



Kathleen May Gray

May 1, 1928 - January 16, 2014

Kathleen M. Gray, 85 years of Toledo, peacefully passed away on Thursday, January 16, 2014 at Lakes of Monclova Care Center.

Kathleen was born to Joseph and Agnes Keil on May 1, 1928 in Toledo, Ohio. She was a graduate of St. Ursula Academy where she received the Bishops Cross, and Mercy School of Nursing. Kathleen's favorite flower was the violet, and her favorite color was brown. She loved her piano and the songs that she sang, but her greatest love was for her children. Although she is gone, it will be impossible to forget her because whenever you look at one of her children, grandchildren, or great grandchildren you will be seeing a part of her.

Kathleen is survived by her children: Timothy (Teresita) Gray, Mary Patricia Gray, Thomas Gray, Kevin (Karen) Gray, Lizzy (Michael) Konecki, Paul (Tina) Gray, Colleen Gray-Milliron, Peter Gray, Matthew (Tanya) Gray, Catherine (Michael) Harrigan, Joseph (Di) Gray, John (Jane) Gray and Molly (Scott) Linek; sister Virginia Labardee; brothers Cliff (Shirley) Keil, Ron Keil, Jerry (Carol) Keil, and Tom (Lynn) Keil; 30 grandchildren and 26 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Donald; grandsons Colin Gray-Milliron and Devon Gray; granddaughter Sara Konecki; sister Rosemarie Keil and brother Joseph Keil.

Family and Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd. on Sunday, January 19 from 2-8pm where the Rosary will be recited at 7pm. Funeral Services will begin at 9:15am on Monday, January 20 in the mortuary, followed by a Funeral Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes at 10:00am.

Interment will follow in Resurrection Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may take the form of a contribution to Hospice of Northwest Ohio. The Gray family wishes to thank the staff at Lakes of Monclova and the kind people at Hospice of Northwest Ohio.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

5725 Hill Ave
Toledo, OH 43615

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 19. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Rosary Service

JAN 19. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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Funeral

JAN 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Lourdes Church
6149 Hill Ave
Toledo, OH
<http://olltoledo.com>

Tribute Wall

TC

“ To the Gray family, My mum told me about Kathleen tonight. So sorry to hear the news. I do know she's in heaven among the saints and Don, together again with Jesus and Almighty God.

I remember so many great things about Kathleen , Don and all the kids. I lived on

Continental Blvd. in 1970 across the street from the Gray's. I remember Halloween night when we would all come in late and pour tons of candy on the kitchen table after counting our bounty in Sleepy Hollow park at midnight, Mrs. Gray was there worried about how late we all had stayed out. I remember the tons of clothes Kathleen washed and folded each day.

I remember her quiet ways and gentle voice. I remember when Colleen and I had a knock down drag out fight in my front yard. We both had new Scapulars on and after the fight we went over to the Gray house. Kathleen said we would have to wait until Colleen's dad came home to unravel what we had done. Colleen and I sat neck to neck and waited for Mr. Gray for about an hour. Don arrived and meticulously pulled our Scapulars apart without damaging them.

I remember Paul, Liz and my sister Cathy walking out to the Gray's farm, building a Pallet raft to float down the Mamme river. It didn't work, Paul and I were soaked like a river rats, shivering and frozen in mid October as we all walked to the Gray's house. Kathleen dried our cloths and we warmed up in the comfort of this beautiful loving home. Paul and I would bring frog's home from the frog pond on the Gray's farm. Experimenting with their anatomy in the basement wash basin. Kathleen was left to clean up the mess. She simply asked what were you doing. Never got mad never a cross word.

When we left Toledo, Paul would write, Liz would call and Tim went to Medical School. Since we have all grown up. One thing I will never forget is the absolute love and kindness that Kathleen ,Don and all the kids gave our family while we were neighbors.

Today it is still the most cherished memories of my childhood, not just for me but for our entire family,so so many memories. Kathleen is a wonderful saint of a woman.

*God Bless all of you.
Tom Clark and Family.*

Tom Clark - January 23, 2014 at 11:02 PM

CG

“ *Dear Kevin and Family, Patty and I were saddened to learn of your Moms passing. Our Hearts and Prayers are with all of you,always
Clair and Patty Gill*

Clair and Patty Gill - January 23, 2014 at 07:06 PM

CT

“ *I didn't get to know Kathy personally, but I know that she was loved very much by family and friends. I am unable to attend the ceremony but I wanted to tell the family that I am sorry for their loss and extend my condolences.*

*Sincerely,
Casey*

Casey Thomas - January 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ *Dear Colleen and Family,
There is nothing in this world that can replace a Mother's love, but you can keep her memory and spirit alive forever in your heart's.
May God bless you and your family during this most difficult time.
Mary & Dave Keisser Stuart, Florida*

Mary & Dave Keisser - January 18, 2014 at 08:26 AM

SK

“ I loved being able to visit at Kay and Don's home on Continental Blvd. and when there were only the oldest 5 kids I got to go along and help with them at the annual Plumbers' Picnic. Know that your mom loved you all and hopes that you will continue to live out your faith day by day. I will keep you in special prayer especially at our Saturday night Mass here in Booneville, Ky. I wish I could be there to comfort all of you her children, grandchildren, great-granchildren, and sister, Ginny and brothers: Cliff, Ron, Jerry, and Lynn and sisters-in-law: Shirley, Carol and Lynn. You are so special to me!
Your cousin,
Sister Angie Keil

Sister Angie Keil - January 17, 2014 at 09:50 PM

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