



## Mary Alice Schuller

August 21, 1930 - March 13, 2018

Mary Alice Schuller, 87 years old of Toledo, Ohio, passed away on Tuesday, March 13, 2018 in her daughter's home surrounded by her loving family. Mary Alice was born in Toledo, Ohio, on August 21, 1930 to Paul and Blanche (Metty) Dugan.

She grew up in Blessed Sacrament Parish where she lived with her family in the house that her father built across from what was then a WWII "victory garden," and now is DeVeaux Village. She graduated in 1948 from Central Catholic High School where she met James A. Schuller, the love of her life and husband of 42 years. The two of them enjoyed the simple things in life – dancing together, weekly date night, consisting of a "late meal" by candlelight, and enjoying time with family. Mary Alice was not only a devoted wife and mother of ten but also worked as Jim's legal secretary from the beginning of his law practice, teaching herself the new technology called a "computer." She was an active member of St. Agnes Parish for 18 years, after which she returned to Blessed Sacrament Parish where she was a member of the Parish Council for several terms. Her faith was an important part of her life. She and Jim were instrumental in the formation of many small faith groups and she enjoyed her weekly 2 a.m. hour of perpetual adoration for years at Blessed Sacrament.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James, her daughter, Diane Wlodarski, her brother, Paul Dugan and sister, Joanne Lenkay. Mary Alice is survived by sons, James L. (Kathy), Thomas (Maria), Joseph and Christopher,

and daughters Kathleen (Jim) Faulkner, Karen (Bill) Declercq, Suzanne (Franz) Stallkamp, Mary Beth (Larry) Young, Julie (Pat) Boyle, as well 134 grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her sisters Suzanne Desmond and Patricia (Donald) Champine, sisters-in-law Janet Jensen, Jean Schuller and many nieces and nephews.

She was beautiful, selfless, and the most joyful person and she will always be the Queen of our large family. Her heart was golden. She saw the good in everyone. We love you and thank you for the beautiful example of faith and love you have instilled in all of us. We know you are now dancing on the stars with Dad.

A special thank you to Courtney Freels, Marsha Lewis, and Betsy Tucker, Mom's special caregivers and Jackie, Tessa, Tammy, Angie, Jen and all of the NW Ohio Hospice caregivers.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home; 1770 S Reynolds Rd. on Sunday March 18, 2018 from 2:00 to 8:00 pm where the Vigil Service will be held at 7:00 pm. Funeral Mass will be held at the Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, 2240 Castlewood Dr., Toledo, Ohio, 43613 at 10:30 am where the family will greet guests from 9:30 am to 10:30 am. Entombment services will follow at Resurrection Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Northwest Ohio or Blessed Sacrament Outreach. Please view the on-line guest registry at [CoyleFuneralHome.com](http://CoyleFuneralHome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

5725 Hill Avenue  
Toledo, OH 43615

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 18. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Vigil

MAR 18. 7:00 PM - 7:15 PM (ET)

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

## Visitation

MAR 19. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Most Blessed Sacrament  
2240 Castlewood Dr.  
Toledo, OH 43613

## Service

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MAR **19**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Most Blessed Sacrament  
2240 Castlewood Dr.  
Toledo, OH 43613

# Tribute Wall

BK

“ To all of the Schuller kids, who may or may not remember me from Blessed Sacrament . Your Mom was able to cheer me up at that picnic table in your kitchen, when I was struggling with a family problem. I loved her and your dad (he & I were on Parish Council together for years). She is back in the arms of her wonderful man, which softens the blow of losing such a dear woman. God bless your wonderful family. Barb Kunkel

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**Barbara Kunkel** - March 21, 2018 at 01:06 PM

SF

“ The Schullers were our extended family growing up on Westway. When I picture Mary Alice ( I have trouble not calling her Mrs. Schuller), she's always laughing. As if she didn't have enough children of her own to feed, she frequently found room for one or more of my siblings and I at her big kitchen table. She dispensed joy and was a joy to be around. She was a great Mom and, I'm sure, a terrific grandmother as well.

Fondly, Sue Flury (pictured with Frannie Flury and Karen Schuller)



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**Sue Flury** - March 21, 2018 at 11:28 AM

GR

“ Please accept my family's sincere condolences on the death of your dear loved one. May you find comfort in fond memories of them, and peace in the knowledge that soon, God will "wipe every tear from our eyes, and death will be no more."

Greene's - March 20, 2018 at 10:35 AM

MD

“ What a beautiful and kind woman. Kathy and Karen (and all), I'm sorry I was out of town and couldnt make the wake service. So sorry for your loss! You were sooo good to her!!

MARY BETH DURBIN - March 18, 2018 at 09:17 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Alice Schuller.



March 18, 2018 at 01:52 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mary Alice Schuller.



March 17, 2018 at 03:55 PM

JS

“ To All of the Schuller Family: So sorry to hear of your loss. Keeping all of you in our thoughts & prayers. Your Mom, Grandma was such a sweet person and it was truly a blessing to know her. Cherish all the memories & hold them close to your hearts. May she rest in eternal peace. Love to all, Joan & Tim Sandlin

Joan Sandlin - March 17, 2018 at 10:53 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary Alice Schuller.



March 16, 2018 at 05:07 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Alice Schuller.



March 16, 2018 at 02:02 PM

BR

“ Sending our Love and Sympathy on the passing of your wonderful Mother and Grandmother to all of your family. She had much love in her heart for many including her nieces and nephews. I love you Aunt Mary Alice, rest in peace <3 \* Pati Dugan-Wasik-Rambo and Byron (Barney) Rambo



Barney & Pati Rambo - March 16, 2018 at 03:54 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Alice Schuller.*



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March 15, 2018 at 10:16 PM



“ *Mrs. Schuller...you were an awesome example to me, even as a teenager! I will never forget your traditional late night dinner with Mr. Schuller. What a great idea and it is something I tried to do with my husband, although we didn't manage it weekly! You have wonderful kids...which is a great tribute to you. We rejoice that you no longer have to deal with the trials of this life and are now enjoying eternity with your Savior!*

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**Mary Rumschlag** - March 15, 2018 at 09:00 PM



“ *Marcus Lemon.....General Motors purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mary Alice Schuller.*



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**Marcus Lemon.....General Motors** - March 15, 2018 at 07:43 PM

JP

“ Jeff loved his time spent with MaryALICE AND JIM, when he was an RCIA candidate. He was inspired by them with each visit he made. Their strength of faith and commitment to each other and their family.

*Thank you Mary Alice and Jim.*

*Jeff and Janet Pope*

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**Janet Pope** - March 15, 2018 at 07:19 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Alice Schuller.



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March 15, 2018 at 05:49 PM

LW

“ Love , Fran (Flury) and Joe White purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Mary Alice Schuller.



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**Love , Fran (Flury) and Joe White** - March 15, 2018 at 01:49 PM

JO

“ Our family has lost an angel this side of Heaven. Thank you God for giving Aunt Mary Alice peace and taking her home to your loving arms. Give her family strength as they morn the loss of their mom, grandmother, aunt, great aunt, sister and friend. We now have another angel in Heaven ❤️❤️

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**Jeanette Oliva** - March 15, 2018 at 01:02 PM