



## Bimla (Vijh) Malhotra

October 24, 1935 - April 15, 2015

Bimla (Vijh) Malhotra, a youthful 79, left us on Wednesday, April 15, 2015 with her family and friends by her side. Bimla was born October 24, 1935 in Lahore, India and has been a resident of Mentor, OH for the past 49 years, moving here as she followed her beloved husband on his journey.

No matter where she lived, she planted herself and made every day joyful by meeting new friends and taking on new experiences. Whether it was her work at May Co., her love and frustration of taking on golf, her knitting, gardening, feeding birds, playing cards (and every other game known to mankind), dancing and singing and beating a drum, reading, scratching off lottery tickets, going to the casino, cooking up a storm, entertaining others, raising a family, being part of the Mentor and Willoughby Women's groups, the Mentor Fine Arts.... EVERY aspect of her life was done with a playful joy.

Survivors include her children Deepak "Chico" (Judi) Malhotra MD PhD, of Toledo, OH, Helen Malhotra of Willoughby, OH, and Paul (Kathy Schlemmer) Malhotra of Willoughby, OH; grandchildren Kristin Malhotra of Mason, OH and Nathan Malhotra of Auburn Hills, MI; brothers Raj (Asha) Vijh, Madan (Guddi) Vijh and Charanjit Vijh, as well as many more dear family members in India and Europe. Preceding Bimla in death is her beloved husband Om Parkash Malhotra DVM, PhD; parents Fakir Chand and Dayawati Vijh; sister Saraswati Vohra; brother Harbans Vijh and several dear sister-in-laws and brother-in-

laws.

The family will receive friends 3:30 to 5:30 pm Sunday April 19, 2015 at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

The memorial service will be 5:30 pm Sunday at the funeral home.

In Bimla's memory please do a random act of kindness to your fellow man,  
"Pay it Forward"

Family suggests memorial contributions can be made to the choice of the donor.

Offer condolences at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 19. 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center  
8466 Mentor Avenue  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 255-3401  
ajs@brunners.com  
<https://www.brunners.com/>

## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall

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**Brit** - April 26, 2015 at 01:48 PM

RH

“ *To the family and friends of Bimia Malhotra,  
My name is Rhonda Nagel Hoon. I was the human resource  
manager for May Co.in 1973-1975, at Great Lakes Mall, when Bimia  
was hired. She was a wonderful person to work with and always  
had a smile for everyone. I felt the need to reach out and let you  
know how much she was appreciated in an environment you may  
have never seen her in. She was an excellent employee. I know she  
is missed. My sincere sympathy to all of you.*

*Sincere,  
Rhonda Hoon*

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**Rhonda Hoon** - April 21, 2015 at 07:43 AM

FS

“ *We are so sorry. Our thoughts are with you all.*

*Frank and Julie Saul*

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**Frank and Julie Saul** - April 19, 2015 at 03:18 PM



Christina  
Macwhitec

“ I can't even put into words the way that Bimla affected our family. We were so lucky to have known her, and she made our lives happier. She will live on in the countless things she taught us, and we are just so thankful that she came into our lives. She became a very important part of our family, and we miss her already.

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**Christina Macwhitecartney** - April 19, 2015 at 12:10 PM



DS

“ We are so sorry to hear of Bimla's passing. Bimla was a wonderful friend who will surely be missed. As we played bridge over the years, we learned of the exciting story about Bimla's life experiences, and admired and respected such a unique and rare personality. Bimla's kind heart and generous spirit has left all who were privileged to know her with fond memories. It is an honor to have known her.

*Donna and Merle Sweeney*

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**Donna Sweeney** - April 19, 2015 at 10:26 AM



DG

“ Debra, Ashley and Charlie Guilbert purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Bimla (Vijh) Malhotra.



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**Debra, Ashley and Charlie Guilbert** - April 18, 2015 at 04:52 PM