Marjorie F. McKenzie

February 28, 1923 - March 25, 2015

Marjorie “Marge” McKenzie, age 92 of Toledo, Ohio, passed away Wednesday March 25, 2015 at her home at Lutheran Village of Wolf Creek. She was born in Stoystown, PA on February 28, 1923, to Matthew and Catherine (Borkowski) Flack. Marge made her way to Toledo, Ohio where she worked as a Rosie-the-Riveter during World War II and where she met her husband, William “Bill” McKenzie. She was also a hand model, a telephone operator and worked at a craft manufacturer. After raising her three children Marge went on to be employed at Kmart where she was notorious for her “green thumb”. She was extremely talented at crocheting and put the skill to good use in making sweaters, hats, and booties for the Intensive Care Nursery in the Mercy Hospital Partners System. Marge had many passions in life, one of the most important was her family.

A loving and caring wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend, Marge will be sadly missed by all who knew and loved her. Marge is survived by her son, Donald (Nancy) McKenzie, and daughters, Pat (Joe) Brooks, and Sharon (John) Frederick; grandchildren, Kim McKenzie, Amy (Brett) Robbins, Stacy Hyde, Brett Lowe and Nicholas Goodrich; 8 great grandchildren (Andrea and Brittany, Brianna, Sydney, and Layla, David, Jordan, and Skyler); and 1 great-great grandson (Jaiden); one niece, Patty Jean Kaufman and three nephews Phil (Kim) Mendel, David Mendel, and Joe (Robyn) Mendel.
In addition to her parents, Marge was preceded in death by her husband,

William, grandson Brint William Lowe, and her sisters, Jean Kaufman and Adeline Mendel.

Family and friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., on Saturday, March 28, 2015 from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM, followed by a memorial service at 1:00 at Coyle. Interment will be at Toledo Memorial Park.

Marge's family would like to extend our sincere thanks to all her caretakers and friends at Lutheran Village of Wolf Creek and Hospice of Northwest Ohio for all their support, health care and love shown to her. The family requests memorial contributions to Mercy St. Vincent Medical Center Auxiliary, 2213 Cherry St., Toledo, OH 43608, attn. Cindi Ruff, memo Marge McKenzie. Please view Marge's memorial video tribute and leave a condolence message at CoyleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Toledo Memorial Park

6382 Monroe St
Sylvania, OH 43560

Previous Events

Funeral

MAR **28**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

DB

Don and Nancy -- I was so sorry to read in the paper about the passing of your mom. I only met her once, but I knew she was a great lady. I know you will miss her very much. My thoughts, prayers and love are with all of you at the very sad time. Deb Barnes

Deb Barnes - March 28, 2015 at 07:48 AM

PD

Whether she was explaining a new crochet pattern or sharing innovative recipes, Aunt Marge liked to help others. She was a quiet, elegant lady who had lots of love to share. I will truly miss her.

Patty Davis

Patty Davis - March 26, 2015 at 07:58 PM

Betsy Duncan

So sorry for your loss. I remember her walking past our house on her way to work all the time when I was a little girl. And, of course, Sharon as our favorite babysitter, who I always thought was the most beautiful girl I knew. My thoughts are with you in your time of sadness. Betsy (Kramer) Duncan

Betsy Duncan - March 26, 2015 at 06:07 PM

CV

3 files added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE

COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - March 26, 2015 at 12:27 PM

DM

Dave Mendel purchased the Strength & Solace S
pray for the family of Marjorie F. McKenzie.

Dave Mendel - March 26, 2015 at 10:51 AM

DM

Aunt Marge was a loving, caring and accepting person. She sent me a beautiful Christmas card every year of my adult life without fail no matter how many times I moved. I will miss her dearly as I continue to miss Uncle Bill.
Dave Mendel

Dave Mendel - March 26, 2015 at 10:46 AM

SJ

I was so sorry to hear about Aunt Marge. The family did a wonderful job with her obituary...so many things about her I didn't know! I'm glad I had a short time to talk to her when she was at St. Luke's...I really enjoyed my time with her. I won't be able to be at the memorial service because of work, but my thoughts and prayers will be with all of you.

Susan and Jim Jones

Susan Jones - March 26, 2015 at 09:25 AM

GK

We are sorry to her of your Mothers passing. Your Dad and Mom were great hard working people, very thoughtful. We lived on Van Fleet behind your folks, Sharon would babysit our daughters ,[Lori & Betsy] When Marge would be on her way to or from K Mart and I was outdoors she would always stop to chat. She can finaly rest, she earned it and again we are sorry for your loss.
Sincerly, Gary & Bonnie Kramer

Gary & Bonnie Kramer - March 26, 2015 at 08:48 AM

CW

Pat and Sharon
So sorry to hear about your mother, I have had the pleasure of knowing her for many years while working at krogers and waiting on her. A very nice lady I will miss her smiling face.

Cindy wiese
Kroger holland-sylvania

cindy wiese - March 26, 2015 at 07:18 AM

KM

Aunt Marge was always welcoming and loved her family in the most unconditional manner. I always enjoyed being on the Christmas Eve clean up committee with her!
She was our Ally! XO Kim

Kim Mendel - March 25, 2015 at 03:38 PM