



Ann Kathryn Ferstle

March 14, 1921 - September 5, 2009

Mrs. Ann Kathryn Monahan Ferstle, 88 years formerly of Cresthaven Lane, passed away Saturday afternoon, September 5, 2009 at the Swan Creek Retirement Center where she had lived several months.

Ann was born March 14, 1921 in Toledo to John and Alice (Blakely) Monahan. She married George E. Ferstle in June of 1949 and he died in November 2005.

Ann was a graduate of Notre Dame Academy in 1939 and received her Bachelors of Education degree from the University of Toledo in 1943.

She taught several years at Bedford High School before raising her family.

Through the years she was an active member of St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Parish and with the Toledo Bar Auxiliary and its Garden Club and Stock Investment Study Group. Spending time in Florida, she volunteered at the Lighthouse Library in Lighthouse Point, Fla. She enjoyed painting and needlepoint.

Surviving are his sons, Thomas G. Ferstle of Lighthouse Point, Fla. and William L Ferstle of Dallas, Texas along with sisters, Mary Rita Gouttiere of Maumee and Deborah E. Gallagher of Idaho Falls, Idaho. A number of nieces

and nephews also survive including Mary Simon and Kathy Savord.

The family expresses their gratitude to the staff at Swan Creek for their loving care.

Friends will be received Saturday beginning at 10 a.m. at St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Church where a funeral Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 11 a.m. Interment will be in Resurrection cemetery. Memorials may take the form of a contribution to the Sunshine Children's Home.

Tribute Wall



“ WE WISH TO EXTEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF ANN K. FERSTLE. WE KNEW ANN AND HER LATE HUSBAND GEORGE AS FELLOW PARISHIONERS AT ST. PATRICK OF HEATHERDOWNS.##imported-begin##ROSE & GENE DEANGELIS##imported-end##

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“ I'm sorry for your loss. I had Ann for a teacher and graduated with the class of 1948 from Bedford High School. We had kept in touch with Christmas cards over the years until the last couple years. She had also attended a number of our high school class reunions, and was always missed when she couldn't attend. She will be remembered!##imported-begin##Arlene Newcombe##imported-end##

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“ Dear Tom and all:

Your mother was a delightful and spirited lady. She kept us on our toes, but we were glad to do it. I found her very easy to get to know and like. Thank you all for the opportunity to know and help her.

I won't be able to be there Saturday, but know that you will continue in my prayers.##imported-begin##Rev. Bill Barnard wbarnard@swanecreek.oprs.org##imported-end##

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“ On behalf of the Notre Dame Academy community, I extend my sincere sympathy at the loss of your mom, a loyal alumna and friend of Notre Dame. May she enjoy fullness of life. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Sr. Mary Ann Culpert, SND

Notre Dame Academy

President###imported-begin##Sr. Mary Ann Culpert###imported-end##

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“ My Mother, Irene Ludwig, was a classmate of your Mother's at Notre Dame; they both graduated in 1939. I met your Mom several years ago. She and my Mother would attend the Notre Dame Academy Alumni luncheons together. My Mom always thought very highly of Ann Monahan and admired her very much.

My Father and I send our sympathy to your family. (My Mom passed away 5 years ago). Now they can enjoy each other again.

Blessings and God's Peace. Judy Warntz###imported-begin##Judy Warntz @ Ken Ludwig###imported-end##

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“ Dear family of Ann, My parents, Val and Elaine Willinger, were friend of George and Ann for many, many years. They lived in the same neighborhood and because both men were attorneys, the men were close friends and so were the women. My Mom and Ann often went to the Toledo Bar Association Auxiliary meetings together over many years. Both couples thought very highly of each other. I am leaving town tomorrow morning and will not be back for the visitation or service on Sat. I regret that I can not personally be there to pay my respects. My parents are both deceased so I would be the only representative for our family. The Ferstles and Willingers were amazing people who lived honorable lives and gave much of themselves. I will miss them all. With Deepest Sympathy to all, Sue Willinger Martin##imported-begin##Sue Martin
smartin@bex.net##imported-end##

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