



Mary Pavlyak Pantalos

January 15, 2013

Mary Pavlyak Pantalos, age 90, of Columbus, OH, died peacefully, Tuesday, January 15, 2013, closely following her husband Jim to eternal rest. Survived by daughter, Jacquie Reed of Fishers, IN; son, George Pantalos of Louisville, KY; and five grandchildren. Mary was born in Auburn, NY, the daughter of immigrants from Starina, Slovakia. Mary was a graduate of Auburn High School in 1940. Mary and Jim were married in 1946 following his return from WWII. After raising her family, she returned to work at The Ohio State University and then at Ashland Oil for 20 years. She joined Jim on many activities at The Ohio State University including honorary faculty advisor to the Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity. Mary also helped out with many local charities, the Girls Scouts, and the Cub Scouts. Jim and Mary were members of St. James Episcopal Church upon arrival in Columbus, and have been active members of the Annunciation Greek Orthodox Cathedral in recent decades where she particularly enjoyed helping at the annual Greek Festival. Mary was an adult volunteer at COSI for many years and was one of the first volunteers to be recognized for 3000 hours of service. Calling hours will be at the RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, 515 High Street in Worthington, from 4-7 p.m. Thursday, January 17, 2013. Funeral service will be celebrated at the Annunciation Greek Orthodox Cathedral, 555 North High Street, Columbus, 11 AM Friday. Burial will take place at St. Nicholas Cemetery in Auburn, NY. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Mary's memory to the Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church or St. Nicholas Russian

Orthodox Church, Cross and Cottage Streets, Auburn, NY 13021. Please visit www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com to send on-line condolences.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Pavlyak Pantalos*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *I couldn't believe it when I saw that Mary passed so quickly after Jim. They definitely wanted to be together again and now they are in heaven. I was blessed to know them both while I worked at Trillium Place. My thoughts and prayers are with you George and all of your family.*

Debbie Kamer - January 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *George, We are so sorry to hear that your mother passed so soon after your father. They must truly love each other and could not bear to be apart. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Brenda & Mark*

Mark & Brenda Gerhardt - January 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the families. We were so blessed to have met Mary and Jim at The Annunciation Cathedral and so grateful that they were part of our lives.*

Koullis & Eve Peratopoulos - January 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ My deepest sympathies. As I posted in Mr. Pantalos' guestbook, I am impressed by the rich, vibrant lives he and Mrs. Pantalos led. Their greatest legacy, of course, is the family they created. I hope you all kind find some comfort at this sad time. -- Jill Scoggins, a colleague of George's at the University of Louisville Health Sciences Center

Jill Scoggins - January 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Jacquie & George, I'm so saddened to hear of your Mother's passing, as I was of your Dad's; two people who loved each other so much. Their spirits will live on in my heart. Delores Fayson
Ashland Chemical Retiree

Delores Fayson - January 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ George, Jacquie and Family: My deepest sympathy to you at this sad time. May you find comfort knowing your Mother and Dad are together. My love and prayers are with you. Joann Cunningham
Arnold

Joann Cunningham Arnold - January 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM