



Ann Flesher Dwan

February 28, 1929 - December 21, 2014

Ann (Flesher) Dwan, 85, of St. Joseph died peacefully Sunday, December 21, 2014, at her residence.

A Mass celebrating her life will be held at 1 PM on Saturday, Dec 27, at the St. Bernard's Catholic Church. The family will receive friends and relatives from 11 AM to 12:30 PM at the Dey-Florin Chapel of Florin Funeral Service in St. Joseph. Memorials may be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Association, the Heart Foundation or Donor's Choice. Please share memories, messages, or photos at www.florin.net.

Ann was born on Feb 28, 1929 in Detroit to Gorman and Kathleen Flesher. She married her husband, Gerald Dwan, in 1950 and he preceded her in death in 2008. Together they celebrated 58 years of marriage. Ann was a homemaker and loved all the things that it encompassed. She also enjoyed going to Las Vegas and watching movies. She was a gifted artist and drew many portraits of her family and friends. Ann was also a wonderful cook and a loving mother, grandmother, and great grandmother.

She is survived by her children, Kathleen Wallace of St. Joseph, Daniel (Kathy) Dwan of Goodyear, AZ, Sharon Dwan of Kalamazoo, Elizabeth Dwan of Las Vegas, NV, Margaret (Tim) Bury of St. Joseph, and Jeanne (David) Williams of Chicago; her brother, Donald Flesher of West Palm Beach, FL; her

sister, Diane (Larry) Delach of Kalamazoo; her 16 grandchildren and her 21 great grandchildren. She was also preceded in death by her parents; her brother, Gerald Flesher, and her sister, Jean Isabell.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 27. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Dey-Florin Chapel of Florin Funeral Service - Closed 2013
2506 Niles Avenue
St. Joseph, MI 49085
(269) 983-1514
staff@florin.net

Service

DEC 27. 1:00 PM (ET)

SS John & Bernard Parish, St. Bernard Catholic Church
555 Delaware
Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Tribute Wall

RY

“ *Rhonda Young lit a candle in memory of Ann Flesher Dwan*



Rhonda Young - January 06, 2015 at 10:16 AM

RY

Jeanne,

So sorry for the loss of your Mom. It's been a long time, we use to be so close. I remember your Mom and she was always so sweet to me. Miss you and my prayers and thoughts are with you. I lost my Mom 12 years ago at Christmas and I understand what you are going through.

Take care!

Love,

Rhonda Young (Weatherly)

Rhonda Young - January 06, 2015 at 10:21 AM

MF

“ *Jeanne and family:*
I am so sorry for your loss. I was out of town and didn't realize she had passed until I got back today. I would have been there had I known earlier. She was a wonderful lady and you were blessed to have her for your Mom.
Love you,
Michelle

michelle flaherty - January 05, 2015 at 11:24 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ann Flesher Dwan.*



December 26, 2014 at 11:42 PM



“ *I remember many a time of sitting at the kitchen table... my Mother listened to my worries, woes and heartbreaks...and my happiness and triumphs. She always had a loving response and a tight hug. Her kitchen table will be missed. I love you, Mommy. Sharon*

Sharon Dwan - December 25, 2014 at 02:05 PM



“ *Amazing Arboricola was purchased for the family of Ann Flesher Dwan.*



December 23, 2014 at 03:43 PM



“ *Growing up, it was the Dwan's, the Merritt's and the Joseph's. Ann, Betty and Rita had coffee daily at one of their houses while at least 15 of us kids played. She was one of my moms best friends and a beautiful mom my family will never forget. Bless all of you. Love, Barbara Merritt Cruz*

barbara cruz - December 23, 2014 at 12:20 PM

Jl

“ They say Laughter is one of the things that God loves most. Well I think the one who makes people laugh has got to be Gods mouth if God were in Human form. Your Mother made me laugh and laugh and laugh. I recall her sweet and strong Hugs and everytime I would see her the first thing she would say is, "My name isn't Doolie it's Doolie". Then we would both laugh !!! When Aunt Ann was in the room everyone knew it !!! She called a spade a spade for sure, if you wanted an honest opinion Aunt Ann was the place to go. Thru all the laughter and behind those beautiful shimmering eyes was a heart of gold.

Now she is shining her lite with her family beyond the Horizon. Not a sunset but a new beginning.....a Flesher Re -union....with loving memories.

Julie A. Jeffery/Niece, (daughter of Jean Eleanor Jeffery Isabel, Ann's younger sister).

jilie - December 23, 2014 at 02:44 AM

JU

“ Julie lit a candle in memory of Ann Flesher Dwan



Julie - December 23, 2014 at 02:31 AM