



## Nancy M. Mettler

August 26, 1936 - January 23, 2022

Nancy Mettler, age 85, died peacefully on January 23. A lifelong resident of South Toledo, Nancy was born August 26, 1936 to Ruth and Harold VanTassel, grew up on Arlington Ave., and attended Libbey High School, graduating in 1954.

In 1955 Nancy married Robert J Mettler, and together they raised seven children and a grandchild.

Nancy felt her greatest accomplishment was raising a granddaughter with physical limitations to become a successful and independent woman. She was particularly proud to have once been invited to attend a medical conference, as an example of what could be accomplished, by any child, when provided proper nurturing coupled with high expectations.

After raising her family, Nancy worked at St Vincent Medical Center in a variety of positions, from house-mother in the school of nursing to the credit department, retiring in 1991.

In retirement, Nancy loved tending her meticulous garden, spending time with family, dancing, boating, and as a devout catholic, attending mass. Nancy was a lifelong member of St James parish until it's closure, after which she joined OLPH parish.

Nancy's unique personality made her the life of the party, especially when it wasn't a party until she arrived and made it one!

Nancy was preceded in death by her husband, Bob, son Joseph, her parents, whom she dearly missed, and dear friend Elizabeth (Betty) Price. She had faith they would all, one day, be reunited.

Left to mourn are: Nancy's children, Michelle (William) Mohrbach, Michael, James, Robert (Diane), John (Laura) and Susan Mettler; brothers Robert (Roberta) VanTassel and Thomas (Barbara) VanTassel; sister Susan (John) Granata; 16 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

The family extends their deepest gratitude to Kind Hearts Hospice, St Clare Commons, Nancy, Vickie, Lisa, Mickey, and especially Terry, who became a dear friend to Nancy, for their wonderful daily care of our mother.

Visitation will be Friday, January 28, at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 2255 Central Grove Ave., Toledo, OH 43614 at 10:00 a.m., with Funeral Mass following at 11:00 a.m. Interment will follow at Calvary Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be given to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church.

In an attempt to include friends and family from far and wide to celebrate the life of Nancy M. Mettler we are pleased to offer a Live Stream of the Funeral Mass for Nancy beginning at 10:45am on Friday, January 28, 2022 for those who wish to attend the Mass virtually.

To view a recording of the Live Stream of Nancy's Funeral Mass please [CLICK HERE \(https://vimeo.com/671323611/a74765db61\)](https://vimeo.com/671323611/a74765db61)

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

2224 Dorr St.  
Toledo, OH 43607

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

## Funeral Ceremony

JAN 28. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Coyle Funeral and Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Nancy M. Mettler*



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**Coyle Funeral and Cremation Services** - February 02, 2022 at 02:37 PM

PC

“ *Jim:*

*Sorry to hear about your mother. Christa sent me the obituary information.*

*May her memory be eternal.*

*Pete Couladis  
Athens, Ohio*

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**Peter Couladis** - February 05, 2022 at 04:51 PM

CN

“ *To Michelle and all of the Mettler family - My deepest condolences to you with your mother's passing. I know that she will be missed. Cecelia (Zalewski) Notess, from St. James School*

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**Cecelia Notess** - January 31, 2022 at 05:50 PM

TW

“ Mrs. Mettler

*Though, it's been so many years ago, I still feel the caring warmth behind the huge smile and exuberant laugh that would welcome me every time I walked through your Colton Street front door. To all the children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, know there will forever be one more bright ray of sunshine to meet you every morning.*

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**Tim and Pam Woollard** - January 29, 2022 at 05:26 AM



“ Sue I am so sorry I can not be there today to give you my condolences. I have a bad sinus infection and do not want to make anyone uncomfortable. I will be watching online.



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**Kevin Collier** - January 28, 2022 at 04:54 AM

LS

“ To the entire Mettler family my heartfelt condolence on the passing of your Mom 😞. As a group of gathering together in the past many years ago, with family and friends at her home she had such humor! I recall when Kelly&I was in her kitchen she called us... “here comes the Twinkies”! . She put a smile on both of our faces. She truly loved having her family members&friends with a welcoming open arm! What a wonderful person she was and now an Angel with wings. My prayers with you all she will be always be around...you will know. God Bless

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**Lucy Salazar** - January 27, 2022 at 06:42 PM

SM

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Susan Mettler** - January 27, 2022 at 03:43 PM

JM

“ *To Bob and Roberta, My condolences on the passing of Nancy. I hope you are doing well.*

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**Jeffery Marczak** - January 27, 2022 at 09:14 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Nancy M. Mettler.*



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January 26, 2022 at 11:37 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Nancy M. Mettler.*



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January 26, 2022 at 06:34 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Nancy M. Mettler.*



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January 26, 2022 at 05:06 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Nancy M. Mettler.*



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January 26, 2022 at 12:30 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Nancy M. Mettler.*



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January 26, 2022 at 12:23 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nancy M. Mettler.*



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January 26, 2022 at 10:13 AM

JS

“ We are very sorry to hear of Nancy’s passing. Remember her and the family well from the St. James days. She was a great lady. Our thoughts and prayers are with you 🙏🙏🙏

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**Jeff Schramm** - January 26, 2022 at 07:20 AM

 Diane Burkhardt-Youngston

“ My sympathy to the Mettler family. I had three of her children in my classes at Libbey. You could have a blast with Nancy. She was quite witty. We shared the same birthday , and if my memory saved me correctly her friend Betty celebrated with us. She loved all her children and was so proud of them. She was a meticulous homemaker. I will most certainly remember her every time my birthday comes around. Rest In Peace, Nancy.

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**Diane Burkhardt-Youngston** - January 25, 2022 at 08:49 PM