



## Mary J. Summers

August 12, 1926 - October 19, 2024

Mary Irvin Summers, 98, passed away peacefully on Saturday, October 19th, 2024 at Teresian House surrounded by her family.

Born in Norwalk, Ohio, on August 12, 1926, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Alberta Milhaupt Woller. With a move to Albany, NY, she attended and graduated from Vincentian Institute.

Mary enjoyed crocheting, quilting, bingo, bowling and the NY Yankees. She was a communicant of St. Vincent de Paul Church in Albany, and St. Matthew's in Voorheesville.

When she retired from the NYS Assembly as typesetter and graphic editor in the Print Shop, Mary was generous in sharing her quilting talent with many friends and charitable organizations for fund raisers. Her skills went from the drafting table to the cutting table.

She enjoyed being a resident at Teresian House and prayed the rosary daily.

In addition to her parents she was predeceased by her husband Robert Irvin and also Paul Summers, her daughter Rhonda Irvin, and her brother Robert Woller.

She is survived by her daughters, Ruth Wakefield, Rita (Stanley) Hadeka, Rosemary Irvin, Regina (Frank) Papa, and Roberta Salerno; grandchildren, Jennifer (Thomas) Reardon, Theresa Wells, Robert Hadeka, Rene Papa, Victoria (Sean) Dollard, Justine and Joseph Salerno; and great-grandchild Cillian Dollard.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Mary's family Wednesday, October 23, 2024 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm at McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany, NY 12206. Please enter the funeral home from the rear parking lot entrance only.

Funeral services Thursday, October 24, 2024 at 10:30 am at St. Matthew's Church, 25 Mountainview St., Voorheesville, NY where her Funeral Mass will be celebrated.

The Rite of Committal will be held at Our Lady of Angels Cemetery immediately following the Funeral Mass.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to: Teresian House Foundation, 200 Washington Ave. Ext., Albany, NY 12203 and the New Scotland Community Food Pantry, P.O. Box 335, Voorheesville, NY 12186

# Cemetery Details

## Our Lady of Angels Cemetery

1389 Central Ave  
Albany, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **23**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.  
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Albany, NY 12206  
(518) 489-0188  
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## Funeral Mass

OCT **24**. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Matthew's Church  
25 Mountainview Street  
Voorheesville, NY

# Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary J. Summers*



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**McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.** - October 22, 2024 at 07:31 PM

AC

“ *Dear Ruth, I'm so sorry to learn of your mother's death! I remember her fondly from grade and high school days when I came over to your house. She was a beautiful lady. May your memories of her bring you peace. Sincerely, Anne (Hoffman) Cronin*

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**Anne Cronin** - October 24, 2024 at 10:30 AM



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



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October 22, 2024 at 06:30 PM

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“ *New Scotland Community Food Pantry Board planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary J. Summers.*

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**New Scotland Community Food Pantry Board** - October 22, 2024 at 06:30 PM



“ 372 files added to the album LifeTributes



McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - October 22, 2024 at 02:28 PM

JM

“ Rose & Regina My God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow , Yes your family are very special people you all have a lot of love inside of you God Bless you all  
Mike McElroy

John mcelroy - October 22, 2024 at 11:10 AM

DS

“ I always loved seeing her at 5 o'clock mass with Ruth & Rita. I always have one of her beautiful towels hanging in my kitchen. Hoping happy memories will bring peace to all of her family.



Darleen Smith - October 22, 2024 at 09:32 AM

TB

“ Tim & Laura Backus planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary J. Summers.

Tim & Laura Backus - October 22, 2024 at 08:35 AM

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“ Tim & Laura Backus purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mary J. Summers.



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Tim & Laura Backus - October 22, 2024 at 08:35 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary J. Summers.



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October 22, 2024 at 08:32 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary J. Summers.



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October 21, 2024 at 10:26 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary J. Summers.



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October 20, 2024 at 05:33 PM

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“ *The Dollard Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary J. Summers.*

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**The Dollard Family** - October 20, 2024 at 05:33 PM