



## Patricia Ann Kocsovsky

April 6, 1939 - September 28, 2010

Patricia "Pat" Kocsovsky, age 71, of Neebish Island, Michigan passed away Tuesday morning, September 28, 2010 at Northern Michigan Regional Hospital, in Petoskey, Michigan. Pat was born on April 6, 1939 in Galion, Ohio. She graduated from Galion High School with the class of 1957 and later earned her Associates Degree from Ohio State University. On March 20, 1959, she married Willard Kocsovsky at a small country church in Mansfield, Ohio. Pat worked as a secretary for Ohio State University for many years and later ran the office of small claims for the Municipal Courts of Bellefountain, Ohio. She was a member of Faith Lutheran Church and was the records director for the local branch of Thrivent Financial. Pat enjoyed reading, playing games on the computer, sewing, and making many types of crafts, including quilts, dish cloths, jewelry bags, and pot holders. She also enjoyed playing cards (Wednesday night euchre on the island and Tuesday afternoon at Cozy Corners). Pat is survived by her husband: Willard Kocsovsky; a son: Frank Wade (Tom Wilbraham) Kocsovsky of Chicago, IL; a daughter: Kay (Joey) Mecca of Surprise, AZ; two grandchildren: Steven Kilger of White Water, WI and Audra (Dan) Schmidt of Paddock Lake, WI; and two great grandchildren: Connor and Braydon Schmidt. She is also survived by four brothers: Don (Betty) Tucker of Neebish Island, MI, Jack (Shirley) Tucker of Sycamore, OH, and Ed (Marilyn) Tucker and Jim (Joyce) Tucker both of Galion, OH; a sister-in-law: Joan Amon of Akron, OH; and many nieces and nephews. Pat was preceded in death by her parents: Floyd and Nellie (Horton) Tucker; and a

brother: Michael Tucker. A Memorial service will be held on Monday, October 11, 2010 at 1:00 PM at Faith Lutheran Church in Sault Ste. Marie, MI with Pastor Barry Lavine officiating. Memorials may be left to Faith Lutheran Church, or The Hospice of the EUP

# Tribute Wall

EL

“Wow. What a shock to see this in the Bellefontaine paper. We had no idea. Pat was such a great lady and fun to be around with. I am working on my 35th year at Hi-Point and am throwing things away. There are a lot of memories and I was just thinking about the two of you. I remembered the first time we met and John Richard said I was to take care of you. We were both square dancers, yada yada... and I needed to introduce you around the community.

Anyway, Nancy and I send our thoughts and prayers for Pat, you and your family.

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**Earl & Nancy LeVan** - October 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RB

“Will and Family:  
I was saddened to open the paper and see that Pat had passed away. I enjoyed working with her for many years and was happy to be considered her friend. We have exchanged Xmas cards with her every year since she moved and was able to stay in touch with all of her family news and she ours. She will be sadly missed. Our deepest sympathy to you all. Thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Roger and Arlene Beaty** - October 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JW

“I have very special memories of working with Pat on Womens Circle projects at First Lutheran, Bellefontaine - She was a sweetheart! May she rest in peace.

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**Jean Wright** - October 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Our prayers are with you always*

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**Lori McLaughlin (Tucker)** - October 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ *Pat & I had so many memories as a part of the 1957 Galion class. She was a special person in this world, as I am sure she will be in the next. I extend my sincere sympathy. Jill Dixon*

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**Jill (Ferguson) Dixon** - October 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

WR

“ *I was a classmate of Pat.  
Very sorry to hear of her passing.  
Your family has our deepest sympathies.*

*Will and Louann Ritzhaupt*

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**Wilbur F. Ritzhaupt** - October 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you Willard.*

*Jim and other members of the Class of 57*

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**James R. Laughbaum** - September 30, 2010 at 12:00 AM