



Melda M. Briggs

August 11, 1929 - December 19, 2015

Melda M. Briggs age 86, of Cambridge, Ohio passed away peacefully on Saturday December 19, 2015 at the Cardinal Place in Cambridge, Ohio. She was born on the farm of her maternal grandparents in Northern Guernsey County on August 11, 1929, she was daughter of the late George and Dova (Gibson) Whitis. In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband William (Bill) Briggs, a son William (Bill) Briggs Jr., and a stillborn daughter. Bill and Melda enjoyed 56 years of marriage. Melda was a 1947 graduate of Cambridge High School. For over 30 years she worked for the Southeastern Ohio Regional Medical Center Auxiliary in the Hospital Gift Shop. An avid bowler for years, she was a member of Wing 12, and the Cambridge Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary, as well as a longtime member of the First Baptist Church of Cambridge. Melda is survived by her sister Forrest Harding, 2 brothers Dale (Shirley) Whitis and Merle (Diane) Whitis and numerous nieces and nephews. A graveside service and burial will take place at 11:00 AM on Tuesday January 5, 2016 at Northwood Cemetery with Pastor Gary Yackey officiating. Bundy-Law Funeral Home has been entrusted with Melda's arrangements. Memorial contributions in Melda's memory may be made to Hospice of Guernsey Inc., P.O. Box 1165 Cambridge, Ohio 43725. On-line condolences can be sent to the family at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Northwood Cemetery

10th Street
Cambridge, OH 43725

Previous Events

Service

JAN 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Cambridge, OH 43725

Tribute Wall

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“ I will miss Melda we play cards and bowl together for many years
She in heaven with Bill and Billy know Love you Melda

nancy feldner - January 05, 2016 at 09:18 AM

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“ Sending our sympathy to Melda and her family, especially Forrest.
We met Melda at the Cardinal House when my husband's Mother
was there and she was her table mate. Melda always had the
friendliest attitude and best sense of humor and made my mother -
in law and us feel very welcome. If it weren't for Dolores being at
Cardinal House -we never would have had the opportunity to meet
Melda or Forrest. We were truly blessed to have that opportunity
and time with Melda-she was a special person. God Bless and take
care!

Dana and Rhonda Carley

Dana and Rhonda Carley - January 03, 2016 at 11:22 AM

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“ My thoughts and sympathy go to Melda's family, especially Forrest
since they were together so much and true sisters. Melda was
always such a friendly person and always so outgoing. Once she
was at Cardinal Place, she still welcomed all who came there,
whether she knew them or not. Our loss is heaven's gain.

Remember the good times.

Kathy McClure

Kathy McClure - January 02, 2016 at 09:32 AM

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“ *To the family of melda Briggs
Want to send my condolences to you all
I usually see her and Forrest when I go to the cardinal place to visit
my mother
Peg and Peggy murgatroyd*

peggy murgatroyd - December 29, 2015 at 10:20 PM