



Roberta Jean "Bobbie" (nee Roberts) Farcas

April 22, 1931 - February 17, 2020

Bobbie Farcas, 88, of Mentor, OH passed away peacefully on the morning of February 17, 2020 at Symphony at Mentor Assisted Living. She was born April 22, 1931 in Pittsburgh, and grew up in Mount Lebanon, PA.

Throughout her childhood, her family would spend summers at the family farm near Clarion, PA, where they were joined by many out-of-state relatives who also spent summers there.

After graduating from Muskingum College, now known as Muskingum University, Bobbie worked as a school teacher. In 1955, she met and married George Williams. George was a lieutenant in the U.S. Army, and together they spent the first two years in Nice, France where George was stationed. After returning to the U.S. from France, they decided to start a family and ended up having three children together; Bruce in 1957, Carolyn in 1959, and Kent in 1961.

Bobbie loved to travel! Some of her destinations included Japan, The Ukraine, Alaska, several European countries, and was even baptized in the River Jordan while visiting Israel.

She and her second husband, George S. Farcas, split their residence between Strongsville, OH and Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Anyone who knew George

Farcas knows that they played A LOT of golf. In addition to playing golf, Bobbie enjoyed cooking, hostessing parties and family gatherings, doing crafts, playing games, and being very active in her church. Most of all, she enjoyed spending time with her five grandchildren.

Survivors are her children, Kent (Joni) Williams Sr., Bruce (Cathy) Williams, and Carolyn Williams; grandchildren, Kent Jr., Greg, Brian, Melissa (Cody), and Kristine (Parker); and her great grandchildren, Alex, Hunter, and Owen.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Herbert and Nelle (Burnham) Roberts; and her brother, Raymond Roberts.

The family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. Wednesday, February 26, 2020, at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

A funeral service in honor of Roberta's life will be held at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, February 26, 2020, at the funeral home. Interment will be at Clarion Cemetery, Clarion, PA.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to an Alzheimer's Association of one's choice.

Send flowers and offer condolences at www.brunners.com.

Cemetery Details

Clarion Cemetery

Clarion, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

FEB 26. 8:00 PM (ET)

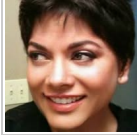
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Tribute Wall

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“*Roberta was a fun cousin. We shared many memories at our Grandparents farm in Clarion. She loved riding her horse and climbing the catalpa tree. We shared many family events there and she had me visit her at Muskingum when I was in HS. We were in each other's weddings and visited each other often as our families grew. I miss her smile.*”

Lois Diehl. - March 11, 2020 at 05:32 PM



“ Mom, We hit it off from the day we met at your grandsons’ football games, and remained close ever since. It was bittersweet going through the many photos that chronicled your life because you led such a wonderfully full life and we sadly saw it decline so much since bringing to Mentor from Ft. Lauderdale in 2006. Ironically, the last time I looked through so many pictures was down in Florida when you were making Mosu’s board for his service there.



Kent and I relived your past with fond memory of the photos we held and stories we recalled you telling us. I feel as if I knew many of the friends and family you often spoke about, and even had the pleasure of meeting a few during one of our trips to the farm.

I’ll remember our RV trips to places like Tennessee, North Carolina, and Virginia, and our car day excursions to locations such as Akron, Steubenville, and Clarion. I’ll smile each time I see the figurine you bought me during one of those trips or your old pair of golf shoes that you gave me when I needed a new pair (nice we wore the same size).

I’ll remember the many things we did together before signs of our illnesses (like going to your country club, viewing art galleries, and shopping), as well as, after the start of our illnesses, (going to church, eating out, and frequently visiting my grandmother and aunt), before we really declined to the point where we could no longer do things together.

And when Kent wasn’t there for those times, we proved to be quite the team. We were both beginning to deteriorate in health; mine physically and yours cognitively. Together we were whole. As I remembered things for you, you pushed the wheelchair for me. By the way, my grandmother and aunt loved you. I hope the three of you are up there playing cards and getting caught up.

We shared a lot over the years; some good (swapping recipes, collecting shells), and some that weren’t so good (putting down Millie).

Well mom, I wasn’t able to visit you much these past few years as it became more difficult for me to go out, but you were in my heart,

thoughts, and prayers. I may not be up to attending your service even, because I foolishly broke my tibia and fibia the day you left us, making it extremely hard to out now. I know I will not be there in Clarion, but I know exactly where you'll be because of the day we paid respect to your family and you mapped out where you'd be when you told Kent and I your final wishes.

With this, I say my final good-bye. Thank you for all you've done for us. I love you mom...be happy in your new home as you were here with us.

Joni Berardi - February 24, 2020 at 08:40 PM

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“ *One of my fondest memories is climbing into a cave at the farm that Bobby showed us. She was the adventurous one! Rest In Peace sweet lady.*

Cathy Williams - February 23, 2020 at 08:58 AM