



## Mary B. Gallo

August 14, 1925 - November 4, 2018

Mary Badurina Gallo, loving wife, mother, and grandmother went to the loving arms of Jesus on Sunday, November 4, 2018, and to her husband, O. Paul Gallo and daughters, Janice and Norma who preceded her in death. Mary, the daughter of immigrant parents from Croatia, Joseph and Josephine Badurina, was very proud of her Croatian heritage. Graduate of St. Ladislav Parochial School and South High School where she was named a National Merit Scholar and received a scholarship to Capital University. Employed by the City of Columbus Dept. of Public Services and later ADP. Mary loved the theater and performed in local productions. She was blessed with a green thumb and loved spending time in her gardens. Survived by children Frank and Linda Gallo, Kristi and Pat Kouskouris, Larry Gallo and Cheryl MacDonald, Richard and Leslie Gallo and Douglas Gallo; eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren; devoted sister, Cecilia Ann Shaffer, and many nieces and nephews. As requested by Mary, her body has been donated to The Ohio State University Medical School. Memorial Mass will be 11:00 am Friday, November 9, 2018 at St. Brendan the Navigator Church, 4475 Dublin Rd., Hilliard. The family will receive friends at the church after the service. Mary and her husband, Paul, were long time residents of Dublin and their final resting place will be in the Dublin Cemetery on a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made in Mary's memory to The Ohio State University Alzheimer's and Dementia Research Foundation, 1480 W. Lane Avenue, Columbus, OH 43221. Arrangements by Rutherford Funeral

Home at Powell. Condolences can be left on [www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Dublin Cemetery

83 W. Bridge Street  
Dublin, OH 43017  
(614) 410-4700

# Previous Events

## Memorial Mass

NOV 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Brendan the Navigator Catholic Church  
4475 Dublin Road  
Hilliard, OH 43026

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary B. Gallo*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *You were my mother's aunt. It's too bad that I did not get to meet you in my life and hear stories of my great grandparents or my grandfather, William Badurina.*

**Melissa Oestreich** - February 26, 2022 at 12:02 AM



“ *What a lovely lady! And what a ton of fun we had as kids in Dublin. Your mother was always so nice to all of us (even when we accidentally ran off the carpet protectors!). Very sad for your loss. I offer my condolences and am very sorry to miss the service. Miss you all. You are a terrific family and an important part of my life and my wonderful memories.*  
*Michael Perrini*

**Michael Perrini** - November 09, 2018 at 09:04 AM



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**Rutherford Funeral Homes** - November 08, 2018 at 03:45 PM

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*Mary and Paul were two of the finest people I've ever had the privilege of knowing. They were great friends to my parents in every way possible and always made my siblings and me feel special. The Thornton's send their heartfelt condolences at this difficult time. Another beautiful soul has left this Earth.*

*Ric Thornton*

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**Ric Thornton** - November 09, 2018 at 07:09 AM

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“ *I cared for Mary when I worked at Glenwood. She was such a joy to work with. I remember how shocked she was when I greeted her in Croatian. I took it for a year when I was in college and never had the chance to use it until I met her. But she was always pleasant and had a face that always looked like she was smiling.*

*She will be missed.*

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**Shannon Nealey** - November 07, 2018 at 11:47 AM

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“ *The South High School Alumni Association and its Board of Directors want to express our sympathy and send condolences at the death of your loved one. Our entire South High School family is diminished by her passing.*

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**Columbus South High Alumni Association** - November 06, 2018 at 10:11 PM