



## Mary E. "Betty" Redden

February 6, 1921 - April 5, 2020

Mary Elizabeth (Betty) Issenmann Redden, age 99, of Centerville, died peacefully in her sleep at Bethany Village surrounded by her family on Sunday, April 5, 2020. Born in Hamilton, Ohio, the daughter of Joe and Elizabeth Issenmann, Betty was the youngest of their nine children. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Redden. Betty is survived by her nine children: Mike (Diana) Redden of Hanford, CA, Barbara (Steve) Pittl of Pleasanton, CA, Mary (Larry) McDaniel of Beavercreek, OH, Sandy (Kevin) Bereda of Beavercreek, OH, Anthony (Louise) Redden of Cincinnati, OH, Joanne (Tom) Hess of Centerville, OH, Mark (Meg) Redden of Washington, IL, John (Beth) Redden of Washington Township, OH, Cathy (Tom) McHugh of Beavercreek, OH; 32 grandchildren, 40 great grandchildren, and 2 great great grandchildren. Betty was a devout Catholic and member of Ascension parish in Kettering. She dedicated her life to her family and her Faith. She had a special devotion to the Blessed Mother and was a fervent advocate of The Blue Army and The Right to Life. Arrangements are being made by Schlientz-Moore & Reis Funeral Home for a private burial at Calvary Cemetery, with a Celebration of Life Mass at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation, in Betty's memory, to Dayton Right to Life, 425 N. Findlay St., Dayton, OH 45404. Please check Schlientz-Moore & Reis website at [www.reislegacycenter.com](http://www.reislegacycenter.com) for updates or to send condolences to the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

1625 Calvary Drive  
Dayton, OH 45409

# Previous Events

## Memorial Mass

JUN 5. 10:00 AM (ET)

Church of the Ascension  
2025 Woodman Drive  
Kettering, OH 45420

# Tribute Wall

KB

“ Mike & Diana, I am sorry to hear of Betty's passing.

Kim Behrens - August 03, 2025 at 11:34 AM

DS

“ I have a Dayton Daily News article that my mother, Katherine Landis, wrote about her friend and neighbor, Betty. It was in a column that accepted prank tales on ones friends and relatives. It told of how Betty had dragged Ed all over Dayton to find the perfect winter coat. But Betty had been unsuccessful until she saw a "beautifully groomed woman wearing just the fitted black coat she wanted, so she swallowed her pride, gathered up her nerve, and walked up to the stranger to beg her pardon for intruding and asked where she got the coat. The woman was very gracious and said she bought the coat on the West coast. The next day the womans picture was in the newspaper. She was Corliss Archer, the TV star. Her coat was not only fitted but most likely expensive and one of a kind." Mom went to tell another story about how Betty overslept on the morning of her friend's wedding day. She put her dress on so fast that she forgot to remove her pajama bottoms! The old neighborhood was filled with good friends and families who remain in our hearts and memories. They left fond memories, loads of laughter and love.

Dianne Landis Sonneborn - June 01, 2021 at 02:02 PM

JO

“ My deepest condolences to the Redden family on the loss of your mother.

Joanne Boston (Warren)

Joanne - April 10, 2020 at 08:50 PM

CG

“ Dear Redden Family,

*What a blessing your beautiful Mother was to us and so many others! We were blessed to know her. Such devotion and love flowed from her! Although we haven't seen her in quite a while we will always remember how much we cared for her. As happy as we all are that Betty is now with our Lord in Heaven and with Ed again, we know the earth is a different place when your mother isn't here with you. Our love to the Redden family, especially those Redden children that we have had the pleasure to know in our lives.*

*Sincerely,  
Carla & Pat Green*

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**Carla G.** - April 09, 2020 at 09:37 AM

SH

“ *Mike & Barb, Sure wish I could offer my condolences in person and I could not find your addresses on the UD site. Your mother was a special person and now she is with your Dad. I'm sure that pleased her! You were so lucky to have such a faith filled Mom. I loved talking to her at church (when she went early) and that way I could catch up with both of you. Know that you and the rest of your family are in our thoughts and prayers. You have our deepest sympathy.*

*Larry & Sue (Stephan) Hoffman*

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**Sue Hoffman** - April 08, 2020 at 09:11 AM

SB

“ To the Redden Family; Wish I could offer my sympathy personally. I loved Betty she was such a joy, always so positive and so strong in her faith. Every time I saw her she would say “that darn Peggy why did she get to go first“. Now they’re together in heaven and what a party they will have💕 she will be kept alive in our memories. God Bless you all.🌺🌸🌻

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**Sheila (Hinders) Ballard** - April 08, 2020 at 08:39 AM

TP

“ Hello Mike:  
Linda and I are so sorry for your loss. Your Mother was a wonderful person.

*Tom & Linda Payne*

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**Thomas Payne** - April 07, 2020 at 08:32 AM