



Norman Francis Heydinger

January 7, 1921 - May 4, 2019

Norman F. Heydinger died May 4, 2019 at The University of Toledo Medical Center.

He was born to Edward and Gertrude Heydinger on January 7, 1921 in Toledo. He

graduated from Waite High School and Miami University and in 1954 earned his MBA

from The University of Toledo. While at Miami, he earned a Private Pilot's License in

the Civilian Pilot Training Program and was a member of Beta Theta Pi Fraternity.

In 1942 he entered the Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut and was

commissioned with the rank of Ensign. After special training at The Ohio State University, he served for a year-and-a-half in the South Pacific on a Navy AKA assault ship participating in seven invasions, and on a Coast Guard Patrol Frigate. He was honorably discharged in 1946 with the rank of Lieutenant.

After the war, he was employed in marketing research at Libbey Owens Ford, Toledo;

Seiberling Rubber Company, Akron; LOF Glass Fibers, Toledo; PPG Fiber Glass, Pittsburgh; and Rogers National Research, Toledo.

In 1964 he envisioned, researched, promoted, built and served as President and General

Manager of Laurel Hill Swim and Tennis Club, Toledo, for 20 years with the support and dedication of his wife, Dorothy. He sold the Club in 1985 and retired. In 1985, Laurel Hill was awarded National Tennis Club of the Year by the United States Tennis Association.

In his business career he served as a founder and Northwest Ohio President of the American Marketing Association and National President of the Swim Facility Operators Association of America. He was a long-time member of Rockwell Springs Trout Club, Castalia, and Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, Toledo.

He was predeceased by his parents, his sister, Rose (Clair) Gladieux, and his brother, Edward (Jane). He is survived by his wife of 68 years, Dorothy. Survivors also include children Mary (David) Sims, Millbury; Diane (Eric) Landers, Columbus; Marsha (Mark) Strominger, Cincinnati; and Peter (Virginia Keil), Holland.

Also surviving are grandchildren Monica (Kyle) Leppelmeier, David Sims (Jennifer),

Christopher Landers, Andrew Landers, Kristen (Colin) Harper, Julie Strominger, Derek Strominger, Sarah (John) Novak and Alison (Dan) Goble; and great grandchildren Addyson, Connor, and Annalee Leppelmeier.

Friends may visit at Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., from 2:00 – 7:00 PM on Wednesday, May 8. The funeral will begin in the mortuary at 9:30, with the Mass of Christian Burial celebrated at 10:00 AM on Thursday, May 9 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. Interment and military honors will be at Resurrection Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church or Hospice of Northwest Ohio. Please leave a condolence message at CoyleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

5725 Hill Avenue
Toledo, OH 43615

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 8. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral

MAY 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

MB

“ I’m sorry I was unable to get to the funeral home.
He was a hard working, great father and always had a positive smile
with a warm and friendly demeanor.
He made his mark and he will be missed. Prayers for the family.

Mary Kay Bass - May 09, 2019 at 10:18 AM

JS

“ I was so very sorry to hear of Mr. Heydinger's death. He was my
very first boss at Rogers Research...I loved working for him...he was
a kind and caring man. My deepest sympathy to the family. Joan
Schwartz

Joan Schwartz - May 09, 2019 at 09:29 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for
the family of Norman Francis Heydinger.



May 08, 2019 at 09:22 AM

LS

“ Love, Steve and Vicki Strominger purchased the
Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Norman
Francis Heydinger.



Love, Steve and Vicki Strominger - May 08, 2019 at 01:07 AM

TO

“ *The Levy Law Offices purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Norman Francis Heydinger.*



The Levy Law Offices - May 07, 2019 at 02:57 PM

PG

“ *The Presser Family is so sorry to hear of your loss. We lost our mom in December so we pray your grief is gentle. God bless.*

Penny Presser Goodman - May 07, 2019 at 01:01 PM

TA

“ *Diane,
So sorry to hear of your Dad's death. It is so hard to lose a parent.
Prayers for your family.
Therese (Bigler) Addis*

therese addis - May 07, 2019 at 11:18 AM



“ *Rose Impression Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Norman Francis Heydinger.*



May 07, 2019 at 11:03 AM

LS

“ *Mary, So sorry for the loss of your father. Prayers for you and your family. I hope you are doing well! Linda (Wannemacher) Szymanski*

Linda Szymanski - May 07, 2019 at 09:42 AM

SH

“ So many happy memories! Loved that we were able to enjoy the same “ Heydinger bench” at Swan Creek and Kelly Greens. Also , those wine and cheese get togethers we so enjoyed. Norm has touched the lives of so many and the world is a better place because of his foot print.
Mary and Tom

shefflers - May 06, 2019 at 07:32 PM