



Mary Joan Leigh

July 3, 1931 - February 14, 2017

Mary Joan Leigh, age 85 of Upper Sandusky, died on Tuesday February 14, 2017 at 8:15pm in Blanchard Place Assisted Living, Kenton. She was born on July 3, 1931 in Wyandot County to the late Mervin C. Myers and Helen E. (Secoy) Myers. Joan married Craig Gottfried and they divorced in 1957. She married Owen Leigh on April 18, 1964 in Upper Sandusky and he preceded her in death on February 2, 2002.

Mrs. Leigh is survived by two daughters Natalie Gottfried (Russell) Comstock, Mt. Victory, Ohio, Cathy Gottfried, St. Johns, Florida; two granddaughters Korina Leigh Comstock, Mt. Victory, Ohio, Leslie Meyer, Fremont, Ohio; two great grandchildren, Joe and Alyssa Meyer, Fremont, Ohio; and a sister Ruth Cavanaugh of Upper Sandusky, Ohio. She was preceded in death by a sister Jane Hehr and two brothers Paul Myers and Dale Myers.

Mrs. Leigh retired in 1989 as an Assistant Administrator from the former Hardin County Home, Kenton (now Hardin Hills). She was a member and volunteer of John Stewart United Methodist Church in Upper Sandusky and had been a member of First United Methodist Church, Kenton. Joan was a very hardworking, dedicated lady. Over the years she enjoyed traveling, which included several trips to Las Vegas and Atlantic City. She also enjoyed embroidery and jigsaw puzzles.

“When you are sorrowful look again in your heart and you shall see that in truth you are weeping for that which has been your delight” -The Prophet by Kahlil Gibran

A funeral service will be held Monday February 20, 2017 at noon with Pastor Brian Arnold officiating in the Bringman Clark Funeral Home. Visitation will be held from 10am until time of service on Monday. Memorial contributions may be made to Harrison Smith Park, John Stewart UMC, and Blanchard Place Assisted Living in care of Bringman Clark Funeral home 226 E. Wyandot Ave. Upper Sandusky, Ohio 43351. visit www.BringmanClark.com to view the Life Tribute DVD, extend a condolence or share a memory.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery*

Upper Sandusky, OH 43351

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 20. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bringman-Clark Funeral Home
226 E. Wyandot Avenue
Upper Sandusky, OH 43351
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Service

FEB 20. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



Debra
Garner

“ Dear Ruth & Family,
My deepest condolences to you for the loss of Joan. I hope your
good memories will help during this difficult time.
Love, Debra Garner

Debra Garner - February 21, 2017 at 01:52 PM



CS

“ Miss seeing your smiling face at work, our talks on the patio and
they way you always made sure your shoes matched your outfits. I
know your presence is already greatly missed by both the staff and
residents at Blanchard Place, won't be the same with out you. -
Carleana S.

carleana smith - February 19, 2017 at 09:36 PM



KB

“ So sorry to hear about Joan. Thinking of you Natalie. I enjoyed
having your Mom at bingo and having conversations with her. A fine
lady.
Kathy Britton

kathy Britton - February 18, 2017 at 08:53 PM



SM

“ Aunt Jo was always a classy lady. I know that she will be sadly
missed by her friends and family. ((((((HUGS)))))) to Natalie and
Cathy and their families. All of our love from the South. Sue and
Chuck Morrison

Sue Morrison - February 17, 2017 at 02:27 PM

KC

“ *Karin Combs lit a candle in memory of Mary Joan Leigh*



Karin Combs - February 16, 2017 at 06:30 PM

KC

“ *This is Nat's junior high school friend, Karin. I love Jo. I tease of times when Nat and I would get in trouble (yes, believe it or not) and Jo would have to come and get us. Riding in the back seat of her car was the TRUE silent treatment. Jo never kicked me out of her home, but treated me the same as Nat. Nat and I laugh about that still today.*

Another thing I remember about Jo and her deceased husband, Owen, is that they were polished. Polite, professional, tidy, fun, social.....polished. I never felt out of place with them, a wonderful example of accepting people into their home. I always felt comfortable with, and loved by Jo. Although I still called her Mrs. Leigh. :) Love to the family. Special memories!

Karin Combs - February 16, 2017 at 06:22 PM