



Mildred Marie "Mickie" Karpuk

October 11, 1924 - November 2, 2019

Mildred Marie "Mickie" Karpuk was born October 11, 1924, in Schleswig, Iowa, to Peter Heinrich and Doratheia Mundt Claussen. She died Saturday, November 2, 2019, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, at the age of 95 years. Mickie was reared and educated in Schleswig, Iowa, and was a graduate of Schleswig High School. She was married September 9, 1947, in Sioux City, Iowa, to Edward Joseph Karpuk. In her early years as a mother, Mickie was a stay at home mom caring for her family. She later worked as a medical receptionist at different physicians' offices in the Tulsa area. She was a faithful longtime member of St. Henry's Catholic Church in Owasso and was active in the choir. She volunteered her time in serving others through local organizations such as Meals on Wheels and Neighbor For Neighbor. She enjoyed a variety of pastimes, especially bowling, in which she participated well in to her 80's. She also enjoyed quilting and spending time gardening, particularly growing irises. Those she leaves behind who hold many cherished memories include:

Her children; Gail Broyles, of Adair, Oklahoma

Mike Karpuk and wife Sandra, of Boulder, Colorado

Paul Karpuk, of Mission Viejo, California

Patricia Ingram, of Claremore, Oklahoma

Grandchildren; Christina Shear and husband Mathew

Jessika Haukness and husband Johan

Kelly Karpuk

Garrett Ingram, Mark Ingram, and Brandon Ingram

Great grandchildren; Colton Shear, Abbigail Shear, and Makenzie Haukness
She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Edward, siblings,
Helen Houlihan, Pearl Jorgensen, Ed Claussen, Paul Claussen, and Hazel
Heilmann, and son-in-law, Dr. Wesley Ingram.

A visitation time will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday,
November 6, 2019, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. Funeral Mass will
be held 10:00 a.m. Thursday, November 7, 2019, at St. Henry's Catholic
Church in Owasso with Father Matt LaChance and Father Richard Bradley
officiating. Committal service and interment will follow at Fairview Cemetery in
Owasso. The family requests memorial contributions be made to the
Alzheimer's Association, 2448 East 81st Street, Suite #3000, Tulsa,
Oklahoma, 74137, or Neighbor For Neighbor, 505 East 36th Street North,
Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74016-1812. Arrangements and services were entrusted to
Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso.

www.moweryfs.com

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

11811 E. 76th St. N.
Owasso, OK 74055

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 6. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mowery Funeral Service
9110 N. Garnett Rd.
Owasso, OK 74055
(918) 272-6244
<https://www.moweryfs.com/>

Tribute Wall

MZ

“ *Gail and family, Your mother led a full and loving life giving so much of herself to others. Now she is at rest. May it be peaceful. Mary Ziegler*

Mary Ziegler - November 07, 2019 at 05:08 PM

PA

“ *Rest in peace, Mickie! Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Danny and Patty (Simeroth) Hills*



Patty - November 06, 2019 at 03:07 PM

DW

“ *Dogs Gone Wild purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mildred Marie "Mickie" Karpuk.*



Dogs Gone Wild - November 06, 2019 at 11:06 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Mildred Marie "Mickie" Karpuk.*



November 05, 2019 at 04:20 PM

LL

“ Extending our sympathy from our family. Loren has fond memories of their visits to the farm and the Claussen reunions.

Loren and Marlene Lee - November 05, 2019 at 08:41 AM

MM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Karpuk and Claussen family during this time of loss. Aunt Mickie was always the humor for us Mudd girls at the reunions and her stories were the best. I've loved every minute I've ever spent with her. I am finding comfort in knowing that she is now playing cards with all of her siblings and their spouses, her dear husband, and her parents. She also has a wonderful son-in-law and two loving nephews that are on watch and serving up some refreshments between card games! ❤️ Love to you all, always ❤️❤️



Macaë Mickens - November 04, 2019 at 10:07 PM

TN

Mickie and Edwards were one of the first parishioners from St. Henry Catholic Church to welcome the Pham's Family to America. I still remember them hosting our family for lunch at their home. Mickie and family wanted to make sure everyone had a seat at the table and so they converted their table tennis into a dining table in order to accommodate all 12 of us. Our family is forever grateful for Mickie's kindness and think of her often. May her beautiful soul rest in peace.

Teresa and Family

Teresa Nguyen - November 06, 2019 at 08:16 PM

KA

“Mickie was in our choir at St. Henry and was one of the best alto singers we had. She and Bertha always sat beside each other and were great singers. I miss those days. The last time I talked with her was at St. Cecilia's in Claremore when my granddaughter Madison was confirmed. I will always remember what a sweet "lady" she was and remember when her husband "Ed" passed away many years ago as I picked up my 10 year old son at Hodson elem. to serve the funeral Mass that morning. He will be 40 already next year. You are now in God's hands so rest in peace.

Bill & Katy Rackers

Katy - November 04, 2019 at 05:11 PM