



Neva Jean McEldowny

May 5, 1928 - May 6, 2017

Neva Jean McEldowny age 89 died Sat. May 6, 2017 at Westbrook Assisted Living & Memory Care, Upper Sandusky. She was born May 5, 1928 in Upper Sandusky to the late George and Sarah (Vroman) Graham. She was also raised by her late stepfather Charles Huffman. She was married for 67 years to Jack E. McEldowny and he died Jan. 28, 2016.

Mrs. McEldowny is survived by one daughter Lynn A. Altvater, Upper Sandusky, one son James (Barbara) McEldowny, Upper Sandusky, 4 grandchildren Sara (Jesse) Drogin, WA, Tyler (Cassondra) McEldowny, Upper Sandusky, Lindsey (Brian) Moses, Upper Sandusky, Amy McEldowny (Trey Dillion) Upper Sandusky, 6 great grandchildren Ruby and Hannah Drogin, Leah and Hailey McEldowny, Graham and Quinn Moses. She was preceded in death by 3 brothers Russell, Richard, and James.

Mrs. McEldowny was a member of John Stewart United Methodist Church. She was a USHS graduate of 1946. She graduated in 1949 from Grant Hospital School of Nursing. She was employed by Dr. Robert Goynes, Wyandot Memorial Hospital, and the Wyandot County Health Department, where she and Cindy Kraus started the WIC program for Wyandot County.

She was an avid bird watcher and enjoyed walking at Stepping Stones Park, reading, golfing, fishing, gardening, music from the 50's, flowers, and sharing

time with friends at Ellis Lake.

Private family graveside services will be held. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Wyandot County 105 Houpt Drive, Upper Sandusky, OH 43351. Bringman Clark Funeral Home is entrusted with Mrs. McEldowny's arrangements. Visit www.BringmanClark.com to send a condolence or share a memory.

Tribute Wall

TL

“ Terry Lane lit a candle in memory of Neva Jean McEldowny



Terry Lane - May 09, 2017 at 10:54 AM

DS

“ The volunteers of the Christian Food Center send our thoughts and prayers to the McEldowny Family. Jack and Neva were faithful volunteers for the Food Center for many years. Such an inspiration they both were.



Darlene Schaadt - May 09, 2017 at 09:16 AM

LT

“ So, sorry for your loss. Our deepest sympathies to the McEldowny family.

Larry & Debbie Thiel

Larry Thiel - May 09, 2017 at 08:18 AM

KW

“ You have our sympathy Lynn- may you be comforted by many happy memories and may God's loving arms uphold you and give you strength in the days ahead as you grieve.

Kristi and Tom Warner

Kris Warner - May 09, 2017 at 06:48 AM

MN

“ Marie Iles Nutting lit a candle in memory of Neva Jean McEldowny



Marie Iles Nutting - May 08, 2017 at 10:13 PM

MN

Such a sweet lady. She was a sister to my uncle Russ Graham.

Marie Iles Nutting - May 08, 2017 at 10:16 PM

JL

“ June Larick lit a candle in memory of Neva Jean McEldowny



June Larick - May 08, 2017 at 08:41 PM

KH

“ *Kathy Hensel lit a candle in memory of Neva Jean McEldowny*



Kathy Hensel - May 08, 2017 at 04:36 PM

FK

“ *Just wanted to let you all know that I am thinking of you as you celebrate the life of Neva. I have so many good memories of her and Jack but what I remember the most were her kind words and smile. I will forever also remember her singing my old Kentucky Home every time it played before the Kentucky derby ! Love and hugs to you all.*

fran warner keefe - May 08, 2017 at 01:48 PM

HT

“ Oh our sweet Neva Jean oh how we know you are smiling now that you are back in the loving arms of Dike. We were so blessed to have gotten the privilege to get to know and love you! You taught us so much about love and compassion that we will forever hold dear. I remember our endless days and nights just sitting around eating pretzels and helping you to recall the "good ol days"... At times we would shed some tears but they were always happy tears.... As a nurse I envied you because even after all these years we could instantly tell what a loving nurse you were. You were always trying to help me do my job...always asking what you could do to help...which is why we always said once a nurse always a nurse :) Well Neva Jean "Debbie and Sharon" are gonna do what you made us promise to do when this day came for us to say our final goodbye...We are gonna have a beer in your memory and smile.... My deepest sympathy to the family for she loved you all so much!! Thank you all for giving us the honor to love and care for Neva for what an impact she left on each and everyone of us! God Bless you all!!

My Deepest Sympathies

Heather Traxler (aka Sharon) and the rest of our Wetzel team from Fairhaven

Heather Traxler - May 08, 2017 at 01:38 PM

SH

Nice to know of Neva's later years. A special lady. Thinking of the family. Blessings Lynn. SDC

Shirley - May 10, 2017 at 06:56 AM

CK

“ Neva was a very nice and special lady. Sending thoughts and prayers to all of the family.

Connie Kelsner

Connie Kelsner - May 08, 2017 at 01:38 PM