



Kathleen Ann Bayer

June 25, 1946 - May 25, 2016

Kathleen Ann (LaVoy) Bayer, age 69, passed away Wednesday, May 25, 2016 in Holland, Ohio. She was born on June 25, 1946 in Toledo, Ohio, at St Vincent Hospital, to the late George and Florence (Nachtrab) LaVoy. Kathy graduated from Blessed Sacrament Grade School and Notre Dame Academy (1964) and attended the University of Toledo. She married Charles James Bayer (Jim), and together they nearly celebrated 46 years of marriage. She served as a United States Army Officer's wife for several years, living abroad in Germany. She and her husband chose to live off the Army base immersing them in the culture which fostered a love of international traveling in years to come. Throughout her life, Kathy served on Wood County's American Cancer board, St. Aloysius Elementary School's board and many church and her daughters' school committees. Kathy was a loyal volunteer to Christ Child in Toledo, Ohio. She additionally was a volunteer to the children's library (Angie's Place) and the pediatric unit of Toledo Hospital. Kathy was "allergic" to dogs all her life except for her late friend's (Jan Lee) dog, Max. In 2007, Kathy's dog allergy miraculously disappeared when she adopted the dog of her life, Mini Bayer. Kathy loved reading and read to her three girls while they grew up, nurturing the importance of education, research, literature and the arts. Kathy was loved by numerous friends and enjoyed book clubs, weekend getaways, curling, traveling and Bridge with them. She is survived by her husband, Jim Bayer; her three daughters and son-in-law, Pamela L. Bayer and Timothy Matthew Myers, Leigh Ann Bayer,

and Constance Marie Bayer; her three siblings, Marilyn J. Hemmert, Donald LaVoy, and Mike (April) LaVoy. Kathy was blessed with numerous in-laws, nephews and nieces, aunts and uncles and cousins; all who she loved very much.

Friends may visit at Little Flower of Jesus Catholic Church, 5522 Dorr Street, Toledo Ohio, 43615, on Saturday May 28, 2016 from 9:00 am until the time of the Funeral Mass at 10:30 am. Interment services will be private for the family. In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to either St. Vincent DePaul Society at Little Flower of Jesus Church or to the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation, 230 East Ohio Street, Suite 304 Chicago, Illinois 60611-3201.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 28. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Little Flower Of Jesus
5562 Dorr St.
Toledo, OH 43615

Service

MAY 28. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CB

“ *CHuck, my deepest sympathy in Kathys passing, thought I sent a message befor , sorry I am so late but sincere.*

Carol Black

Carol Black - June 28, 2016 at 04:37 PM

PF

“ Dear Marilyn, "Donny", and "Mikey",,,,
I was so sorry to read of Kathy's passing...and also so sad I was
unable to attend her funeral..
I haven't seen or spoken to any of you guys in so long,,tho..some
years back I ran into Marilyn...
Kathy was the first person I trusted to baby-sit my children..(on
Gracewood) other than family...we lived next door to you when you
were all growing up....
I am so sorry to say we lost touch when we moved away to a larger
home...I recall we had your parents over to dinner once...but then
we just seemed to fade away..
Mike and Tom were the same age and therefor good friends...

I know what it is like to loose a beloved sister...and brother for that
matter...It is so difficult and I am so sorry....(I am now an orphan)...

Kathy was the sweetest little teenager,,and I trusted her so
completely when she helped us out by babysitting....
All of you guys were such good kids..and I remember you each took
your turn at the baby-sitting detail for us...(except Mike)...you were
still in need of a babysitter yourself..

I hope you all, along with Kathy's husband and children are doing
well and remember you have another angel up there watching over
you all...

Love and Hugs, Pat Forrester

Pat Forrester - June 11, 2016 at 03:15 PM

JO

“ You will be remembered.

John - June 04, 2016 at 09:44 AM

KM

“ Jim & daughters, so sorry for your loss, Kathy was a wonderful person so you will have many memories. Our thoughts & prayers are with you. Wayne & Kaye Michaelis

kaye michaelis - May 31, 2016 at 11:42 AM

JC

“ Jim, Lynn and I were so sad to hear of your loss. It's been a number of years, but we value the time we were together. Our deepest prayers are with you and your family.
Joe & Lynn Catalano

Joseph Catalano - May 30, 2016 at 12:50 PM

JR

“ Kathy, my "Inner Circle" sister. Until we meet again in heaven. May your family gain comfort and be consoled by holding close in their hearts your loving memory.
Love to Jim and your daughters, Jean and Douglas Rapoll

Jean Rapoll - May 28, 2016 at 07:50 PM

MT

“ Please accept my sympathy. I attended Notre Dame Academy with Kathy and fondly remember her as a warm and caring person. May you find comfort in all the memories you shared together.
Monica Malak Taylor

Monica Malak Taylor - May 28, 2016 at 05:10 PM

JC

“ *Jim and Family*
Please accept our sympathy. We will always
remember our times with you and Kathy.
Joe & Nancy Campisi



Joe & Nancy Campisi - May 28, 2016 at 08:33 AM

CV

“ *2 files added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE*



COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - May 27, 2016 at 05:58 PM

LN

So sorry to hear about Kathy's passing. We have enjoyed knowing
your family, especially the round robin Bridge tournaments. May you
find comfort in your memories. Our prayers are with you at this difficult
time.
Lyle and Jaci Nowicki

Lyle and Jaci Nowicki - May 30, 2016 at 07:34 PM