



Mary Elizabeth Owen

December 6, 1933 - October 2, 2020

Mary Elizabeth (Willet) Owen of Zanesville, passed away peacefully on 10/2/20.

Mary was born in Lima, Ohio on December 6, 1933, to Edward and Catherine Willet. She was married to her husband, Ralph Owen, for 64 years prior to his recent passing. Mary was a wonderful homemaker and mother while her children were young. She was also an active volunteer for the American Cancer Society and volunteered at Rosecrans BINGO for several years. As her children grew, she began working at St. Thomas School where she enjoyed 25 years with students and making lasting friendships. In her retirement, she was a devoted Grandmother and cared for her grandchildren on a regular basis. She enjoyed playing cards in a monthly card group and most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family. Mary was a member of St. Thomas Aquinas Church.

She is survived by her children Lynda (David) Sutton, Mike (Lynne) Owen, Mark (Ami) Owen, and Beth (Mark) Johnston; her grandchildren Nicole (Aaron) Lee, Alyson Sutton (Shane Centers); Jay (Amy) Owen, Joe (Henneya) Owen, Michelle (Logan) Burt, along with their mother, Marcia Owen; Rikki (Jason) Crowe; Tyler Johnston and Travis Johnston, as well as six great grandchildren, a sister-in-law (Norma Willet) and many nieces and nephews.

Along with her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents, her brothers, Robert Willet (sister-in-law, Ruth Willet) and Ronald Willet. The family would like to express a special thank you to all of the home healthcare ladies who made her comfortable and entertained her over the past year.

There will be a family Catholic Mass and burial. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church. To sign the online guestbook or leave a personal note of condolence please visit www.hilliscombsnestor.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Elizabeth Owen*

October 06, 2023 at 04:22 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss!! Mary was a very sweet lady!!
Prayers for you all.*

Sarah Sims - October 12, 2020 at 05:34 PM



“ *Mary was so kind to our children at St.
Thomas and would always ask how they were
doing when I would see her. Always enjoyed
talking to both Mary & Ralph.
Our thoughts are with the Owen family.
Ted & Kathy Loewendick*



Kathy Loewendick - October 06, 2020 at 09:40 PM



“ *Mary's Family,
Sorry to hear about the passing of Mary. In memory of Mary (Willet)
Owens, St. John Class of 952 will be sending a donation to Lima
Central Catholic High School in Lima, Ohio*

*God Bless,
Barbara (Makley) Kriegel*

Barbara Kriegel - October 06, 2020 at 12:25 AM

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“ Beth I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with all of you. God bless ❤️🙏

Trink Murphy

Trink Murphy - October 05, 2020 at 07:36 PM

JS

“ Sorry to read of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers for the family.
John and Joyce

John Starrett - October 05, 2020 at 07:19 AM

AW

“ Family of Mary Owens,

Sorry to hear of the passing of Mary. May she rest in Peace in the arms of the Lord. We graduated together at St. John's High School in Lima, Ohio. She was a class mate of mine.

Alice (Zanotti) Winter

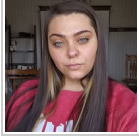
Alice Winter - October 05, 2020 at 07:08 AM



“ Lynda,
I am so sorry for your loss. Having recently lost my mother I totally know where you are at today. Know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Hugs my friend!

Sharon Jacobs

Sharon Jacobs - October 05, 2020 at 05:31 AM



“My deepest sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Mary Owen. Within getting to know Mary and the amazing stories I've heard; I can tell she was an amazing woman. I'm blessed I got to meet Mary and Beth when I did. She will be truly missed. May her soul rest in peace.

Torri Davis - October 04, 2020 at 08:59 PM



“My sincere sympathy to he family of Mary Owen. I enjoyed having lunch and playing shanghi each month with Mary and the other gals. I also enjoyed when Lynda came with her mother to have lunch and cards with us. We will all miss Mary. Marie Bolin

Marie Bolin - October 04, 2020 at 02:41 PM