



## Melody A. Detrick

December 4, 1950 - January 29, 2010

Melody A. Detrick, 59, of Wapakoneta, died 8:15 a.m., Fri. Jan. 29, 2010, at the Lima Memorial Health System. She was born Dec. 4, 1950, in Lima, OH, the daughter of Glen & Margene (Headapohl) Thrush, Sr., who preceded her in death. Survivors include, her fiancé, Roland Wright, Wapakoneta, 3 children, Melinda (Rodney) Ritchie, Wayland (Tresa) Detrick, Leann (Rich) Latham, all of Wapakoneta, a step-son, Rusty Wright, Wapakoneta, 7 grandchildren, Casondra Gross, RaShell Ritchie, Amber & Lacey Detrick, Tessa, Dawson, & Aylissa Latham, 3 step-grandchildren, Alicia, Ammie, & Adam Wright, a sister-in-law, Melody Carol Thrush, St. Johns, OH, a former husband, Wayne Detrick, Uniopolis, OH. She was preceded in death by a brother, Glen Thrush, Jr. A homemaker, Melody was a member of St. Johns United Methodist Church. She was a former member of the St. Johns Fire & Rescue Squad and served as V.I.P. at the state campgrounds at Grand Lake, St. Marys. She enjoyed attending her grandchildren's sporting events and music programs. She also enjoyed working in her yard, growing flowers, and fishing. Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m., Wed. Feb. 3, 2010, at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, Pastor Pamela Hanlon officiating. Burial is to follow in the Mt. Tabor Cemetery, Clay Twp. The family will receive friends 2-4 & 6-8 p.m., Tues. at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be directed to the St. Johns United Methodist Church.

# Tribute Wall

PT

“ Our prayers & thoughts to Family. We live in Branson, Mo. Perry,- 88yrs. (Uncle,( Melody's Dad's oldest brother). Terry his son, 61. All living together, 4,000 sq. ft. home, close to Table Rock Lake, 5 yrs., moved from Portland, Oregon. Melody's other Uncle, Gene, Aricada, Ohio called us.

Perry , Terry & Kathleen Thrush - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

NF

“ I just heard about Mel. I am so sorry about your lose. Let me know if there is anything I can do. I miss you guys terribly! Rest in peace Mel!

Nichole Newbauer & Family - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

JA

“ God took another beautiful lady home with him to brighten the stars in heaven. I am so sorry for every one here on Earth who love her. She will be so missed. All my love and best wishes to you. She will forever be a bright spot in my memories. Jeanie

Jeanie Aldrich - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

JR

“ Roland, Mindy, Wayland and Leann: Please know that you are in our prayers during this very sad time. I hope that you can find some comfort in your many special memories and in the thought of the happy years that you shared.

Jason & Melia (Knotts) Richards - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

SD

“ You're all in my thoughts and prayers. Your Mom was a wonderful, sweet lady...I'm so sorry for your loss.

Susan (Bradley) Debell - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

BC

“ Mel was very much a joy to be around. I loved sharing part of my summer with her over the past four years at GLSM. She will be missed by so many. I wish I could be there in person to give my condolences and say my last goodbyes to a wonderful person.

Beth Curtis - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

KS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with your family at this time. I knew Mel from working with her at the State Park. She was a wonderful lady and will be greatly missed. God Bless.

Kay Schulze - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

RP

“ So sorry to hear of your unexpected departure from life here on earth , but it seems to be inevitable , a fact we all will need to face at some point in time !!! Haven't seen you in years , I just wanted to let family know , you are thought about and missed already and as former chief at St. Johns FD, we had our moments .... I miss all the people at F. D. and am wheelchair bound after my second stroke in July 2008.....hope to see you around again , but hopefully not real soon !!!!

Ronnie Pratt - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

GC

“ We wanted you to know that you have our greatest sympathy. Peace, Prayers, and blessings.

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**Grand Lake Sleep Center** - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

WC

“ Extending my deepest sympathy to your family. Your in my thoughts. May you find comfort and peace of mind.

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**Wendy L. (Brandehoff) Cole** - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

LM

“ Mel was one of the sweetest women I have ever known. I will never forget her hospitality and friendship. My prayers are with her family, friends, and especially Rolly. She'll be missed everywhere she was known, but especially among the GLSM State Park family.

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**Laura Mawhorr** - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM

DD

“ My thoughts & prayers are with you . I will miss Mel very much as she was like a sister to me. May God bless each & everyone of you.  
Doris

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**Doris Dawson** - July 10, 2015 at 04:00 PM