



## Edward V. Clark

October 12, 1942 - April 4, 2025

Edward V. Clark, 82, passed away on Friday, April 4th, 2025. He was born in Toledo on October 12th, 1942 to Virgil and Bereta Clark. Ed attended St. Francis de Sales high school, graduating in 1960. He went on to become a proud graduate of University of Notre Dame, class of 1964 and The Ohio State University School of Law, class of 1967. Ed was a loving husband and father who worked hard to be able to enjoy many vacations with his family. He was an avid golfer as a longtime member of Heatherdowns Country Club where he also served several terms on the board. In his retirement from practicing law after 55 years, he especially enjoyed playing gin rummy. His garden was always the talk of the neighborhood in springtime with beautiful displays of tulips, daffodils and hyacinths. Ed was an active member of the Toledo community, participating in charity law work for the East Toledo Community Center, serving on the board of Genoa Savings and Loan, and serving as President for the Lucas County Bar Association. Everyone who knew Ed was greeted with his easy smile and a spirited conversation and he will be missed dearly.

Ed was preceded in death by his parents; and his sisters Patricia, Virginia and Kathryn. He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Sharon (Tscherne); son Gregory (Kim) Clark; daughter Dr. Gretchen (Matt) Gerace; grandchildren Anthony Gerace; Bridget Gerace and niece Patricia Mann.

The family invites friends and loved ones to share in celebrating Ed's life. A visitation will be held at Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Road, Toledo

on Thursday April 10th 2025 from 4p.m. - 7p.m., with a Scripture Service at 6:30. Funeral Mass will be held on Friday April 11th at St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Church, 4201 Heatherdowns Blvd, Toledo at 10 a.m. with luncheon to follow. Interment will be Calvary Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions to St. Frances de Sales High School or St. Vincent Mercy Medical Center. The family would like to extend our sincerest thanks to all the nurses, doctors and staff of St. Vincent Mercy Medical Center for their excellent care and compassion. Please leave a condolence message for the family at [CoyleFuneralHome.com](http://CoyleFuneralHome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 10. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

## Vigil

APR 10. 6:30 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Mass

APR 11. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Patrick Of Heatherdowns  
4201 Heatherdowns Blvd  
Toledo, OH

# Tribute Wall

JE

“ I am so sorry to hear Ed has passed. My deepest sympathy to his family. I worked for Ed in the law firm in the mid 1980s while in college. I learned so much during my years there. He was always a true professional and a kind person who cared deeply for his family, clients and community.

Jennifer - April 17, 2025 at 10:32 AM

DO

“ May Ed rest in peace with our Lord for all eternity.



Dave Weaks, Rossford OH - April 10, 2025 at 12:30 PM

BF

“ Eddie and I were in the same class at SFS. He was always a good guy, helpful and friendly. While we went our own ways after high school, I did see him at reunions, etc. During one of the reunions, we were in the same foursome, a good time. Bill Fortuna

Bill Fortuna - April 10, 2025 at 11:34 AM

RW

“ Dear Sharon, Greg, Gretchen and family,  
We were saddened to hear of Ed’s passing. Please know that even though we are unable to be with you this week, you will be in our thoughts and prayers.  
Ed was certainly a delight to be around and we will miss his friendship and ability to make interesting conversation.  
We have lost a good friend and good man.  
Our love to all of you,  
Bob & Susan Wender

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**Robert and Susan Wender** - April 09, 2025 at 07:53 PM

VN

“ I knew Ed through his beautiful wife Sharon. Ed was always so welcoming and gracious. I think of him as a true gentleman. He took great pride in his garden and it was stunning in the spring. He will certainly be missed!

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**Valerie Napieralski** - April 09, 2025 at 03:32 PM

PM

“ Ed was an amazing uncle. He freely, constantly gave of himself in support and love. We had great times together mostly in Ohio, and those memories will live forever. In good times, challenging times and in between he was always there. The fond remembrances flood my heart

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**Patty Mann** - April 09, 2025 at 03:07 PM

CB

“ Ed was a great lawyer and a wonderful person. We got to know him through his wife Sharon. Sharon and Ed were a beautiful pair who always believed in and supported the underdogs.

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**Cheryl Bourland** - April 08, 2025 at 03:21 PM

TF

“ Ed has always been a caring and loving uncle to the Mann family. His wonderful outlook on life and love of family will always be kept in our hearts.

The Mann family - April 08, 2025 at 08:43 AM

TF

“ The Mann family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Edward V. Clark.



The Mann family - April 08, 2025 at 08:40 AM

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“ The Mann family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward V. Clark.

The Mann family - April 08, 2025 at 08:40 AM

GW

“ Gary & Sherry Williams purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Edward V. Clark.



Gary & Sherry Williams - April 07, 2025 at 01:09 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edward V. Clark.*



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April 07, 2025 at 11:23 AM



“ *What a wonderful man..We want to send you all a hug...with great sympathy.John and Joan Fisher*

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**John Fisher** - April 06, 2025 at 08:35 AM



“ *Ed was a wonderful person. He was a great friend to my dad! He was always genuine, compassionate, and curious. He and Sharon were great friends with my parents. Ed was a unique individual and will be sorely missed!*

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**Tom Shook** - April 06, 2025 at 07:10 AM

RK

*Ed Clark was a friend of mine. We both went to the same law school- Ohio State, and we were even in the same class.*

*We drove home together from Columbus to Toledo when Ed tried to set the speed record for the least amount of time.*

*Two of our professors argued a case before the US Supreme Court over our spring break and so we drove to Washington DC to watch them. Before we left Toledo, Ed's grandmother cooked us a big meal so we would not leave on an empty stomach.*

*We were both members of the Lucas County Bar Association and both served as president.*

*I knew Ed's father Virgil and his other office associates. They were a nice group of people. Virgil was the treasurer of the Lucas County Bar Association. We had a lot of money in the treasury and the young guys like Ed and I wanted to spend it, but Virgil made sure that we didn't.*

*The last time I saw Ed was last year when he called me to have breakfast with him. We reminisced over old times, and I am glad we got together*

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**Richard Kolb** - April 07, 2025 at 05:45 PM