



## Dolores Ann Wilt

October 23, 1934 - November 11, 2024

Dolores Ann Wilt, 90, passed away on Monday, November 11, 2024 in Grafton, WI. She was born October 23, 1934 in Milwaukee, WI, where she remained a resident through high school. She was also a former resident of Arlington Heights, IL, Libertyville, IL & Grayslake, IL and lived a short time in Florida when her husband Richard was an aviation officer in the Navy. Dolores attended Iowa State University and was in the Kappa Delta sorority. She was also a member of St. Paul the Apostle Church in Gurnee, IL. Dolores worked for several years at Sears Roebuck & Co, first selling lingerie in a store, then moving into human resources, and then working for the general counsel. She was a master gardener and past President of the Illinois Garden Club. She enjoyed creative flower arranging and created an amazing perennial garden in her Libertyville home. She was also an animal lover, riding horses as a girl and raising many dogs throughout her lifetime, especially Doberman pinschers.

Surviving are her 4 children, Steven (Kay), Julie, Gregg (Cindy) & Michael (Mary) Wilt; grandchildren, Jaime (Mike) Opthof, Alyssa Wilt, Jennifer (Mike) Powers, Jeffrey Achs, Jessica (Isai) Juarez, Jolyn (Dylan) Krivoshein, Jeremy Wilt, Nicole (Kevin) Banasik, Eric Wilt, Jacob & Benjamin Wilt and by 12 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard Wilt in 2019, by her son, Daniel and by her brother, Robert Keller.

A visitation will begin at 8:30 a.m. followed by a funeral mass at 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, November 23, 2024 at St. Paul the Apostle Church, 6401 Gages Lake Road, Gurnee, IL. Entombment will be at Warren Cemetery in Gurnee. For info: 847-362-3009 or share a memory at [www.burnettdane.com](http://www.burnettdane.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **23**. 8:30 AM (CT)

St. Paul the Apostle Church  
6401 Gages Lake Road  
Gurnee, IL 60031

## Funeral Mass

NOV **23**. 9:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Love, TJ, Jen, AJ, Mason and Cooper purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Dolores Ann Wilt.



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**Love, TJ, Jen, AJ, Mason and Cooper** - November 22, 2024 at 04:13 PM

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“ Ozaukee County Special Olympics purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Dolores Ann Wilt.



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**Ozaukee County Special Olympics** - November 21, 2024 at 01:35 PM

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“ The Garden Clubs of Illinois, Inc. send our deepest condolences to the family and loved ones for the loss of your loved one. Dolores was a beloved past president of GCI and respected by all. She will be missed.

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**Diane Dawson** - November 20, 2024 at 08:46 AM

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“ Thoughts, prayers and condolences to friends and family of Master Gardener Dolores Wilt. She was also a Life Member of The Garden Clubs of Illinois. May she RIP.

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**Pamela Appleton** - November 19, 2024 at 01:20 PM

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“ 4 files added to the album Dolores Pictures



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**Kay Wilt** - November 13, 2024 at 07:38 PM