



DONNA GAYLE "DIANE" VELDE

April 21, 1950 - May 30, 2025

VELDE, Donna Gayle "Diane", age 75, passed away peacefully at her home on Friday, May 30, 2025. Born on April 21, 1950, in Middletown, Ohio, she was a lifelong resident of the community. Diane was a devoted wife, grandmother, sister, and friend. She worked in the Catalogue Center at J.C. Penney and later as a Greenhouse Attendant at Bern's Greenhouse for 10 years. Her passion for gardening, both vegetables and flowers, brought beauty to her home and joy to those around her. She especially cherished hosting family gatherings, where her warmth and laughter filled the room. She was preceded in death by her parents, William D. and Bethel (Vanderpool) Chambers; her beloved sons, Kevin and Michael Velde; and sisters Dorothy Cassles, Aileen Pence, Wilma Jean Tackett, Wanda Coffey and Shirley Bowman. Diane is survived by her loving husband of 57 years, David Velde; her grandsons: Brent, Nathaniel, Kyle, Zach (Emily), Sammy, Austin, and Christopher (Paige); and great-grandchildren: Carter, Mariah, Max, Blaire, and Olsen. She is also survived by her brother, Gary Chambers (Opal); sister, Marcia Lairson (Don); sister-in-law, Mae Velde; and many nieces, nephews, extended family members, and friends. Visitation will be Thursday, June 5, 2025 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main Street, Middletown, Ohio 45044. The funeral service will be Friday, June 6, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home, with Eulogy by Mae Velde. Interment will be at Hickory Flat Cemetery, St. Clair Township, Butler County, Ohio. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home. Condolences may be shared

online at www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall

GE

“ Geri lit a candle in memory of DONNA GAYLE
"DIANE" VELDE



Geri - June 18, 2025 at 02:07 AM

CV

“ Christine Velde lit a candle in memory of
DONNA GAYLE "DIANE" VELDE



Christine velde - June 03, 2025 at 05:50 PM

LC

“ Linda Coyle lit a candle in memory of DONNA
GAYLE "DIANE" VELDE



Linda Coyle - June 02, 2025 at 08:01 PM

 Toni
Chamberlain
Asbury

“ Toni Chamberlain Asbury lit a candle in
memory of DONNA GAYLE "DIANE" VELDE



Toni Chamberlain Asbury - June 02, 2025 at 04:33 PM

CB

“ I have known Diane for quiet some time through my sister Mae Velde. Recently I had the privilege to lead Diane to the Lord. I know in my heart she accepted the Lord as her Saviour. It was truly a blessing to get to share the gospel with her. She is at peace with Jesus! Till we meet again ! Lord please comfort the family. Love you
Chris Baughn

Chris Baughn - June 02, 2025 at 01:53 PM

PD

“ We were each others "soul mates" for so many years. I'm sorry we stepped away from that friendship. Love you, Pam

Pam Davis - May 31, 2025 at 08:04 PM