



Donna V. Dearbaugh

October 23, 1927 - December 30, 2020

The family of Donna Dearbaugh, 93, wish to express their sorrow in the passing of Donna V Combs (Harrod) Dearbaugh on December 30, 2020, at Otterbein-Cridersville. She was born October 23, 1927, in St. Marys, OH, to Alonzo and Ada (Swartzel) Combs. She was preceded in death by her parents, and her siblings, William "Bill", Robert, Vernon, and Ellen.

Donna graduated from Blume High School and first married Jack Harrod who survives. Their children are Richard, Chicago, Illinois, Linda (Jack) McNally, Harlingen, TX, and Diana (Bud) Corley, Charlotte, NC.

In 1981, Donna married Paul V. Dearbaugh. Paul and his children Mike, Jeff and Eric preceded her in death. She is survived by his children, Pat, Indianapolis, Indiana, Judy (Jack) Krebs, Franklin, OH, and Jon (Jeffrey), Wapakoneta.

She is also survived by numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Donna retired after 25 years of service from Lima Memorial Hospital, as a secretary. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Wapakoneta. Donna enjoyed her grandchildren, gardening, traveling with Paul, visiting friends and of course Kewpee hamburgers and sugar cream pie.

Due to health concerns of the Covid virus, private family services will be 2:00 p.m., Sat. Jan. 2, 2021, at the Eley Funeral Home & Crematory, Wapakoneta, with Pastor Josh Tissot officiating. Burial is to follow in the Greenlawn Cemetery, Wapakoneta. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be directed to the First United Methodist Church or Lima Memorial Foundation. The service will be live streamed on the funeral home's Facebook page.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Cemetery

Presar Road
Wapakoneta, OH

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

DD

“ Don remembers the evening he was traveling home from bowling Green and thought he could make it home safely but the snow became to much to manage and he called Aunt Donna to see if he could spend the night. It was very late but she graciously responded yes. The next morning sent him off with a breakfast. He returned her favor by shoveling out her driveway.

Donald Deitsch - January 02, 2021 at 03:48 PM

JW

“ RIP Great Aunt Donna!!! We will greatly miss your smile, heart, and wonderful kindness.



Julie Walters - January 02, 2021 at 09:28 AM

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Suzy Deitsch - January 01, 2021 at 07:30 PM

ME

I remember Donna very dearly. We lived beside she and Paul for almost 30 years. Donna was always so sweet. She always took great care of her ceramic chickens by bringing them in every evening to keep them safe from any harm. One time the cupola blew off their beautiful brick shed, and my husband put it back up. Who knew it wasn't attached? She put up with our children growing up in the neighborhood with all their noisy friends. She was a wonderful person and we will miss her smile and grace.
Mike & Melanie Norman

Melanie - January 03, 2021 at 10:06 AM

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Jack McNally - January 01, 2021 at 06:11 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Donna V. Dearbaugh.



January 01, 2021 at 05:59 PM

MH

“ Grandma was one of the most kind and sincere people I have known. I will always cherish the time we were able to spend together.

Mike Hassell - January 01, 2021 at 05:55 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna V. Dearbaugh.



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“ Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Donna V. Dearbaugh.



January 01, 2021 at 05:29 PM



“ *Linda McNally lit a candle in memory of Donna V. Dearbaugh*



Linda McNally - January 01, 2021 at 04:51 PM