



Nettie S. Gentile

June 21, 1937 - May 23, 2025

Nettie Gentile, 87, passed away peacefully at her home in Toledo on Friday, May 23, 2025, with her family by her side. She was born in Toledo to John and Marietta (Jones) Sparks on June 21, 1937. She was a graduate of Scott High School.

Nettie was married to Joseph Gentile for over 50 years and together they had three children. Her biggest hobby was her children and grandchildren. She loved spending time with them and being involved in everything they did like sporting events, vacations and school activities. She worked as a caterer on the side for a while with her brother-in-law. She was a teacher's aide when her children were growing up and was always volunteering at school and chaperoning field trips and school events. She was her kids and grandkids biggest fan throughout their lives. She enjoyed ceramics, cooking, taking care of her family, joking around and vacation, especially the family trips to Fort Myers Beach every Spring Break for 30 years. Nettie truly was the best mom ever.

She is survived by her children, Concetta "Connie" Baiz, Raymond Gentile and Dawn Gentile; grandchildren, Tanika Baiz, Raymond (Amanda) LeRoux, Tasha Gentile, Joseph (Holly) Gentile, Dominic (Elodie Schreiber) Gentile; great-grandchildren, Alexis and Averie Wynn, Anthony and Dominic LeRoux, Arabella Gentile, Amelia LeRoux, Armani Gentile and Gianna Gentile; sister,

JoAnn Starks; sisters-in-law, Donna McCue and Josephine Heraghthy; and several other extended family members. She is preceded in death by her parents; husband, Joseph; son-in-law, Larry Baiz; sisters, Betty (Moe) Krueger and Peggy Sparks; brother, William (Pat) Sparks; sister-in-law, Ann (Charlie) Immormino; and brothers-in-law, Earl Starks, Danny McCue, and Jimmy Heraghthy.

Family and friends are invited to visit on Wednesday, May 28, 2025, from 1:00pm – 8:00pm at Ansberg-West Funeral Home, 3000 W. Sylvania Ave. Memorial Service will be at the funeral home on Thursday, May 29, 2025, at 11:00am. Interment will follow at Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

2224 Dorr St
Toledo, OH 43607

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 28. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Ansberg-West Funeral Home
3000 W. Sylvania Ave
Toledo, OH 43613

Memorial Service

MAY 29. 11:00 AM (ET)

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3000 W. Sylvania Ave
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Tribute Wall

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“ One of my best Memories was when my Nana (Nettie’s Sister Betty was my Nana so she was my Aunt Nettie) but my Nana passed away in 2004 and I had to go to the airport with my Papa to get my Aunt Joanne and Aunt Nettie from there my Aunt Joanne got off first and came down wearing a moo moo with no teeth in and her hair a mess god Love her she never cared what anyone thought about her!!! And then here come my Aunt Nettie dressed in a matching outfit with her hair done nails done looking Amazing as always and I run up and hug her and she takes one look at my Aunt Joanne starts laughing and giving her shit about not having her teeth in and wearing a moo moo and they laughed and laughed about it I still can remember what she smells like!! I’m sorry I didn’t get out there to visit you but I promise I will get there to meet my cousins I love you Aunt Nettie!!!!

Ashley Lloyd - May 27, 2025 at 03:41 PM



That's so much cousin she was classy that's for sure. Love you

Dawn Gentile - May 27, 2025 at 09:35 PM



“ Mom I miss you and I just want everyone to know that my mom was the best mother ever and I'm so happy that she's up there with her husband and her family love you Mom

Dawn Gentile - May 26, 2025 at 11:05 PM