



## Marguerite Theresa Sturtz

February 9, 1929 - July 26, 2024

Marguerite Theresa Sturtz, 95, of West Point, VA peacefully went to her Lord and Savior Friday, July 26, 2024. She was born in Riverside, New York on February 9, 1929 where she later met her husband and spent the rest of her life in West Point, VA. Marguerite was a devoted member of Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church where she served as a volunteer receptionist and served as a sacristan for over 20 years. Her time as a sacristan was her greatest joy in life and was spiritually rewarding. Marguerite was a loving daughter, wife, mother and grandmother to the entire family. Her wisdom and love will be sorely missed. Marguerite was preceded in death by her parents, Stephen and Mary Ochman; her husband, Thomas E. Sturtz Sr.; her son, Thomas E. Sturtz Jr.; and her sister, Virginia Schmitz.

Marguerite is survived by her two daughters, Joan Applegate and Carole Beasley (Wayne); six grandchildren, Brandon Beasley, Gary Beasley, Tracie Gates (Chris), Lynn Haurand (Ed), Paula Wilson (Robert) and Stephen Sturtz (Leslie-Ann); a daughter-in-law, Carla Sturtz; ten great-grandchildren, Audrey Spradling (Jason), Carlie Norkunas (Mark), Robert Wilson (Amber), James Wilson, Jackson Sturtz, Celeste Sturtz, Gabrielle Sturtz, Levi Sturtz, Connor and Hollie Gates; six great-great grandchildren, Josiah Alexander Spradling, Shaelynn Lee Spradling, Zoe Marguerite Norkunas, Lena Josephine Norkunas, Wraylan Scott Wilson, Tenley Ruth Wilson and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

A funeral mass will be held 11 Am Tuesday at Our Lady of the Blessed

Sacrament Catholic Church, West Point VA, with burial following in St. Theresa Catholic cemetery. The family will receive friends 5-7 PM Monday night at Vincent Funeral Home, West Point VA with a Rosary service at 7 PM. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to OLBS Catholic Church, 207 W. Euclid Blvd, West Point VA 23181.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Theresa's Cemetery

2400 King William Avenue  
West Point, VA 23181

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

JUL 29. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, West Point Chapel  
417 11th St  
West Point, VA 23181  
(804) 843-2550

## Rosary Service

JUL 29. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Mass

JUL 30. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church  
3570 King William Avenue  
West Point, VA 23181



# Tribute Wall

TF

“ *Marguerite was a good friend of my late Mom, Mary Fudala. My condolences to the Sturtz family.*

Tom Fudala - September 14, 2024 at 04:22 AM

CH

“ *So very sorry for the loss of your precious grandmother. May our Lord bring you comfort and peace.*

Cheryl Haynes - August 03, 2024 at 11:51 AM

BS

“ *Dear Sturtz family, my thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Marguerite was a wonderful friend, we worked together at Diggs and also shared a few good times dancing.. May our heavenly father hold all of you in his loving arms and give you peace and comfort. Betty Chapman Sears*

betty Sears - July 30, 2024 at 02:59 PM

TW

“ *Sorry For Your Loss*



Thomas Widgeon - July 30, 2024 at 06:42 AM

RC

“ R.T. Croswell And Donna Croswell lit a candle  
in memory of Marguerite Theresa Sturtz



R.T. Croswell and Donna Croswell - July 30, 2024 at 05:47 AM



“ To the Sturtz family, I am so sorry for your loss. Marguerite was a friendly, kind, helpful lady, beautiful inside and out. She was a very dear friend to my mother, Virginia Ryczak. They were both very involved in church activities, they attended daily Mass at OLBS Church and for 20+ years, they both were sacristans for the church, volunteering together taking special care of the altar, the altar linens and supplies. After moving into an assisted living facility, my Mother kept in touch with her friend Marguerite, and treasured the cards and notes Marguerite sent her. We send our sincere and deepest sympathy to the Sturtz family.  
Maryann Ryczak Casterline

Maryann Casterline - July 29, 2024 at 09:11 PM

JP

“ So sorry for your loss. She was a remarkable lady. Love and sympathy to all of her family.

Judy and Glenn Palmer - July 29, 2024 at 08:13 PM

BR

“ Beverly And Jim Ross lit a candle in memory of Marguerite Theresa Sturtz



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**Beverly and Jim Ross** - July 29, 2024 at 05:52 PM

NR

“ Nanette Ross lit a candle in memory of Marguerite Theresa Sturtz



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**Nanette Ross** - July 29, 2024 at 12:03 PM

KA

“ Kenneth Armstead lit a candle in memory of Marguerite Theresa Sturtz



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**Kenneth Armstead** - July 29, 2024 at 10:00 AM

PA

“ Paula Armstead lit a candle in memory of Marguerite Theresa Sturtz



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**Paula Armstead** - July 29, 2024 at 09:59 AM

PC

“ *Pamela S Carter lit a candle in memory of Marguerite Theresa Sturtz*



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**Pamela S Carter** - July 28, 2024 at 04:59 PM

JR

“ *John And Vickie Roane lit a candle in memory of Marguerite Theresa Sturtz*



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**John and Vickie Roane** - July 28, 2024 at 01:55 PM

GC

“ *Dear family, and dear friends,  
I am so sorry for your loss...she was such a beautiful lady both inside and out.  
She will sorely be missed.  
Cherish all of your precious memories.  
With heartfelt sympathy,  
Gloria Couch (formerly Foster)*



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**Gloria Couch** - July 28, 2024 at 12:47 PM