



Wanda J. Hagley

September 6, 1934 - January 12, 2024

Wanda J. Hagley, age 89 of Zanesville, died 4:00 AM, Friday, January 12, 2024, at Helen Purcell Home in Zanesville.

She was born Thursday, September 6, 1934, in Randle, WA the daughter of James William Hagley, Jr. and Era L. (Smith) Hagley.

Wanda was employed with Armco Steel with 42 years of service. She was a volunteer with Genesis Healthcare Systems for over 18 years and with Red Cross for over 10 years. Wanda was an avid golfer belonging to two golf leagues, enjoyed bowling and had her pilot's license. She was a Cincinnati Reds Fan and an Ohio State Buckeyes Fan. She was a 1951 graduate of Lash High School.

Wanda is survived by several nieces and nephews and great nieces and great nephews, including a special niece: Leslie J. Raney.

In addition to her parents, Wanda was preceded in death by two infant siblings: Billy Lee & Pasty Jean Hagley; two sisters & brothers-in-law: Mary Lou (Willard) Smith and Betty J. (Dr. William D.) Dailey one brother: Dr. Norman E. (Janet C.) Hagley; and two nephews: J. Kevin Smith & Galen P. Smith.

In accordance with Wanda's wishes a cremation will take place.

To sign the online register book or to send a personal condolence note please visit www.hilliscombsnestor.com.

Tribute Wall



“ 2 files added to the album Memories



Scott Dailey - June 09, 2025 at 01:55 PM

JB

“ Wanda was a great neighbor and friend! We had many great conversations together over the years. She was quite a lady! She was well over 80 when we shoveled snow off her driveway a few times. She could always get the job done!

John Burriss - February 11, 2024 at 11:26 AM

MB

“ So sorry for your loss, I am a neighbor down the street, Wanda was a nice person, loved having her on our street.

melanie bucci - January 21, 2024 at 04:20 PM

BJ

“ I volunteered with Wanda at Good Samaritan Hospital and Genesis Healthcare for 12 years and she was my golf partner at Green Valley Golf Course for ten years. She was a good friend and I will miss her.

Bill James - January 19, 2024 at 07:45 PM

SC

“ I will surely miss this lady. We had good times together. Love you Wanda!

Sandy Cavinee - January 17, 2024 at 09:56 PM

MC

“ Am a dear friend and DAR sister of her niece, Leslie Raney. Although I never met her Aunt Wanda, I feel that I know her because of the positive influence she must have had on Leslie. The caring heart and kindness we see in Leslie must have first radiated through the caring heart and kindness of her aunt. Wanda's caring heart will always be remembered.

Mary K Cardinale

mary k cardinale - January 15, 2024 at 01:52 PM

LR

“ Aunt Wanda and I took many road trips together traveling thousands of miles. My favorite was our trip to Wyoming to see The Devil's Tower. We went to my nephew's wedding. Carson and Claire Smith were married in Maduson, SD. Afterwards we kick up my mom's former Carbide work friend, Glenn Lambert, in Mitchell, SD and we travelled across the state. Watching the prairie grass waving in the hot july constant SD breeze was amazing. We saw The Badlands, Mt. Rushmore, Crazy Horse Monument, Deadwood, and all over but the Devil's Tower was incredible. We walked all around it and then drove back the spearfish through Montnana. Why a fun trip. Traveling with us was my husband, Richard, Mom, Mary Lou's Smith, Glenn, Wanda and my oldest daughter , Carise. That is one of my theee lifetime top memories-all together exploring something new and very different. Wanda was her usually fun and funny self and very supportive of my husband's exhaustive driving so I couldn't criticize him too much-lol. Good times! Rest in peace, Big Sister and tell all the family hello from all of us who will miss you!

Leslie Raney - January 13, 2024 at 06:04 AM

JH

“ *Peace and love is to the family.*

Joyce Hagley (Known as Pantywaist to Wanda Jane ❤️😭)

Joyce Hagley - January 12, 2024 at 10:54 PM

KN

“ *Wanda was such a beautiful person and a joy to care for always made me smile we will miss her dearly at Helen purcell and it was a blessing to know her and take care of her*

Karen Newell - January 12, 2024 at 06:20 PM