



June L Sweeney

June 3, 1930 - August 11, 2024

June L. Sweeney, age 94, of Columbus, Ohio died peacefully at Riverview Health & Rehabilitation Center on August 11, 2024 after a lengthy illness. June was born June 3, 1930 in Chicago, Illinois and raised there. In 1952, June met Don Sweeney who at the time lived in Indianapolis and returned often to be with her. In 1954, June and Don were married in Waukegan, Illinois, and she converted to Catholicism. Shortly after, they moved to Cincinnati, Ohio, and then to Columbus in 1957. Later in life, when Don was fighting to survive a glioblastoma, he wrote June a short note to tell her "Since we first met, all I ever wanted was for you to come live with me and be my love." June was the love of Don's life. As longtime members of Brookside Country Club, June was an avid and competitive golfer. She enjoyed playing bridge and was active for many years with the Nationwide Children's Hospital TWIG. When Don received his cancer diagnosis, June went to

work for the hair salon, Designs on You in Kingsdale Shopping Center. She had a passion for working crossword puzzles and debating politics with her oldest grandson. June treasured her many friends made over the years through Brookside and later in life, especially Connie Lord Lynch, Ellen Murrin, and Helen Ashley. June was the daughter of the late George M. Daly, Olive B. (Fagerburg) Cleland, and Margaret C. Daly (stepmother). She was preceded in death by her husband, W. Donald Sweeney, son in law, Michael Wolens, son in law, Dr. Stephen Hill, and grandson, Evan Hill. June is survived by her five children: Susan (Robert Foley) of Fort Myers, FL, Cynthia Hill of Delaware, OH, Kathleen Wolens of Columbus, Terry (Becky Bringardner) of Indianapolis, IN, and Tim (Michelle Sopher) of Delaware, OH; grandchildren Ryan Foley (Tricia), Brendan Foley (Natalie), Meghan Hill (Andy), Donovan Hill (Kim), Caelin Hill (Nate), (Brittany Hill), Chris Sweeney (Taylor), Caitlyn Otey (AJ), Colin Sweeney (Holly), Taryn Sweeney (Patrick), Quinn Sweeney; and eight great grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated for June at Our Lady of Peace Church with Msr. Frank Lane presiding, 20 E. Dominion Blvd. on Saturday, September 28 at 11:00 AM. Friends and family will be received at a Celebration of the Life of June Sweeney at 10:00 AM prior to the funeral Mass at 11:00 AM at Our Lady of

Peace
Church.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

SEP **28**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church
20 E. Dominion Blvd.
Columbus, OH 43214

Tribute Wall

DK

“ Donovan & Kim planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of June L Sweeney.

Donovan & Kim - September 27, 2024 at 06:36 AM

DK

“ Donovan & Kim purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of June L Sweeney.



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KF

“ Kathleen and Joe Ford planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of June L Sweeney.

Kathleen and Joe Ford - September 23, 2024 at 02:49 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of June L Sweeney.



September 23, 2024 at 02:49 PM

RC

“ Dear sweet June! I have always enjoyed June’s company when she visited Susan in Overland Park, KS.

June always was beautifully dressed and well put together. She had a great sense of humor and an engaging personality.

I particularly remember our fun lunches together, especially when my mom visited KS.

June will be sorely missed! She leaves behind a beautiful legacy and I am certain she will forever be our guardian angel.

My sincere condolences on the loss of dear June.

Rachelle Craig - September 20, 2024 at 09:38 AM

SF

“ 7 files added to the album JUNE'S FAMILY



Susan Foley - September 04, 2024 at 03:44 PM

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“ 28 files added to the album JUNE'S FAMILY



Susan Foley - September 03, 2024 at 02:28 PM

MC

“ Dear Susan, Cyndi, Terry, Cathy and Tim,
Michael joins me in sending our deepest condolences to you. Your mother was a beautiful lady—both inside and out—and I have so many fond memories of her and the Sweeney household. I absolutely loved getting invited to your home for the overnights during the summer. June ran an organized house, and when she and Don would go golfing for the afternoon at Brookside Country Club, they left us explicit instructions for the fun we had at home or at the Indian Hills pool. They always made it home in time to serve us dinner, and I have wonderful memories of gathering around your family’s dinner table. The food was good, but the conversations were the best!

Even though your family moved into the St. Michael parish when I was in seventh grade, it did not take long for me to feel right at home at your house. June and Don were so welcoming, and they treated their guests just like family.

I feel blessed for having known them both. I admired their devotion to each other and to all of you kids, and I know they are smiling down on you with their loving eyes. May your family memories and love for God and each other give you strength during this difficult time. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Merrilyn & Michael Cahill - August 29, 2024 at 10:11 PM