



## Helen M. Bregitzer

May 10, 1928 - February 20, 2019

Helen M. Bregitzer, 90, of Concord Twp., passed away February 20, 2019 at her home with her family by her side. She was born May 10, 1928 in Cleveland and graduated from John Adams High School in 1946.

Mrs. Bregitzer was primarily a homemaker, but she loved to dance and at one time was employed as a ballroom dance instructor for Arthur Murray Studios. Helen's many artistic abilities were demonstrated through her hobbies of cooking, sewing and decorating.

Survivor includes her husband Donald of 68 years. The two met at the Mentor-on-the-Lake roller rink and were married Nov. 11, 1951. Helen is also survived by her daughters, Gail (Charles) Gaukel, and Diane (Keith) Bennett; grandchildren, Christopher Bennett, Erin (Dan) Robison, Joseph (Christina) Bennett, and Taylor Gaukel; and her great grandchildren, Noah, Abbigayle, Alexandra, and Emily.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Joseph and Mary Pope; and her 8 older brothers and sisters.

In celebration of Helen's life, the family will receive friends on Saturday, March 30, 2019 from 1-2 p.m., followed by a service and time of sharing at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center 8466 Mentor

Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of the Western Reserve, P.O. Box 72101, Cleveland 44192. Donate online at [www.hospicewr.org](http://www.hospicewr.org). Please offer condolences at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 30. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center  
8466 Mentor Avenue  
Mentor, OH 44060  
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## Memorial Service

MAR 30. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Helen M. Bregitzer.*



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February 27, 2020 at 10:55 AM



“ *Don: I'm not sure if you remember me, but I worked at the Meals on Wheels site in Mentor when you volunteered. You were such a nice gentlemen and I was able to meet Helen when you brought her for a luncheon we had. Please accept my deepest sympathy and know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Sharon Zuzek*

*Painesville Meals On Wheels*

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**Sharon Zuzek** - February 24, 2019 at 09:59 AM



“ *Aunt Helen you were always sweet and caring. May you rest in peace.*  
*Cindi Hill-Granc*



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**Cindi Hill-Granc** - February 23, 2019 at 04:24 PM

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*as a young boy i can recall me talking to her at a family outing at that time i was only 7 years old and the joy she brought to us all i will always hold her close to my heart my dad william f bregitzer age 76 passed away not long ago i know now that they are all with each other and looking down on us all i also ask you all to keep me close to your heart not long ago i fell trough a roof and broke my back and right wrist it was done because i saved a small dog from a racoon the dogs name is willow i leave this number be hind for you all  
+1-440-810-0926 my new lady love will pass the news to me her name is brenda acala*

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**bill bregitzer jr** - October 16, 2019 at 03:54 PM