



Doris Ann Powell

May 13, 1925 - June 7, 2021

Doris Ann (Rayle) Powell passed away peacefully on Monday, June 7. Born on May 13, 1925 in Findlay, Ohio, Doris was one of the seven children of Clyde and Bessie Rayle.

Doris is preceded in death by her husband, David Powell; daughters Anne Powell, Jayne Powell and Debbie (Larry) Bond; and siblings Eleanor (Joseph) Kochtan, Margaret Rayle, Richard (Lucille) Rayle, Donald Rayle, Carol (Bill) Waaland, and William (Marilyn) Rayle.

Doris' grandchildren and great-grandchildren were a joy to her. She never turned down an invitation to a ball game, performance, wedding, or graduation, and if travel was involved, all the better! She relished time with family on the deck, at the beach, and around the card table. The annual family reunion was one of many gatherings she loved to host. On the first Sunday of August, you'd find the family flag flying out front, bright pink petunias spilling out of the flower boxes, and a jar of pickled eggs chilling in the refrigerator. She was active at Lane Avenue Baptist Church, where she sang in the choir and filled in at the church office. Doris was an avid sports fan and often had a game on TV. She had an extensive collection of Buckeyes gear and attended games at the 'Shoe into her 80s.

She is survived by sons David (Barbara) Powell, Daniel (Cynthia) Powell, and

Chris Powell; and daughters Linda (Wayne) Copsey and Amy (Richard) Rinsma; grandchildren Aaron (Kate) Copsey, Ryan Powell, Matthew (Brinda) Copsey, Katie (Devin) Halter, Michael Bond, Patrick Bond, Adam Rinsma and Benjamin Rinsma; and great-grandchildren Katelyn Gott, Abigail Copsey, Brendan Copsey, Chase Halter and Cole Halter.

The family will receive guests at Rutherford Funeral Home, 450 West Olentangy Street, Powell, Ohio on Saturday, June 12 from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm, with a memorial service immediately following.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to the Kobacker House, or the charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JUN 12. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Funeral Home at Powell
450 West Olentangy Street
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Doris Ann Powell*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Doris Ann Powell.*



June 10, 2021 at 06:40 PM



“ *Had the pleasure of meeting Aunt Doris and what struck me was the beauty and kindness. Sharing the same birth date such a bonus!*

Cheryl Rayle, Vaughn, Piatt - June 10, 2021 at 08:17 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Doris Ann Powell.*



June 09, 2021 at 07:56 PM



“ *Doris was my grandma and what stands out for me the most is how independent and strong she was. She had been through so much in her 96 years and was one tough cookie. I like to think I got the same traits from her. I will always cherish the times we spent together. She will be greatly missed.*

Katie Halter - June 08, 2021 at 11:27 AM

JH

Aunt Doris helped my mother with Jim and me and treated us as though we were members of her family from the time my father was killed in 1945 until she died. She kidded me throughout the years that I had returned home from preschool and school with Measles, Mumps, Chickenpox and flu with which to infect her family and my brother Jim. In later years she had encouraged Uncle Dave to hire me during summer break during high school and college. Throughout most of my life she kidded me about the things (good and bad) I had been involved in during my early years painting windows, in later years, working for Uncle Dave.

I shall treasure forever the times I shared with Aunt Doris and her family. I shall miss forever her caring, nurturing love for me and my brother, my cousins and their family and all those with whom she came in contact.

John Hartranft - June 08, 2021 at 12:57 PM

NW

Doris lived a full life and she always met any obstacles that came her way with a optimistic attitude. Everything about Doris was family. She loved her family and her extended family. Everyone was welcome. She was an outstanding cook and one of her favorites was butterscotch pie. I was technically an exdaughter- in- law but was never treated that way. She always treated me and my children like everyone else. We were invited to every family event and even went on vacations with the family. She gave me great advice when I asked for it and I truly held a special place in my heart for Doris.

I live out of state and could not attend her funeral but I will always treasure my times spent with her.

Nancy Webb - June 13, 2021 at 07:35 AM