



Helen Irene Kirkwood (Dudar)

October 25, 1928 - May 6, 2016

Helen Irene Kirkwood (Dudar), age 88, passed away peacefully on May 6, 2016. Helen was born in Cleveland, Ohio on October 25, 1927 to the late Anton and Marie (Olejnick) Dudar. She is survived by her beloved husband of 68 years, Robert John Kirkwood; their children, Ken (Jonna) Kirkwood and Carol Warren. Helen was a loving grandmother to Kelly (Rob) Nix, Alyssa (Hayden) Johnston, Kevin Kirkwood, and Kelsey (David) McKinley. She was a proud great-grandmother to Harper and Carter Johnston.

Friends and family may call from 1-3 p.m. on Sunday, May 15, 2016 at Rutherford Funeral Home Powell. The funeral service will be held at the funeral home after visitation at 3:00 p.m. Inurnment will be at a later date in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

The family would like to thank all of the staff at Brookdale Trillium Crossing and the Methodist Elder Care Hospice for all their love and dedication. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made in Helen's memory to the Methodist Elder Care Hospice, 124 Dorchester Square, Suite 200, Westerville, OH 43081.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 15. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Funeral Home at Powell
450 West Olentangy Street
Powell, OH 43065
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Irene Kirkwood (Dudar)*

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“ *I will always remember the fun times I had with our family gatherings. I have many memories of times with Aunt Helen. I remember her buying ice skates for Ken when he wanted to skate on the pond dad made in our backyard...Cleo the basset eating the beef roast she made for a dinner ... I especially enjoyed our golf games when I came in during the summer. She sang in the Seven Hills Methodist choir for many years and her voice was beautiful. She is now singing in God's choir. I am happy that I was able to have a nice visit with her in Columbus before I left to go back to Arizona in December. She was a special person and will be missed by many. All my love and prayers to Uncle Kirk, Ken and Carol and their families. Love you ...
Jeanne*



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