



## Joan E Thornton

February 2, 1926 - September 3, 2016

Joan E. Thornton, 90 years of Toledo, Ohio, passed away peacefully on Saturday September 3, 2016. She was born in Toledo, Ohio, on February 2, 1926 to John C. and Flossie Wenzel. Joan attended Libbey High School. Joan was a member of Our Lady Of Perpetual Help Catholic Church for over 56 years where she volunteered in the school throughout the years that her children attended. After her children had grown, Joan worked part time for Churchill's Grocery Store in south Toledo retiring in 1987.

She loved to travel the world; her favorite places being Switzerland and France with her granddaughter Patricia and the French Club from Central Catholic High School. Joan also loved playing cards with friends, going to the casino, taking cruises and spending time with her children and grandchildren. Joan was preceded in death by her parents; Loving husband Frank Thornton; sister Lucille French; brothers-in-law Scott French and John Coutcher. She is survived by her loving children Gary (Lisa) Thornton, Carol Thornton and Robert (Allison) Thornton; grandchildren Patricia (Kyle) O'Connor, Molly (Jon) Wenck, Kellie (A.J. DeMarco) Thornton, Kyle Thornton, Kara Thornton, Claire Thornton, Calista and Sierra McClanahan; great grandchildren Quinn and Scarlett O'Connor and sister Mary Alice Coutcher. Also surviving are several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S Reynolds Rd; on Wednesday September 7, 2016 from 4-8 pm where a Scripture Service will be held at 7:00 pm. Funeral services will begin in the mortuary on Thursday

September 8, 2016 at 10:00 am followed by the funeral mass at Our Lady Of Perpetual Help Church at 10:30 am. Interment services will follow in Resurrection Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers please consider a contribution to either Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church or to the Central Catholic Glee Club.

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

5725 Hill Ave  
Toledo, OH 43615

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

SEP 7. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral and Cremation Services  
1770 S. Reynolds Road  
Toledo, OH 43614  
(419) 865-1295  
<https://www.coylefuneralhome.com>

## Scripture Service

SEP 7. 7:00 PM - 7:15 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral

SEP 8. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
2255 Central Grove  
Toledo, OH 43614



# Tribute Wall

TK

“ *Sorry for your loss*



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**Tim Kosmider** - September 07, 2016 at 05:47 PM

SM

“ *Being family, it was always a special time for my mom, and me when we would drive up to Toledo to see, my Aunt Faye, and her daughters, and their families. I miss those days so much. Joan would call these last years, and check on me, and see how my grown family was doing. I just talked to Joan a couple of months ago, when she called me at work, and was just checking up on all of us. I am so honored to have known her, and the time I had spent with her, and the family. I thank you for always having a smile on your face, for treating me as part of your family, and never forgetting me. Love always to you.*



*Sharon Bulen Moore*

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**Sharon Bulen Moore** - September 07, 2016 at 11:49 AM

AT

“ *Gary, Carol & Robert.....I'm so sorry for the loss of your mother. Shes in my prayers as all of you are. I loved her so*

*Ann*

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**Ann Terlep** - September 07, 2016 at 11:28 AM

BO

“ Carol and family, My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. May the Lord wrap his loving arms around you and give you comfort.

*Bobbi Chapman*

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**Bobbi** - September 06, 2016 at 11:02 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Joan E Thornton.



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September 06, 2016 at 01:31 PM

MS

“ Dear Carol and Family,

*So sorry to hear the news of your Mom. Sending love and prayers to all.*

*The Subleski Family*

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**Mary Ann Subleski** - September 05, 2016 at 09:00 PM

BW

“ So sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother, Carol. My prayers to you, your brothers and families at this difficult time.

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**Bridget Wise** - September 04, 2016 at 09:59 PM

JW

“ As a close friend of her niece Diana French, I was fortunate to share in Joan's loving presence. She was very special to Diana and Diana called Joan "her second mother." Joan was a kind and loving person and I always enjoyed my visits with her. May God bless her and the entire family. My prayers are with you during this difficult time.

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**Janice Wittman** - September 04, 2016 at 04:04 PM

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“ I'm so sorry Carol, Gary and Robert. Having recently lost my mother, I know how hard this time is for you. Knowing they are at peace and with God and their families is some consolation. Will keep you in my prayers. Love, Teri

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**Teri** - September 04, 2016 at 11:31 AM

DB

“ So sorry to hear about your loss Gary. Prayers for your whole family.

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**Dave & Sharon Bubacz** - September 04, 2016 at 09:37 AM