



Martha Ann Ripley

November 22, 1943 - February 26, 2017

Martha Ann Ripley, age 73 of Freeport, passed away at her home on Sunday, February 26, 2017. She was born on November 22, 1943 in Charleston, West Virginia, a daughter of the late Roy W. Carter and Garnett I. (Brown) Carter. Mrs. Ripley was a homemaker and a 1962 graduate of Madison High School. She leaves: her husband of 53 years, Tom Ripley; their children, Rich (& Karen) Ripley, Bill (& Laura) Ripley, Melissa Ripley and Melinda (& Mark) Ripley Gossett; seven grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; siblings, Fenton E. & Shirley Carter, David Carter, Lois George and Dorothy & Curtis King; and several nieces and nephews.

Martha is preceded in death by: her parents; and siblings, Bernice Guthery, Gray Stecklow, Odest "Buck" Carter and Mary Scott and a niece Jane Marie Carter.

Private services were held by the family with burial taking place in Sunset View Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Guernsey / P.O. Box 1165 / Cambridge, Ohio 43725. Martha's online tribute wall may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

At a later date

Tribute Wall

MS

“ *Marty and Mary Scott send our deepest sympathy to all of your family. Our fondest memories are of spending time with Tom and his family and eating the largest home cooked meals at their kitchen table in the 1950's. We are first cousins and pray that God will comfort you and all of your children. Our hearts are full of love for all of your family as the days and weeks ahead will be difficult but pray for strength for all. Love from the Scott Family.*

Mary Scott - March 03, 2017 at 07:53 AM

LS

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the Ripley family and friends. You always wish there was more time to connect/spend together but our Heavenly Father has called Martha back home to Him. Hopefully, the comfort of knowing how much others cared for Martha will bring a smile to your faces as well as all the loving memories. We wish we had more time!*
Maggie and Larry Stecklow

Larry Stecklow - March 01, 2017 at 06:02 PM

JB

“ *Denise and I send out love and Prayers from North Carolina. We are so sorry for your loss and pray for all the family. I (Martin) have vivid memories of my cousins from my childhood. Though circumstances of life made seeing each other rare, we love and thank God for the Brown/Carter/ Ripley family. This picture looks so much like Aunt Garnet it is very precious. Of course Martha was a beautiful lady in her own right.*
Love Jim (Martin) Brown

James/Denise Brown - March 01, 2017 at 09:33 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. She will be remembered fondly.
Tammy Turner (Gregory)*

Tammy Taylor-Turner - March 01, 2017 at 09:17 AM



“ *Tom, Missy, Mindy, Bill and Rich you have my heartfelt sympathy at the loss of your wife and mother. As patrons on my mail route, the Ripley family always made me feel like I was part of their family. Martha was one of the most gracious and kind person I knew. Your family was very special ! She will be missed by all that knew her.*

Tom Kawa - March 01, 2017 at 12:47 AM



“ *May your beautiful memories give you peace and comfort.*

Carol Ann (Deselms) & Ken Huprich - February 28, 2017 at 09:32 AM



“ *With Deepest Heartfelt Sympathy to All of Martha's Family & Friends...I'm so very sorry for your loss. Thoughts & Prayers to all...
Teresa (Moore) Frame*

Teresa Frame - February 28, 2017 at 08:43 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time, keep her memories alive 🌹 Sincerely, Karen Thomas*

Karen Thomas - February 28, 2017 at 03:36 AM

PM

“ *Sending our deepest sympathies and praying for God's grace and comfort during this very difficult time.*

Peggy and John Milliken



Peggy P Milliken - February 27, 2017 at 08:05 PM

BB

“ *As a Madison student, I knew and admired Pretty Martha from a young age. I had her mother as a teacher and had heard about all her children. I was thrilled when she and Tom became our nearest neighbors. She had a bridal shower for me in 1966, for which I was very grateful. I will never forget it. Always a beautiful friend who will be missed. I pray for peace and blessings to her great family. Love you all.*

Bonnie Wayble Beckett (Don too)

Bonita Beckett - February 27, 2017 at 07:51 PM

SV

“ *Our prayers go out to your family. We will greatly miss this wonderful Lady and special friend. Her memory will be with me forever. God Bless!!*



Daniel, Sarah and Alex VanFossen

sarah vanfossen - February 27, 2017 at 07:21 PM

MB

“ *Missy Burris lit a candle in memory of Martha Ann Ripley*



Missy burris - February 27, 2017 at 06:06 PM

MF

“ *My prayers & thoughts are with you all. I remember when Martha worked with my Mother at the Press. Many,Many years ago. Remember the things she thought you. Those are the best. Marsha Ferrell*

Marsha Ferrell - February 27, 2017 at 05:20 PM

DK

“ *So Sorry for your loss, Our Deepest Sympathy, Don & Darla Kahrig*



Darla Kahrig - February 27, 2017 at 04:22 PM

RF

“ *Missy,*

We are sorry for your loss. All our thoughts are prayers are with you and family during this difficult time. We share your sorrow.

The Romestan Family

Romestan Family - February 27, 2017 at 04:02 PM

RF

“ Romestan Family lit a candle in memory of Martha Ann Ripley



Romestan Family - February 27, 2017 at 03:54 PM

LF

“ Lois, Tom Jr., Jon and families purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Martha Ann Ripley.



Lois, Tom Jr., Jon and families - February 27, 2017 at 03:02 PM

JW

“ Thoughts and prayers to you all, John Whiteley



John Whiteley - February 27, 2017 at 12:56 PM

JA

“ I enjoyed working with Martha at the Freeport Press. She was a good friend and will be missed. My love to her family.

Jean Ater - February 27, 2017 at 12:42 PM

TF

“ *Peace and comfort to you all. She will be missed. Tom & Helen Fisher*



Tom & Helen Fisher - February 27, 2017 at 12:18 PM

LN

“ *Sending prayers for you at this difficult time. May God comfort you & give you peace.*

Linda Nicholson - February 27, 2017 at 11:37 AM

LN

“ *Linda Nicholson lit a candle in memory of Martha Ann Ripley*



Linda Nicholson - February 27, 2017 at 11:33 AM