



## Mary Jo Howell

June 22, 1946 - September 26, 2017

Mary Jo Howell, 71, of Wapakoneta, died 4:40 a.m., Tues. Sept. 26, 2017, at Wapakoneta Manor. She was born June 22, 1946, in Middlesboro, KY, the daughter of William Wilson "Wood" & Marie (Janeway) Margraves, who preceded her in death. On July 1, 1967, she married Leonard A. Howell, Jr., and he preceded her in death on Feb. 16, 2016.

Survivors include,

3 daughters, Cindy (Dan) Copeland, Wapakoneta,

Rhonda (John) Howard, Cridersville,

Lea Barnett, Wapakoneta,

8 grandchildren, Amy, Katie, Courtney, Adam, Morgan "Mo", Allie,

Madison & Joey,

5 great grandchildren, Keyton, Korbyn, Brystol, Aliya & Karson,

siblings, Jane (Donald) Brown, Cridersville,

Sue Penland, Lima,

Michael Margraves, Lima,

& Alan (Denise) Margraves, Wapakoneta,

a sister-in-law, Marcie Margraves, Cridersville.

She was preceded in death by 3 brothers, Thomas, Bruce, & Gary Margraves, and a sister, Bett Gossard.

Mary Jo was a homemaker and worked cleaning several area businesses.

Her hobbies were flower arranging and reading. She most enjoyed spending

time with her family especially her grandchildren.

The family will receive friends 4-7 p.m., Fri. Sept. 29, 2017, at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, 1102 Lincoln Ave. (St. Rt. 501) Wapakoneta. Burial will be later in the Greenlawn Cemetery, Wapakoneta. Memorial contributions may be directed to the Wapakoneta Manor Activity Fund.

# Cemetery Details

## Greenlawn Cemetery

Presar Road  
Wapakoneta, OH

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **29**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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