



Mary M May

August 22, 1937 - October 21, 2015

Mary M. May passed away Wednesday evening at Deaconess Gateway Heart Hospital surrounded by family.

Mary was born August 22, 1937 in Evansville to the late Rudolph and Lucille (Morris) Koressel. She worked for the U.S. Postal Service as a rural mail carrier, retiring in 1998. She was an active member of St. Philip Catholic Church where she was the organist and a choir member for over 45 years. Being part of the Hour of Worship Service and the Prayer Chain was near and dear to Mary's heart. She was a 2010 recipient of the Evansville Catholic Diocese Brute Society Award. As a member of the Spirit of Evansville Sweet Adelines women's choral group, Mary enjoyed singing out in joy to the world! She attended Mater Dei High School and the Academy of Immaculate Conception in Ferdinand, IN graduating in 1955. She enjoyed her children and grandchildren and was an avid Mater Dei football fan. She also enjoyed God's beautiful creation especially butterflies. Mary's gentle spirit and radiant glow was evident to everyone she ever met. She woke up every morning like a babbling brook and an opening flower.

Surviving are her husband of 58 years, Thomas B. May; daughters Michelle Krack (Tim), Martha Appler (Chris) and son Chris May all of Evansville, and son Michael May (Beth) of Bowling Green, KY. Also surviving Mary are grandchildren Matt Krack of Indianapolis, Amy Krack of metro San Antonio,

TX, Carrie (Brock) Harris of Hope, IN, Andy Krack (Paige) of Denver, CO, Christopher May (Bethany) of Evansville, Michael May of Lynnville, IN, Peter May of Evansville, and Kevin May of Golden, CO. Other survivors include great grandchildren Kaylin May of Evansville and Kassidy Duran of metro San Antonio, TX and numerous nieces and nephews.

Friends may visit with the family from 1:00 until 6:00 p.m. Sunday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street, where there will be a memorial service conducted at 4 p.m. Friends may also visit from 9:30 a.m. on Monday until service time of 10:00 a.m. at St. Philip Catholic Church.

The family extends their sincere thanks to Deaconess Gateway staff for their loving care they gave Mary.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Philip Catholic Church (Music Mission), 3500 St. Philip Rd., Mt. Vernon, IN 47620; Spirit of Evansville Sweet Adelines Chorus, 822 Crestwood Dr. East, Evansville, IN 47715; or to the Sisters of St. Benedict, 802 E. 10th Street, Ferdinand, IN 47532.

Condolences may be made online at www.pierrefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery

2500 Mesker Park Drive
Evansville, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **25**. 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home
2601 West Franklin Street
Evansville, IN 47712
(812) 423-6471
info@pierrefuneralhome.com
<https://www.pierrefuneralhome.com>

Visitation

OCT **26**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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funeral

OCT **26**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Philip Catholic Church
3500 S. St. Philip Road
Mt. Vernon, IN

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary M May*

January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Was so sorry to hear of your Mother (and my cousin), Mary's, passing. We were on vacation and just returned. Her mother and my Dad were brother and sister. She was always my connection to the Morris family. And she never forgot my Birth Day, writing on every side of the card of her and her families lives. We always joked we were the "only child" kids in the family which gave us a connection. I will miss her very much. Again, our sympathies for your loss. Know we send God's Love and Strength to you all. Judy Morris Rohlfer*

Judy Morris Rohlfer - October 29, 2015 at 09:32 AM



“ *My condolences to the family. May Mary Rest in Peace.*

suze - October 26, 2015 at 01:06 PM



“ *Mary was a wonderful member and director for sweet Adelines. I loved her wit. She'd say something kinda sarcastic, then smile and we'd do the same passage of the song so much better. We will miss her fun, loving spirit. We are a better chorus because of her dedication.*

Judy

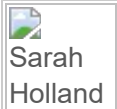
judy mcgillem - October 25, 2015 at 11:26 PM

JS

“ Michelle I'm so sorry to hear about your mom. I will never forget her playing the organ so beautifully at St. Philip and she had a wonderful voice! I could never carry a tune but remember being in the balcony for choir practice/tryouts once with your mom playing. I know you and your family will miss her. She was such a sweet lady. I'm sending lots of love and prayers your way for all of you!
Joan Stephens



joan stephens - October 23, 2015 at 07:53 PM



Sarah Holland

So many wonderful memories of Mary May...I always had to call her Mary May because it just fit her! What a wonderful soul. She blessed so many lives and will be missed greatly...my prayers are with her family and friends.

Sarah Holland - October 24, 2015 at 12:31 AM

SM

“ Maggie was a great rural carrier for the USPS. She cared about her customers and was well liked by her peers. I enjoyed working with her at the West Wabash Station for many years. She will be missed but fondly remembered.

Sue Marshall - October 23, 2015 at 01:36 PM

KF

“ We always enjoyed her warm friendly manner and the music she blessed us with at St Philip Church. Our family will miss her. Todd and Kathleen French

Kathleen French - October 23, 2015 at 08:35 AM

MD

“ I remember all of the hundreds of trips Mary and I shared carpooling our children to St. Philip's grade school and Mater Dei High School. This included regular school Attendances, Sports practices, Band practices, after school events, Fall Festival events, and many other trips too numerous to mention! Thank you Mary for being such a great neighbor and car pooling buddy from our homes in the country!!

Mary Rose Decamps - October 22, 2015 at 09:24 PM

DW

“ Mary was the best Godmother, role model and friend. She taught me so much and I tried to be the Godmother to my Godchildren that she was to me. I love her dearly and will miss her terribly. Rest in peace!!! All my love!!!



Diane (Schweizer) Werner

Diane (Schweizer) Werner - October 22, 2015 at 08:12 PM