



## Patricia Ann Carroll

August 4, 1937 - December 28, 2019

Patricia Ann (Posey) Carroll, R.N. age 82, passed away peacefully, Saturday, December 28, 2019, the day after her 61st wedding anniversary. She met her mate for life, husband Donny in 1st grade. He proudly tells the story of carrying her books to school each day walking down Wilson avenue. Patty, affectionately known as “Mother Superior” lived her life fearlessly with passion, bringing love, laughter and the purest joy to all those blessed enough to know her. Our mother wasn’t just the life of the party; she simply was the party. Patty was a graduate of St. Mary of the Springs High School, Class of 1955. She went on to graduate from Mount Carmel School of Nursing, Class of 1958. Patty’s nursing practice encompassed a variety of roles throughout her career, culminating in her position as Vice President of Medical Services for United Health care, where she retired in December of 2000. Patty also served as a consultant for The Joint Commission, traveling extensively to survey & accredit Ambulatory Healthcare Clinics. In addition to her professional career, she was an active member of Christ Child Society Columbus, as well as the Mount Carmel Alumni Association, fundraising in support of nursing scholarships. Patty was a truly dynamic individual, enjoying a wide variety of interests and hobbies. She was an avid reader, enjoyed gourmet cooking, playing board games and long games of cards (where she experienced extraordinary Irish luck! everyone feared Patty’s dominance at the card table.) Some of the best memories of families and friends were spent during summers on Emerald Isle, NC, where she would be found combing the beach

for hours on end in search of the perfect shell. Patty is best remembered for her exceptional ability to forge friendships and loving relationships. People were drawn to Patty for her infectious personality with the keen ability to generate love, laughter, and a really good time! Patty was preceded in death by her infant daughter, Kimberly; brother, Joe Posey, Jr.; parents, Pauline and Jesse Posey. Survived by her lifetime friend and adoring husband of 61 years, Don; children, Katherine (Steve) Marsh, Susan (Joel) Solinger, Mary Beth (Andy) Vejnoska, David (Nicole), Tim (Ann), and Erin (Chad) Stanley; 26 grandchildren; 7 great-grandchildren; YOUNGER brother, Denny (Kate) Posey; many nieces, nephews, and very dear friends. Friends may call Friday, January 3, 2020 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, 515 High St., Worthington (Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.) Mass of Christian Burial 10:00 a.m. Saturday, January 4, 2020 at St. Timothy Catholic Church, 1088 Thomas Lane, Columbus, OH 43220. Father Timothy Hayes, Celebrant. Private family inurnment. The family would like to thank the wonderfully compassionate staff at Willowbrook Christian Home, Abbingdon of Arlington, & Mount Carmel Hospice, all of whom provided our mother with such loving care. In lieu of flowers, contributions, if desired, may be made to Mount Carmel Hospice, 1144 Dublin Rd., Columbus, OH 43215. To leave a condolence for the family please visit [www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

JAN 3. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford-Corbin Funeral Home  
515 High Street  
Worthington, OH 43085  
(614) 885-4006  
info@rutherfordfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com/>

### Prayer Service

JAN 3. 6:30 PM (ET)

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### Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 4. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Timothy Catholic Church  
1088 Thomas Lane  
Columbus, OH 43220



# Tribute Wall



“ *Rutherford Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Patricia Ann Carroll*



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**Rutherford Funeral Homes** - January 02, 2020 at 08:49 PM



“ *Patricia Ann Carroll*

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January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *To Donny and family, I wish to extend my sincere sympathy to all of you for the loss of your wife and mother . I was a year behind Patty at St. Mary's, but I have been lucky enough to have shared in some moments of great fun with the Carroll's both in Columbus and at my home in Ft. Lauderdale. Dick Vogel, Deacon and Donny....the "D" fellas/friends--your adventures in life, your wives, your families-- what wonderful times and memories--. My prayers and condolences are with you all. Love, Julie Faller Adams*

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**Julianne M. Adams** - January 19, 2020 at 07:33 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Patricia Ann Carroll.*



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January 02, 2020 at 07:00 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Patricia Ann Carroll.*



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January 02, 2020 at 11:25 AM



“ *My condolences to the entire Carroll family. Patty and Don are lifelong friends of our family and Patty will be missed.*

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**Dave Eschleman** - January 02, 2020 at 10:03 AM



“ *With sympathy and love.... purchased the Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet for the family of Patricia Ann Carroll.*



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**With sympathy and love....** - January 01, 2020 at 10:26 PM

JF

“ *It is sad to learn of Patty passing. She contributed greatly to life and will be remembered for her energy too.*

*With prayer,  
John and Cheri Fallon*

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**John Fallon** - January 01, 2020 at 02:13 PM

AS

“ *To all the Carroll's Heaven has gained a wonderful soul, Patty was one of the sweetest kindest person's I have ever known. She was constantly in my thoughts and prayers. I wish you all strength and courage as you move forward. Peace and Love. Ann Vogel Standley*

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**Ann Vogel Standley** - January 01, 2020 at 11:59 AM

TH

“ *Tim and Ann,*

*So sorry to see your mother has passed away. It looks like she was a very special and amazing person. You have our condolences and are in our prayers.*

*Terry and Sue Hartsock*

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**T. Hartsock** - December 31, 2019 at 05:51 PM

PG

“ *I remember Pat from the pool at McConnell. She was such a sweet woman and always welcoming. My condolences to the whole family on losing such a wonderful woman.  
Patti Anne Gill*

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**Patti G** - December 31, 2019 at 11:04 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Patricia Ann Carroll.*



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December 31, 2019 at 10:34 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Patricia Ann Carroll.*



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December 31, 2019 at 09:51 AM



“ *Our condolences to the entire Carroll family. Patty was always full of energy and life. I will always remember our drive up to the Grand Canyon from PHX, AZ many years ago. We laughed thru the entire trip. She was an amazing lady and will be very missed.*

*Doreen & Margaret Susi  
Scottsdale, AZ & Columbus, OH.*

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**Doreen Susi** - December 30, 2019 at 07:04 PM

NB

“ It was my honor to serve as Patricia Carroll’s Mt. Carmel hospice volunteer for the last couple years of her life. While I did not know Patricia in her prime, I heard the stories of her impressive career, her beautiful marriage to Don, her boisterous family life and her remarkable accomplishments as one of God’s most energetic, loving and generous creations. At the end of her life, despite her immense physical limitations, Patricia was consistently patient and gracious. A squeeze of her hand or a surprising laugh from her simply lit up the day. Blessings and sincere sympathy to Don and her wonderful family.  
Nancy Braverman

Nancy Braverman - December 30, 2019 at 05:37 PM

TF

“ The Nuñez Family purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Patricia Ann Carroll.



The Nuñez Family - December 30, 2019 at 04:40 PM

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“ Love, Lori Peddrick (Grube) purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Patricia Ann Carroll.



Love, Lori Peddrick (Grube) - December 30, 2019 at 04:21 PM

LS

“ I am truly sorry for your earthly loss of your beautiful mom. Pat and I are both August babies ( Leo's ) and we had great fun and uplifting talks. We competed heavy at a riverside lobby card game while waiting on a baby delivery. Debated rules. Etc But I always enjoyed my talks with Pat and Don. They always made me feel welcome. Love your entire family. You have been blessed for many years. Larry G Stanley. ( Chad and Erins family too )

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**Larry G Stanley** - December 30, 2019 at 02:41 PM

JF

“ We were so very lucky to have called Patty Carroll our friend. We have so many memories of time together in the Abacos worrying about Patty being in the sun too long as she was always on a sea shell hunt. And Oh all the many weekend card games with the girls at Buckeye Lake. Patty was always the first one at the table and it was non stop cards and non stop laughs. We would wear wigs and funny glasses with big noses. Patty was always up for anything. Patty was the perfect example of what a friend should be. Always there to listen, to help, to cook, whatever you needed you could count on her..  
May you rest in peace Patricia  
Your friends, Tim and Judy

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**Judy Fallon** - December 30, 2019 at 01:30 PM

CM

“ What a beautiful tribute to your wonderful mom and wife! She was all that and more. I'm so sorry for your loss, you've got lots of great memories to hang on to- she raised an amazing family. Lots of love  
—Connie McGreevy

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**connie mcgreevy** - December 30, 2019 at 01:10 PM