be made to the Endowment Fund at Pilgrim Church or the charity of the donor's choice. Online condolences may be left for Mary's family at www.ansberg-west.com

Tribute Wall

DM

“ Susan, John, Jim, Deb, Janet, Lisa, and Kevin -

Thinking of my favorite family during this difficult time. Your mom was a blessing to so many, and will never be forgotten. You are all making her proud by carrying on family traditions, so raise a toast in her honor and make sure you all have a sugar cookie in the other hand! Love you all!

Darlene

Darlene Morisco - October 15, 2015 at 10:18 AM

LC

“ my condolences to Lisa, Janet and families. May GODs GRACE LOVE and PEACE wrap His arms around you and keep you close in these days. As He has with me over the past six years loosing 5 mebers so close together.

Larry Crosby - October 24, 2014 at 06:26 PM

DB

“ While I didn't know Mary, I feel like I know her through a 15 year friendship (which started as a business relationship) with Jim. The apple never falls far from the tree, so I know she was a wonderful, caring lady... a people person. May great memories of times with her help you through this difficult time. All of the people here at Dickman Supply are thinking about you Jim!

Doug Borchers - October 24, 2014 at 01:04 PM

KS

“ We were so sorry to hear of Mary's passing. She was a good friend and neighbor of my Mom, Helen O'Brien. She will be dearly missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family now and always. Our deepest sympathies,
Karen and Paul Stresen

Karen and Paul Stresen - October 23, 2014 at 07:15 PM

LC

“ Dear Alexanders,

So sorry to hear your sad news. Our thoughts and prayers are with your beautiful family at this difficult time.

Dave and Linda Cain

Linda and Dave Cain - October 23, 2014 at 12:54 PM