



## Valorie "Namu" Hyett

November 30, 1938 - March 20, 2025

Valorie "Namu" Hyett, 86, of Mentor, passed away March 20, 2025 at Governor's Pointe Assisted Living, Mentor, Ohio. She was born November 30, 1938 in Cleveland, to the late Charles Mack and Charlotte Valore.

After graduating from high school in 1956, Valorie went on to earn her cosmetology license from White Cross Cosmetology in 1957, but left the profession to raise her four children. Valorie was a bus driver for the City of Wickliffe school system for many years, but her real love came from being a bus aide for over 25 years on the special needs buses. She loved "her kids" and spoke of them as if they were her own. She had a passion for garage sales, thrift stores, and antiques, and was known as the "garage sale goddess". After Valorie retired from Wickliffe city schools, she turned that passion into profit by running a booth at Antiques & Uniques, a local antique mall. She loved her new adventure and especially loved her Antiques & Uniques family. Valorie was known for her painting and crafts, and loved to decorate, do yard work, cook, and bake. She loved her grandchildren and great grandchildren and was so very proud of them.

Survivors include her children, Jamie (Dave) Kobrick, Thomas (Cheryl) Hyett, Holly Hyett and Robin Hyett; grandchildren, Adrienne (Joe) Son-Hing, Christina Hyett, Jennifer Hyett, Lauren Legate, Austin (Kalea) Legate, Samantha Barresi, and Anthony Semosky; 8 great grandchildren and many

other loving family members and friends.

Preceding Valorie in death are her husband, James Hyett; son, James “Jimmy” Hyett and loving step-father, Anthony Valore.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Friday, April 4, 2025 at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, Ohio 44060. A funeral service will held 10:00 a.m., Saturday, April 5, 2025 at the funeral home. Burial to follow in Mentor Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Miracle City Hospice, 9150 S. Hills Blvd # 100, Broadview Heights, OH 44147.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Rd.  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 974-5733

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**APR 4.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 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/>

## Funeral Service

**APR 5.** 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

FJ

“ Sincere condolences to Holly and the family. May her memory be a blessing.

Frank St. John - April 20, 2025 at 08:20 PM

CD

“ Hi, Family. I sat at your mom's bedside early one Saturday morning just before she passed with one of our nurses. Valorie was resting peacefully when all of a sudden four of her friends showed up and started talking, telling stories, laughing and reminiscing. She responded by laughing with them and trying to respond as best she could. It was such a joyful half-hour visit! I was happy to be in the room with them.

-- Cynthia Danals, Bereavement Coordinator, Miracle City Hospice

Cynthia Danals - April 03, 2025 at 02:30 PM

RF

“ Rita and family purchased the Simply Elegant Sp  
athiphyllum for the family of Valorie "Namu"  
Hyett.



Rita and family - April 03, 2025 at 11:50 AM

MF

“ Max & Coleen Fisher planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Valorie "Namu" Hyett.

Max & Coleen Fisher - April 03, 2025 at 01:29 AM

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“ Max & Coleen Fisher purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Valorie "Namu" Hyett.



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**Max & Coleen Fisher** - April 03, 2025 at 01:29 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Valorie "Namu" Hyett.



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April 02, 2025 at 11:23 AM

TC

“ The Jaster, Gallegos and Voorhis Clan purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Valorie "Namu" Hyett.



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**The Jaster, Gallegos and Voorhis Clan** - April 02, 2025 at 03:24 AM

RU

“ Rutledge planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Valorie "Namu" Hyett.

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**Rutledge** - March 28, 2025 at 07:56 AM

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“ Rutledge purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Valorie "Namu" Hyett.



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**Rutledge** - March 28, 2025 at 07:56 AM

OE

“ To AUNT VAL. I was at you and uncle James wedding. Cannot remember when you were not part of our story. Last time I saw you was in Bellaire . I will miss seeing you at reunions and on Facebook. Sending my love to our extended families especially my cousins. Oscar Eddy Hyett III

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**Oscar Hyett III AKA Eddy** - March 27, 2025 at 04:09 PM

PB

“ Val was such a wonderful woman who raised amazing children. She never met a stranger and was so welcoming to all. We always had fun at the Springfield antique show. She will be missed by many. Hugs to the family.

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**Pam Bird** - March 27, 2025 at 03:04 PM