



## Joanne Bennett

May 30, 1929 - March 6, 2018

Joanne (Jo) Bennett, age 88 of Columbus, passed away on Tuesday March 6, 2018 at Wesley Glen. Joanne was born on May 30, 1929 in Middletown Ohio. She earned her degree in Education from Miami University and taught for over 30 years in the Zanesville and Columbus Schools. She touched many lives throughout her career in teaching and never forgot the many students she taught. Joanne loved line dancing as well as ballroom dancing with her husband Russ. She was a member of the Welsh Club, the Knit Wits, who make sweaters for Children's Hospital, and very active with the Epworth United Methodist Church. Joanne loved going to both the Griswold and Gillie Centers. She was a very generous and caring person, giving much of herself during her lifetime. She was totally devoted to her husband Russ and son Tom, both of whom were lost to her in the same year. She is also preceded in death by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Thomas and her sister Betty Thomas. Friends may call on Friday March 9, 2018 at the RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, 515 High Street, Worthington from 2:00pm to 4:00pm and from 5:00pm to 7:00pm. A Funeral service will be held at the funeral home on Saturday March 10, 2018 at 10:00 am; Joanne will be laid to rest beside her husband and son at Union Cemetery immediately after the services. Rev Joel Baer will officiate. In lieu of flowers, donations in Joanne's memory may be made to the Boy Scouts of America, 807 Kinnear Rd, Columbus, OH 43212, or the Salvation Army, 966 East Main Street, Columbus, Ohio 43205. Condolences to [www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com).



# Cemetery Details

## Union Cemetery

3349 Olentangy River Road  
Columbus, OH 43202  
(614) 267-5471

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford-Corbin Funeral Home  
515 High Street  
Worthington, OH 43085  
(614) 885-4006  
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## Visitation

MAR 9. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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MAR 10. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Joanne Bennett*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *We enjoyed having Joanne with us at Wesley Glen Retirement Community. She had such a zest for life. Many of us remember her when she visited her sister Betty when Betty lived at Wesley Glen with us. She was a sweet and caring soul, and we will miss her. We were honored to know her.+*

**Mary LeMaster** - March 21, 2018 at 09:50 AM



“ *She taught my son in Avalon school & I got to know her at Gillie as she was line dancing! She was so sweet....she will be missed....Millie Leone*

**Millie Leone** - March 09, 2018 at 09:07 PM



“ *I was so sad to hear of Joanne's departure from this live. I met her just a couple of years ago and quickly was drawn to her. She was full of knowledge, compassion and zest for living. We instantly connected through life experiences and I will always remember her words of wisdom. I will miss her dearly but am glad to know she is reunited with her loved ones. UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN ,MY BEAUTIFUL FRIEND!*

**LORI MATHENEY** - March 08, 2018 at 04:26 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joanne Bennett.*



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March 08, 2018 at 09:52 AM