



Kathryn M. "Kathy" Baldeschwiler

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A funeral service for Kathryn M. "Kathy" Baldeschwiler, 68 of Newark will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday, August 1, 2024 in the Newark Chapel of Vensil & Chute Funeral Home with Cory Campbell officiating.

Burial will follow in Smith Chapel Cemetery.

Kathy passed away on Wednesday, July 25, 2024 at Riverside Methodist Hospital.

She was born April 14, 1956 in Newark to Eugene D. and Dorothy J. (Wright) Vandebusch.

She retired as the Project Coordinator for the Emergency Department at Licking Memorial Hospital in 2019 with 47 years of service.

She was active in the Licking County Jail Ministries, Vertical 196.

Kathy enjoyed participating in numerous 5 K races.

She delighted in crafts.

Kathy loved watching her grands in sports, cheer, dance, plays, band, singing concerts, all the 4H projects and fair and just being with them.

Her other love was the beaches, at Myrtle Beach with her entire family and Florida with Sue, Leanne, Linda, Deb, Cindy and Debbie.

She is survived by her daughter, Sarah (Zachariah) Henry of Newark; sisters, Pamela (Dennis) Kerns of Newark, Cheryl (Bill) Stewart of Columbus; grandchildren, Hunter Henry, Peyton Henry, Lillianna Henry, Rowan Henry; nieces & nephews, Jennie (Tim) Morrison, Billy (Erica) Sadowski, Joshua Stewart, Matthew Stewart, Ashley Stewart and numerous friends.



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Kathy embodied the spirit of life, filling her retirement years with love for the ocean, family, and selfless service in her community.

Her kindness and forgiving nature inspired us all.

We are forever grateful for our time together at Ocean Lakes, where Kathy's zest for life left an indelible mark on our hearts.

We lost an incredible soul.

We all love you.

The family would like to express special thanks to FirstLight Home Care, Robin Barr, Nita Fitzsimmons and the "Travel Girls."

Visitation will be observed from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, July 31, 2024 at Vensil & Chute Funeral Home, 1850 W. Main Street, Newark.

Memorial contributions are requested in Kathy's memory to Rise Christian Church, 1578 Dayton Road NE, Newark, OH 43055-9420; Second Baptist Church, P.O. Box 4847, Newark, OH 43058-4847; Licking County Aging Partners, 1058 E. Main Street, Newark, OH 43055-6940 and St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1905.



Tribute Wall

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DS

Dreama Steelefr posted:

In loving memory of a wonderful person. We will love you and miss you always.

January 25 at 1:27 PM

VS

Victoria Spring posted:

Kathy, you will forever be in our hearts. Your smile and laughter were one of a kind. We love you and miss you. Victoria Spring and Steve Hazelcorn.

August 1 at 12:11 PM

LH

Laura Henderson posted:

Kathy was such a great person. Prayers for the family and friends. She will be missed.

July 31 at 2:29 PM

JB

Jennifer Brockmeyer posted:

Kathy was amazingly kind at all times, she was a very close friend, she will be missed!

July 31 at 12:37 PM

SG

Sue Gibson posted:

She was my best friend of 48 years. I will miss her deeply and will miss our trips to the beach. Love you girl. I am deeply sorry for her loss to all her family especially her grandchildren

July 31 at 8:55 AM

JS

Jeff Smith posted:

Kathy was certainly one of a kind. Many years of working side by side at LMH as we cared for our community. She was one of the founding members as well as faithful members of our LMH Chapel Group every Wednesday. Kathy brought such insight to our group. I will miss her sorely. Sending prayers and thoughts to her family and as well as her LMH family.

July 30 at 1:31 AM



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PZ

Peggy Zahrdt posted:

Rest in peace Kathy B. You will be missed by so many. Enjoy the beach in heaven!

July 29 at 1:49 PM

SO

Sharon Shipley Oliver posted:

Pam and family, I am so sorry to hear of Kathy's passing. She lived life to the fullest and I know you will all miss her terribly. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. Love & hugs, Sharon Shipley Oliver

July 29 at 1:37 PM

JF

Jenny Feightner posted:

I had just reconnected with Kathy last year at the NHS multi class reunion and was so excited that we were going to start seeing each other again. Now she's gone and I cant wrap my head around it..her heart was golden and her personality was larger than life. See you again on the beach in Paradise my dear sweet friend.

July 29 at 9:48 AM

LN

Liz Nye posted:

Kathy, you fought so hard. I know you are now resting in the arms of Jesus, whom you loved so much. Prayers for all Kathy's family and friends. She was an amazing person and helped so many in her life, she will be greatly missed. God bless all who mourn.

July 29 at 4:32 AM

BH

Barbara Hommel posted:

As the days and weeks pass, and as you return to life's routine, may you continue to feel comforted by the love and support of family and friends. I worked with Kathy at LMH ER she was the go to person. Sending prayers to all the family.

July 29 at 4:29 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Kathryn by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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