## **Margaret Sue Corker Wiles**

## October 16, 1914 – July 16, 2000

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## Margaret Corker Wiles

Mrs. Margaret Corker Wiles, 85, loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother passed away peacefully in her sleep Sunday, July 16, 2000.

Margaret was born October 16, 1914, in the secluded picturesque hamlet of Hinton, WV. She was the third child of Mr. Bernard Thomas

and Flossie May Corker.

Margaret attended West Virginia University where she obtained her degree and subsequently became a registered dietician. After graduation she met Mr. Thomas Wiles of Marrowbone Creek, WV. The couple married in August of 1940. In 1947 they moved to Toledo, where they raised their three children, Margaret Ann, Thomas Edward and George Roger Clark. Margaret was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas (1969), her youngest son, George (1966), her sisters, Mary Alice Henne, Dorothy May Cogar, and her brother, Buster Corker.

Margaret was employed at Clay High School in Oregon, OH where she taught for 28 years in the Home Economics Department. After retiring from teaching, Margaret still felt the need to serve the community. She became an industrious member of her parish, Good Shepherd Catholic Church, by serving on numerous committees as well as being an active member in many prayer groups, including Our Ladies Prayer Group and the Medjugorje Prayer Group. Margaret was a volunteer at St. Vincent Hospital and worked with the Heart Beat Program. She also was very active in the Catholic Charismatic renewal.

Margaret loved to travel and made many religious pilgrimages to sacred sites throughout the world. She visited Medjugorje three times to witness the Marian apparitions. That is how Margaret lived her life, fearlessly with zeal to serve God and society. She also possessed an unbreakable will to teach, both in word and deed, generations of offspring what it means to be a good human being.

Margaret's enduring memory lives on with her son, Thomas Edward (Genie) Wiles; her daughter, Margaret (Gerald) McCready; nine grandchildren, Tamara Arndt, Timothy McCready, Terrence McCready, Tonda Koszycki, Theresa Solly, Jenny Henderson, Erin O'Connell, Angela Wiles and Jon Wiles, who also serve as pall bearers and fourteen great-grandchildren. She will be missed.

Friends are invited to visit from 3-8 p.m. Tuesday at the Ansberg-West Funeral Home, 3000 Sylvania Ave., where the Rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. Mass of the Resurrection will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Good Shepherd Catholic Church, where friends may visit after 10 a.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Good Shepherd Church or M.C.C.R.