



Rita S. Anthony

October 24, 1954 - June 26, 2012

Rita S. Anthony, 57, of Wapakoneta, died 5:54 p.m., Tues. June 26, 2012, at the Lima Memorial Health System. She was born Oct. 24, 1954, in Lima, OH, the daughter of John R. & Cicely (Cloude) Franz, who preceded her in death. On July 30, 1976, she married Bruce D. Anthony, and he survives. Other survivors include, a daughter, Sara Anthony, at home, extended family ♦️ Ashley Nicole Day, Emily J. Rodhe, & Rhonda Kohler, a sister ♦️ Lois Souder, Waynesfield, OH, 6 brothers, John M. Franz, Ft. Myers, FL, Harry Schurr, Detroit, MI, Tony Franz, Ft. Myers, FL, Chris Franz, Tim Franz, Nick Franz, all of Bradenton, FL, mother-in-law, Joyce Anthony, Wapakoneta, brothers-in-law & sisters-in-law, Stephen (Margaret) Anthony, Rev. Angelo Anthony, Nicholas (Kim) Anthony, Bart (Kim) Anthony, Marisa (James) Campagna, Andrea(William III) O'Meara, Colette (Kelly) Knutzen, numerous nieces & nephews. She was preceded in death by her father-in-law, Charles R. "Charlie" Anthony. A homemaker, Rita was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta. She dearly loved her family, friends, & pets especially her cats. She was a supporter of the Auglaize Co. Humane Society. A Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Mon. July 2, 2012, at the St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta, Rev. Angelo Anthony officiating. Burial will follow in the St. Joseph Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5-8 p.m., Sun. and from 9-10 a.m., Mon. at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta. Memorials may be directed to the St. Joseph Catholic Church Renovation Fund or to the American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall

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“ Bruce I was so sorry to hear about the loss of your wife. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Teresa Hayes - July 10, 2015 at 03:56 PM

DK

“ So sorry to hear of Rita's passing. I pray that God comforts you Bruce and all of the family. Sincere sympathies are extended from both of us.

Dave and Judy Kohnen - July 10, 2015 at 03:56 PM

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“ Deepest sympathies to you and your family in your time of loss. prayers be with you.

Ken Mullins - July 10, 2015 at 03:56 PM

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“ Bruce, my sympathy to you on the death of your wife. Was so sorry to hear. Prayers coming your way.

Nancy Neumeier Gutman - July 10, 2015 at 03:56 PM