



JUSTINE L. THOMAS

September 16, 1932 - March 25, 2022

THOMAS, Justine L., age 89, of Middletown, Ohio went to be with her Lord on Friday, March 25, 2022 at her residence. She was born September 16, 1932 in St. Albans, West Virginia and moved to Middletown in 1951. She was employed at J. C. Penny Company and Black Clawson, then became a stay-at-home Mom after her son was born. Justine was active in her church, The Community of Christ, Middletown where she helped with making St. Julian taffy, and helped with the rummage sales and bake sales. She also did volunteer work for several years at Middletown Regional Hospital Auxiliary, worked with the Feed the Kids summer program, and delivered food to the needy through Family Services. She enjoyed gardening, growing vegetables and flowers in her back yard. She loved to bake cakes and cook her special recipes for her family and friends. Preceding her in death were her parents, Charlie and Sallie (Sloan) Johnson; her husband of 53 years, Victor H. Thomas on January 26, 2017; her beloved son, Stephen L. Thomas in 1994; five sisters, Mary Alford, Janice McCallister, Martha Mae Davis, Ethel Guthrie, and Beverly Faulkner; and one nephew, Larry Guthrie. She is survived by two brothers, Danny (Lois) Johnson of West Virginia and Terry (Judy) Johnson of Illinois; and many nieces and nephews that she loved dearly, great nieces and nephews; her church family, neighbors and friends. Visitation will be Saturday, April 2, 2022 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Woodside Cemetery Chapel, 1401 Woodside Boulevard, Middletown, Ohio, followed by services at 11:00 a.m. with Minister William Helsinger, officiating. Interment will follow at

Woodside Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to ALS Association, the Ronald McDonald House or a charity of one's choice. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown, Ohio. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall



“ *JUSTINE L. THOMAS*

September 13, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ *Justine brought not only her culinary skills into our family but also her gift of hospitality. I will miss our long conversations very much! Rest in Peace, dear Justine. I am so glad you are reunited with Vic and your beloved Stephen. Your niece, Susan*

Susan Lambert - March 31, 2022 at 09:29 PM



“ *She was a really kind, beautiful human being who brought light with her everywhere she went. I have lovely memories of her from my childhood, I'm glad I got to know her.*

Carrie Lambert Hale - March 31, 2022 at 10:23 AM



I will miss Justine very much. I loved our long phone conversations. She made our Christmases very special with her culinary skills and her hospitality. Rest in Peace, dear Justine. Thank you for all you've done for our family! Niece Susan

Susan Lambert - March 31, 2022 at 09:21 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of JUSTINE L. THOMAS.*



March 30, 2022 at 10:34 AM



“ *One of the sweetest people I've ever known. Enjoyed being with her and Vic during Madison Lions Club projects. Shalom dinners were epic. That Texas Sheetcake she made was the best! I have her recipe and will think of her always. So kind....*

Gloria and Mike Freeman

Gloria Lennon Freeman - March 30, 2022 at 10:24 AM



“ *With Deepest Sympathy to Justine's family. I loved the taffy she made, Vic would always bring some over!*

*Beth Gehm
Middletown, Ohio*

Beth Gehm - March 29, 2022 at 05:08 PM



“ *God put us together for a reason. We laughed and talked about dreams. We talked about going to Myrtle Beach, where you had the happiest of times with Vic. We had fun in the kitchen and would taste each other's food that we were cooking to see what it was missing. You will always be in my heart my sweet little lady.*

Cheryl Minnich - March 28, 2022 at 08:01 PM