



## Betty Jean Vachalek

June 10, 1929 - November 17, 2017

Age 88 of Kokomo, IN passed away at 10:47 pm Tuesday, November 21, 2017, at St. Vincent Hospital in Kokomo. She was born June 10, 1929, in Erie, PA, the daughter of the late Samuel & Eva (Erhardt) Puskas. On April 28, 1956, in Detroit, MI, she married George A. Vachalek who preceded her in death on February 19, 2005.

Betty was a 1947 graduate of St. Phillip Neri High School in Detroit. She retired in 1962 from U.S. Army Ordnance Tank Automotive Command. Betty was a member of St. Mark Parish in Warren, MI. She enjoyed bowling, golfing, playing cards, and especially spending time with her grandchildren. Betty loved entertaining and cooking for her family and friends. She was always there to help a friend in need. George and Betty enjoyed vacations in Las Vegas and Baldwin, MI.

Betty is survived by her daughter, Diane (Kevin) Kincaid; grandchildren, Courtney Kincaid and Jeremy Kincaid, along with seven nieces, nephews, and several great-nieces and great-nephews; and special friends, Boulie Caylor, Madelyn Caylor, and Barbara Edwards.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents, husband, George, two sisters, two nephews, and favorite uncle, Adam Erhardt.

Memorial contributions may be made in Betty's memory to St. Mark Parish or to St. Joan of Arc Church. Shirley & Stout Funeral Home & Crematory assisted the family with arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Rd  
Clinton Township, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 27. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors, Inc. - Warren  
22642 Ryan Road  
Warren, MI 48091  
(586) 757-3563

## Rosary

NOV 27. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Instate

NOV 28. 9:00 AM (ET)

St. Mark Catholic Church  
4401 Bart Ave  
Warren, MI 48091

## Mass of the Resurrection

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NOV **28**. 9:30 AM (ET)

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4401 Bart Ave  
Warren, MI 48091

# Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Jean Vachalek*

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October 23, 2023 at 04:00 AM



“ *Betty Jean Vachalek*

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January 06, 2023 at 05:24 AM



“ *Diane and Family,*  
*I wanted to express my sympathy to all of you in the loss of your*  
*mother and grandmother. Prayers for all of you at this time.*  
*Peace be with you,*  
*Peggy Martelli*

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**Peggy Martelli** - November 28, 2017 at 12:32 PM