



MARY LOU LEAK BENNETT

December 8, 1914 - March 7, 2015

OBITUARY FOR MARY LOU LEAK BENNETT

BENNETT, Mary Lou Leak, age 100, of Monroe, Ohio, passed away Saturday, March 7, 2015 at Hospice of Butler and Warren Counties. She was born December 8, 1914 in Hamilton, Ohio, and graduated from Middletown High School Class of 1932. She was employed for 26 years at Miami Carey. Mary Lou was a life time member of First United Methodist Church, and a member of Wildwood and Forrest Hills Country Clubs. She was the City Golf Champion 1955, Forrest Hills 9 Hole Champion in 1995, City Bowling Doubles Champion in 1952, City Bowling Team Champion 1954, and a member of the Middletown Hall of Fame. "Grandma" really enjoyed spending time at all her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren's sporting events. She was an avid golfer, bowler and sports fan. She loved to go anywhere, anytime with anyone who would take her. She loved to be with her family, especially family get-togethers, and enjoyed shopping, playing cards, gambling and going out to eat. Preceding her in death was her first husband, Albert Leak, Jr. in 1965 and second husband Robert Bennett in 1998. She is survived by one son, Jerry Leak (Lu); one daughter, Patty Larison (Lloyd); one step son, Robert Bennett, Jr. (Shirlee); six grandchildren, Michael Larison (Marian), Kenny Larison (Jennifer), Kevin Larison (Tammy), Carla Snyder (Tim), Suzy Hummel (David), and Cindy Kennedy (Frank); two step grandchildren; Jill Agee (Bill) and Julie Schneider (Frank); 13 great grandchildren; six step great grandchildren; and

six great-great grandchildren. Visitation will be Wednesday, March 11, 2015 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown, followed by services at 1:00 p.m. Interment will be at Butler County Memorial Park, Trenton, Ohio. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Butler and Warren Counties, 5940 Long Meadow Dr., Franklin, Ohio 45005. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall



“ *MARY LOU LEAK BENNETT*

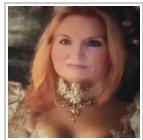
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“ *Please accept our deepest sympathy. May those precious memories be foremost in your hearts and minds during this difficult time.*

Isaiah 25:8

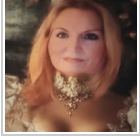
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“ *Mitzi Spicer Gilliam lit a candle in memory of MARY LOU LEAK BENNETT*



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“ *My Mother Betty Long Spicer worked with Mary Lou at Miami Carey. I was very ill as a child. MaryLou always bought me silk pjs robe and slippers every time I went to the hospital. She always remembered me at Christmas. I remember her playing golf every single day. She was one of the kindest people I ever knew. I asked about her all the time. I remember her from Main St to Barbra Park. Mary Lou loved her golf. That;s for sure She really made an impression on me at such a young age. I am just grateful she made that century mark. God Bless you Mary Lou.....play 18 and grab a beer, You will be missed and loved. You will always be a huge memory to my heart. My sympathy to your family, Mitzi Spicer/Gilliam (Betty Long Spicer's daughter)*

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