



Barbara Jean Costigan

June 7, 1927 - March 11, 2016

Barbara J. “Barb” Costigan of Vienna, Virginia passed away at Hallquest Memorial Inpatient Center on March 11, 2016 from complications of a stroke. Barbara, born on June 7, 1927 in Fremont, Ohio, was a lifelong Registered Nurse. She graduated from Providence School of Nursing in Sandusky, Ohio in 1949, and spent most of her career in newborn and neo-natal infant care at St. Charles, St. Vincent, and Mercy hospitals in Toledo, Ohio.

In 1955, Barb met and married her husband, Paul Charles Costigan, who predeceased her in 1984. She was active in her Catholic community at Our Lady of Perpetual Help parish in Toledo, where she led the Catholic ladies’ society and served as a Girl Scout leader for 10 years, and later at St. Joan of Arc parish in Toledo. Upon retiring she traveled extensively to Europe and South America, and lived briefly in Mesa, Arizona and Westminster, Colorado before settling in Northern Virginia. She lived out her last years in the care of her daughter, Therese and her family.

Barbara is survived by her brother, Gerald Schoenfeld; sons, Michael, William and Robert Costigan; daughters, Therese Costigan, Julie Ruleman and Rita Kirkman and 12 grandchildren.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Thursday, March 17, 2016 at St. Joan of Arc Church, 5856 Heatherdowns Blvd., Toledo, Ohio 43614 at 10:30 a.m.

Interment will follow at Resurrection Cemetery. Please view and sign our online “guest registry” at CoyleFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

5725 Hill Avenue
Toledo, OH 43615

Previous Events

Service

MAR 17. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St Joan Of Arc
5856 Heatherdowns Blvd
Toledo, OH

Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Barbara Jean Costigan.*



March 17, 2016 at 12:11 PM



“ *Sorry sorry for the loss of your mom, Bill. Thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family - Rick Zeithaml*

Rick Zeithaml - March 16, 2016 at 10:40 AM



“ *To the Costigan family, prayers for God's peace and healing. Some treasured memories are from Girl Scouts. Your mom was a great leader full of encouragement and creative ways to earn our badges. I still have my junior cadet uniform and sash, with a few badges stuffed in the shirt pocket; yet to be sewn on (smiling). Mrs. Costigan was an inspiration for me to continue scouts through eighth grade where we made a trip to Washington DC. I still have my box of souvenirs from then too, tucked away. God Bless people who make memories like these to cherish. So sorry for your loss. Veronica Fischer.*

Veronica Fischer - March 16, 2016 at 10:25 AM



“ *A Devoted Heart Casket Insert was purchased for the family of Barbara Jean Costigan.* ”



March 14, 2016 at 10:07 PM