



## Patricia Anne Grannan

February 5, 1937 - April 8, 2020

Patricia Ann “Patti” (Happel) Grannan, 83 of Evansville, passed away Wednesday, April 8, 2020 at the Linda E. White Hospice House.

Patti was born during the 1937 flood on February 5th in Evansville, IN. She was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother; a talented seamstress; avid gardener and enjoyed reading. She authored and published several family memoirs in 2009 and 2010. In her younger years, Patti worked as a bookkeeper at Mater Dei High School. She earned her Bachelor’s Degree in Psychology from the University of Southern Indiana and worked for many years as a counselor at the Chrysalis Home for Women with Addictions. Patti was an active member of St. Agnes Catholic Church; where she was a member of the choir and founded the CASH (Christian Adults Staying Healthy) exercise group for senior citizens.

Surviving Patti are her husband of 60 years, Richard Vincent “Dick” Grannan; two sisters, Betty (Jim) Schenk and Edith (Mark) Smith; children, Michele (Mark) Jolly, James (Cara) Grannan and Gerald A. (Judith) Grannan; grandchildren, Emily (Drew) Robards, Lesley (Chad) Goelzhauser, Logan Grannan, Anthony (Donna) Catanese, Jessica Grannan and Gerald R. (Arielle) Grannan and five great grandchildren.

Patti was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Marie (Miller)

Happel.

Due to the current health crisis a private family visitation will be held at Pierre Funeral Home on Saturday, April 11, 2020. Private funeral services and burial will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery. Family members seeking information may call Pierre Funeral Home at (812) 423-6471.

A public service celebrating Patti's life will be scheduled for family and friends as soon as possible.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the staff of the Linda E. White Hospice House for their kind and compassionate care.

Condolences may be made online at [www.pierrefuneralhome.com](http://www.pierrefuneralhome.com).

## Cemetery Details

### **St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery**

2500 Mesker Park Drive  
Evansville, IN

## Previous Events

### **Private funeral services**

APR **13** (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery  
2500 Mesker Park Drive  
Evansville, IN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia Anne Grannan*

January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Dear family, so sorry to hear patti passed away, I am her second cousin, dorothy Mae hermann(mesker) . She was born at my house , upstairs .in the apartment her parents (my cousins) occupied on our second floor. I was only five at the time but will always remember it. Always admired her. I have a granddaughter who reminds me so much of Patti. Personality and looks. Will keep all of you in my prayers. Much love, Dorothy Mae. momhermann@me.com*

**dorothy hermann mesker** - April 18, 2020 at 02:58 PM



“ *Dick, Shelly, Jim, Jerry & families,*

*We are so sorry to hear of the unimaginable loss of Patti. May you find comfort in your faith, especially at this most difficult time. You are in our thoughts & prayers. Hold the memories close.*

*Peace & God bless,  
Judy Beth (Grannan) & Randy Thurman*



**Julia & Randy Thurman** - April 13, 2020 at 12:04 PM



“ *Keeping your family in our prayers.  
Ambrose and Marilyn Clements Family*

**Janet Wink** - April 11, 2020 at 01:34 PM

MD

“ Dick, Michelle, Jerry, and Family,  
My deepest sympathy and heartfelt  
condolences to you on the loss of this very  
special lady. “The sun, the moon, the wind,  
the stars, will forever be around, reminding  
you of the love you shared, and the peace she’s finally found.”  
Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days  
ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts until you  
meet again.  
Peace, Prayers and Blessings,  
Michele Daum



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**Michele Daum** - April 11, 2020 at 10:20 AM

JD

“ Jerry and Family - we are so sorry for your loss. Please know you  
are in our thoughts during this difficult time. Joe & Monica Deal

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**Joe Deal** - April 11, 2020 at 10:09 AM

CS

“ Shelly, so sorry for your loss. May Jesus hold her in His arms and  
reward her greatly in heaven for the life she lived.  
Praying for all. Ceal & Bill

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**Cecelia schulz** - April 11, 2020 at 08:17 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the  
family of Patricia Anne Grannan.



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April 11, 2020 at 12:17 AM

SH

“ So sorry for this great loss. I think I met Patty at Lamey's Grove. We both lived on Lodge Avenue in duplexes...We would walk our babies together. We also would play scrabble at each other homes. She was such a good friend and I think we also went to laundromat with our babies together. She was a good mother and not surprised to see how she helped others. Good memories...Loved her smile...Glad I knew her...Praying. Sue & Don Hardesty

Sue Hardesty - April 10, 2020 at 06:44 PM

DM

“ Michelle Im so sorry for your loss,but Thank you for letting us at Linda White share this jouney with you.God bless you and your family.Diana (Recep)

Diana Mudd - April 10, 2020 at 03:27 PM

TY

“ Dick and Family-  
Thinking of you during this difficult time. Our prayers are with you.  
Theresa and Galen Yoder

Theresa Yoder - April 09, 2020 at 06:27 PM

JB

“ Dick & family,  
So sorry to hear about Patti. You are in our thoughts & prayers.  
Harley & Jeanne Burkhardt

Jeanne Burkhardt - April 09, 2020 at 06:10 PM

DH

“ Dick, sorry for your loss. Patti was always so pleasant to be around. Our thoughts and prayers be with you. Denny & Jane Hughes

Denny Hughes - April 09, 2020 at 05:19 PM

FE

“ *My sister. Mary Minielli, and husband Joe always spoke fondly about Patti and Richard whom they shared many evenings together in their couples group,*

*My prayers will be with the family as they adapt to the loss of this marvelous lady.*

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*Fr. Jim Endress*

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**Fr. Jim Endress** - April 09, 2020 at 04:49 PM

DP

“ *We are keeping you all in thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Patti will continue to watch over you. May she Rest In Peace.*

*Chuck and Diana*

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**Diana Petranek** - April 09, 2020 at 12:24 PM

JS

“ *Dear Richard and Family,  
My sincerest sympathy on the death of Patti. She was always very friendly and willing to help out in whatever she could. Please know that my prayers are with you.*

*God bless,*

*(Fr.) Jim Sauer*

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**James Sauer** - April 09, 2020 at 10:55 AM

DB

“ Aunt Patti was a very special person in my childhood. She taught me sewing, needlepoint, baking, and so much more. She was always there to listen and show she cared. She helped me make this apron as a gift to Grandma Grannan. As an adult, I realize that the time and love she gave was a selfless and significant gift. I am so appreciative of everything she and Uncle Dick did for me as a child, and even into my life as a young adult. They were always there for me. Praying for everyone through this loss.



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**Deanna Barton** - April 09, 2020 at 08:28 AM

MM

“ Our deepest sympathies to Dick and the Grannan family.

*Patti & Dick were mentors and learners in the infancy of the Deacon Program in the Diocese, A Community was built as we gathered monthly to learn and soul search as to who and what we were becoming. It was a new journey for husbands and wives. Patti became a good friend and sounding board as we tried to grasp what it was we were embarking upon. Rose Ann & I enjoyed many enjoyable discussions late into the night with Dick & Patti at those training weekends and Annual Retreats. Wishing we could be with you in your Celebration of Life.*

*Paz de Christo  
Deacon Mike & Rose Ann Morris*

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**Michael Steven Morris** - April 09, 2020 at 08:26 AM

NN

“ So sorry for your loss. She was a very welcoming person to St. Agnes and the senior exercise class. She organized a balloon fest for Bridget's 21st birthday and made for a very happy young lady! Our prayers are with you, Dick. May you receive the peace of Christ knowing she is no longer in pain. Prayers for the family...

*Love in Christ, Nancy, Kevin, and Bridget*

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**Nancy Nelson** - April 08, 2020 at 10:47 PM

JL

“ So sorry for your loss. Patti was a very sweet lady. Prayers for your family.

*Jim, Juanita & Jessica Little*

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**Juanita Little** - April 08, 2020 at 08:05 PM

LH

“ We first met Patty while singing in the St. Agnes choir. We were all good sight readers and could sing Acapulco LOL. Great memories. Our prayers are with the Grannan family.

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**Leah Hoffman** - April 08, 2020 at 04:47 PM

PW

*Richard and family - so sorry to hear of the loss of your beautiful wife and mother. Patty was an inspiration to the Deacon wives, always with a happy face and smile on her face. She will be sadly missed.*

*Deacon Cy and Pat Will*

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**Pat Will** - April 09, 2020 at 10:06 AM