



## Yanen, J. Wasielewski

October 16, 2011

Yanen, Wanda J. Wasielewski, age 90 of Moundsville, WV died peacefully on Sunday, October 16, 2011 at Mound View Health Care Center, Moundsville.

She was born March 12, 1921 in Lafferty, OH the daughter of the late Stanley and Josephine Oleskowna Wasielewski.

She was a member of St. Francis Xavier Church; and co-owner of the former Sam Yanen Ford in Moundsville.

Wanda belonged to many Women's Clubs in the Ohio Valley. She loved to travel, especially to Florida in the winter with her late husband, Sam, and later with her good friend Ethlyn Dellaria, who survives her.

Wanda was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and friend who was known for her kindness, generosity, community contributions, upstanding character, and class.

She loved to sing, dance, and tend to her yard and gardens.

In addition to her parents, Wanda was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel Yanen; the former owner of Sam Yanen Ford Mercury in Moundsville; her brothers, John, Frank, Edward, and Stanley Wasielewski, and Jack Conklin; and a brother-in-law, Robert Yanen.

Survivors include two sons, Rod (Cindy) Yanen, and John "Rick" (Chris) Yanen; grandchildren, Kary Fenske, Melissa (Frank) Gilbert, Michele (Mike) Alvarez, John Yanen, II, Allison (Sam) Phipps, Krista (Dan) Karo, Ashley (Thad) Vavrock; thirteen great-grandchildren, Kady, Kristin, and Josie Fenske,

Macy, Cole, and Cade Gilbert, Madison and Anthony Alvarez, Zachary and Courtney Phipps, Olivia and Roman Karo, and Alexis Vavrock; a sister, Freda Bihari; brother-in-law, George (Charlene) Yanen; and several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Wednesday from 2-4 and 6-9pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Avenue, Moundsville where Rosary Devotions will be recited at 6pm.

Funeral Liturgy with Mass will be celebrated Thursday at 10:00am at St. Jude Catholic Church, 610 Jefferson Avenue, Glen Dale with Fr. Ed. Stafford as celebrant.

Interment in Riverview Cemetery, Moundsville.

Wanda's family would like to extend a special thank you to the staff at Mound View Health Care and Dr. Robert Wade for their care, kindness, and support during her long struggle with Alzheimer's.

Memorial contributions may be made to Marshall County Animal Shelter, RD#5, Box 210, Moundsville, WV 26041.

# Tribute Wall

GC

“ Rod and Rick, I will keep the family in my thoughts and prayers in this time of need.

**Gary Church** - October 20, 2011 at 03:58 PM

DS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. So sorry for your loss .  
Ron and Diane

**diane and ron shelek** - October 20, 2011 at 12:52 AM

TA

“ We send our condolences to you on the loss of Mrs Yanen. May all your good memories bring a smile to your face and warmth to your heart. May God bless you all.

**The Seeing Hand Association** - October 19, 2011 at 03:44 PM

RC

“ Thank you Mark and Becky. It means a lot and we appreciate it.

**Rick & Chris** - October 18, 2011 at 06:49 PM

JK

“ To all the Yanens, Very sorry to hear about your mother, aunt, and grandmother. My thoughts and sympathy are with you and your children on her lost.

**Jay Knapp** - October 18, 2011 at 05:38 PM

MS

“ So sorry to hear about the passing of your mother, aunt, and grandmother. Remember all the good times you had with her. She will be with you forever in your hearts. Love you all

Martha Markovich Scott - October 18, 2011 at 03:56 PM

IN

“ So sorry about the loss of your mother. You were fortunate to have had her for so long. Cherish the memories. Deepest sympathy and know that we are thinking of you. Ina

Ina - October 18, 2011 at 03:25 PM

MS

“ Will Always be remembered, I will miss singing with you. You are my Sunshine.

Maggie Smith - October 18, 2011 at 09:40 AM

MS

“ Our heartfelt sympathies are with you & Chris. I know how close both of you were to her. Please know that both of us are here for both of you. Love, Mark & Becky

Mark & Becky Schuman - October 18, 2011 at 09:18 AM

SD

“ I worked for the Yanens in the late 60's and early 70's. When I helped her with gardening chores at the house she treated me with respect. With Sam, Rod and Rick around; Wanda was truly a rose among the thorns. She lived her life with class, dignity and style and will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Steve Durrah - October 18, 2011 at 08:02 AM