



## Barbara A. Raab

February 13, 1928 - October 17, 2025

Barbara Ann Krabach Raab, 97, born on February 13, 1928, to parents Raymond Krabach and Amelia (Wernimont) Krabach-Kemp.

She attended elementary school at St. Rose in Perrysburg and was a proud graduate of St. Ursula Academy, Class of 1946.

Formerly a resident of Shasta Drive, Barbara was a devoted member of St. Charles Borromeo Church, where she served as president of the Rosary Altar Society and was active in many other church functions.

Barbara married Paul "Arnie" Raab on May 20, 1950. Arnie preceded her in death in 2000. Together, they had four children.

She is survived by her sons Mark of Maryland, Greg (Anita) of Maumee, and Steve (Julie), and her daughter Kim Vadnais of Toledo. Also surviving are five grandsons, seven great-grandsons, and one great-granddaughter.

Barbara was also preceded in death by her parents; her brother, Raymond "Tom" Krabach; her stillborn daughter, Suzanne (1952); her son-in-law, John Vadnais (1998); and her daughter-in-law, Huyen (2023).

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., Toledo, OH 43614 on Friday, October 24, from 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. where a Vigil Service will be held at 6:30 p.m. Funeral Services will begin in the mortuary on Saturday, October 25 at 9:30 a.m., followed by the Funeral Mass at 10:00 a.m. at St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Church, 4201 Heatherdowns Blvd., Toledo OH 43614. Interment will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery, Maumee.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to MemoryLane Care Services

or to Swanton Valley Healthcare Center.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph (Maumee)

104 West Broadway Street  
Maumee, OH 43537

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **24**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home  
1770 S. Reynolds Road  
Toledo, OH 43614

## Vigil

OCT **24**. 6:30 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Mass

OCT **25**. 10:00 AM (ET)

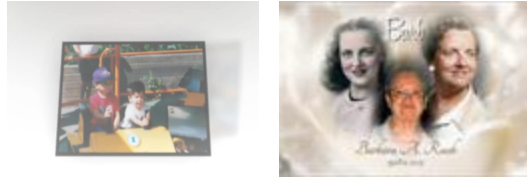
St. Patrick Of Heatherdowns  
4201 Heatherdowns Blvd  
Toledo, OH



# Tribute Wall

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“ 2 files added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE



COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - October 23, 2025 at 02:59 PM

ME

“ Mary Erhart purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Barbara A. Raab.



Mary Erhart - October 22, 2025 at 01:05 PM

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“ Mary Erhart planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara A. Raab.

Mary Erhart - October 22, 2025 at 01:05 PM

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“ I met the Raabs in the summer of 1971 as I began my deacon year at St. Charles Parish preparing for priestly ordination.

*Growing up in the Cleveland diocese, (kinda like a fish out of water) I was almost immediately “adopted” by several St. Charles families, most special of which were Barb and Paul and their children. It grew into such a great relationship that my parents also became close friends of the Raab’s for years to come, long after I returned to the lay state.*

*Barb was an organizer and she took it upon herself to volunteer several other parishioners to help me prepare for my ordination and first Mass celebrations. How blessed I was not only for their hard work but also for their love that inspired their labor of love!*

*More recently I reconnected with Barb (and daughter Kim) as Barb’s health became challenged. Her desire to continue her support of me had not wavered one iota from what it was years before. This though I imagine it was difficult for her to understand my departure from the priesthood. Such is the unconditional love that came natural to her.*

*That same love is her ticket to THE ETERNAL LIFE OF JOY THAT OUR GOD HAS PREPARED FOR HER.*

❤️ .you Barb!

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Steve Nemeth - October 22, 2025 at 08:43 AM

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Thank you!  
Kim

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Kim Vadnais - October 22, 2025 at 08:54 AM