



Mary Pendlum

April 23, 2023

Mary Patricia “Pat” Pendlum passed away on April 23, 2023. She departed this earthly life at the age of 84 while surrounded by her loving family.

Pat was born on March 17, 1939, to Louis and Dorothy Lang in Wheelersburg, Ohio. In between her junior and senior year of high school, Pat met and fell in love with Gerald “Jerry” Pendlum. The two were married on August 23, 1958, and they had five children together - Marilyn, Donnie, Deanna, Karen, and Jason. Pat and Jerry were blessed to celebrate 62 beautiful years of marriage.

Pat’s love for her family was only exceeded by her love of God. Her deeply rooted faith was evident by her actions and words as she was always quick to speak kindly, extend forgiveness, and see the good in people. With a heart for helping others, Pat fondly enjoyed her service as a long-time volunteer with the Jersey Village Fire Department. She served alongside her husband for many years which brought the couple great joy and resulted in many friendships.

A love of travel and birds was known to bring a smile to Pat’s face, but her greatest joy was spending time with her family. These family gatherings always included lots of delicious food and spirited conversations. She found great pleasure in the simple things in life, such as a hot cup of coffee, especially when it was shared with someone she loved. Family was always

greeted with a sincere hug and bright eyes that clearly conveyed Pat's gentle spirit. The memories of time spent together will be deeply cherished by Pat's family and those who knew her.

Pat is survived by her children Marilyn Neisch, Donnie Pendlum, Deanna Pulido (Joel), Karen Kurtin (Kurt), and Jason Pendlum; grandchildren Julie Haro (Ricky), Michael Neisch (Mandy), Andrew Neisch (Bethany), Olivia Smith (Zach), Emily Pulido, Ryan Pulido, Samuel Kurtin, Anna Kurtin, Gerald "Jerry" Kurtin, and Timothy "Timmy" Kurtin; and great-grandchildren Levi Neisch, Abby Neisch, Eden Neisch, and Luke Neisch.

Pat is preceded in death by her husband Jerry Pendlum; parents Louis and Dorothy Lang; siblings Casey Lang, Phyllis Hock, and Donnie Lang; and her cherished son-in-law, Dan Neisch.

A rosary prayer service will be held at 10:15 a.m. with a funeral mass following at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 29th at St Matthias the Apostle Catholic Church in Magnolia, Texas.

The Addison family and staff of Magnolia Funeral Home extend condolences to Mary's family and friends during this difficult time.

No services are scheduled through the funeral home.

Tribute Wall

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“ My cousin Pat and Jerry were always special people present when we went to visit my grandparents, Jennings and Norma Coburn, and aunts in New Boston Ohio. My cousin Pat was a woman who my mom and I always held up as an example of a genuine caring and good person in the way she lived her life and cared for the people in it. Although she was a native Ohioan, I always thought of her and Jerry as my "big Texas cousins" when they came to visit. Pat was quick witted, warm and easy to be with. My grandparents and all my aunts loved and adored their time with Pat. She will be missed by all around her and my thoughts and prayers go out to all those she touched in her life.

Stephanie Jones - April 29, 2023 at 11:29 AM



“ Pat was my cousin. I have known Pat 64 years. I have wonderful memories going to Pat and Jerry’s house on Dogwood Ridge and Timmons Lane in Portsmouth ,. Pat would cook a homemade dinner and always a dessert. She was so gracious!. My Mother and Father , Norma and Jennings Coburn, loved spending time with them. Jerry and Pat had a great sense of humor and there was always much joking and laughter. Pat was very busy with her own family, but she often extended an invitation to my brother Greg and I. One summer day, they packed all of us children in the back seat and headed for the Cincinnati Zoo . Pat made some sandwiches and cookies that we ate at a picnic area along the Ohio River. I never forgot this special day!

Pat had a beautiful smile and effervescence. She was so positive about everything. She had such patience and organization with raising 5 children too! She always impressed me how she treated friends and relatives. She was so kind and loving to her mother- In law, Irene. She told me that “ Irene was my friend”. Aunt Irene would always say She was so lucky to have Pat.

My brother and I were so fortunate to spend time with Jerry and Pat on a Caribbean cruise. We met for coffee every afternoon , as well as the evening meal . We never stopped sharing our family memories and reminiscing.

Pat was the sister that I always longed for. She was a beautiful woman and human being. Most of all Pat was my friend. Although many miles apart, when we talked we could always pick up where we left off. I will miss her presence.

Connie Coburn

Connie Coburn - April 28, 2023 at 12:42 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mary Pendlum.



April 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family of Mary Pendlum.



April 28, 2023 at 08:09 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Mary Pendlum.



April 28, 2023 at 07:57 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Mary Pendlum.



April 27, 2023 at 08:26 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Pendlum.*



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“ *My sympathy to the family. I met Pat when my cousin Jerry began dating her and she was always a happy, upbeat person that you loved to be around. Pat and Jerry were so nice when I started dating my future bride and can remember visiting with them in their new home. We moved to Maryland ,they moved to Texas so contact was limited but we always exchanged Christmas cards and kept track of our expanding families. I shall miss both of them . Mark Coburn*

mark coburn - April 26, 2023 at 01:12 PM