



## Mary Helen Gosnell

July 6, 1941 - December 9, 2021

Mary Helen Gosnell, 80, of Vandalia, passed away Thursday, December 9, 2021 at her home with her family by her side.

Cremation rites are under the direction of Bibb-Veach Funeral Homes & Crematory of Bowling Green.

Mary was born July 6, 1941 to Donald Watts and Mabel Schultz in Vandalia, Missouri. She was united in marriage to Brian Edward Gosnell on December 19, 1959. They were married for 56 years. Brian preceded her in death on September 23, 2016.

Mary lived in Vandalia most of her life. She was a member of the First Christian Church of Vandalia. Mary was a devoted mother, raising her four boys to be men. She enjoyed sewing, knitting, and making quilts. She loved her dogs, who were her faithful companions. Mary also had an extensive collection of Boyd Bears.

Mary is survived by three sons: Michael Gosnell of Bowling Green, Kevin (Teresa) Gosnell of Bowling Green, and Kenneth (Shonda) Gosnell of Lakeland, Florida; grandchildren: Maekayla Wiler, Carli Kast, Caleb Gosnell, Kaiden Gosnell, and Kyston Gosnell; and sister, Dorothy Lewis of Illinois.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; and son, Mark Gosnell.

# Tribute Wall

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“*Mary Helen and I grew up together we lived across the street from each other we had the best time riding the school bus together talking and laughing about girl things. There was a bunch of kids getting on the bus at Hassien’s grocery store. We were always friends not as close as we were back in the day. I will miss her terribly. Prayers for her family and friends. RIP Mary Helen.*”



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**Beverly Largent** - December 12, 2021 at 03:43 PM

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“*Wayne And Juanita Lynn lit a candle in memory of Mary Helen Gosnell*”



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**Wayne and Juanita Lynn** - December 11, 2021 at 04:51 PM

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“*Ronald And Travis Hendrix lit a candle in memory of Mary Helen Gosnell*”



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**Ronald and Travis Hendrix** - December 11, 2021 at 03:14 PM

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“*So sorry to hear this.we go back a long time.i worked at the garment factory.73-95*”

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**Fred&Gladys smith** - December 10, 2021 at 11:41 PM

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“ *To a wonderful neighbor so sorry for loss. Tim and Michelle Kurz and family*



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**michelle kurz** - December 10, 2021 at 10:53 PM