



Rosemary Braid

January 9, 1929 - September 26, 2024

Rosemary (Stilwell) Braid, 95, of Columbus, passed away peacefully Thursday, September 26, 2024, at Willowbrook Christian Home in Columbus.

Rosemary was born January 9, 1929, in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, to the late Byron and Margaret Stilwell. The late Nancy Starr, of Akron, was her younger sister. Rosemary attended Mount Union College in Alliance, Ohio, majoring in chemistry.

She married James Emerson Braid in 1949 in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. She lived in Alliance, Ohio for many years before moving to Columbus. She was active in raising her children and also in her church. In addition to raising her family she worked as a lab technician at a health center and student aide at Alliance City Schools. For many years she was financial secretary at First Christian Church in Alliance.

Rosemary was preceded in death by her husband, James Emerson Braid. She is survived by four children, James (Colleen) Braid, Debbie (Michael) Monaco, Lori (Jeff) Bright, and Mary Braid. Rosemary is also survived by 8 grandchildren, Allison (Karl) Olson, Heather (Steve) Silverman, Jessica (Andy) Armstrong, Amy (William) Burt, Matthew (Rikki) Monaco, David (Magaly) Monaco, Christopher (Carla) Bright, Gregory (Jordan) Bright and 16 great-grandchildren, Annika, Sam, Eli, Mae, Alana, Shayne, Kaitlyn, Jackson,

Payton, Campbell, Grady, Natalia, Camden, Carmen, Ben, and Cora.

A private burial will take place in Alliance, Ohio. The family will have a memorial service at Willowbrook Christian Home on Lazelle Rd, Columbus, Ohio, at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to your favorite charity.