



## Margaret JoAnn Valko

August 25, 1933 - June 22, 2021

Margaret JoAnn Valko, 87, died unexpectedly on June 22, 2021, at Rochester Manor. She was born August 25, 1933, in Findlay Township, Allegheny County, the daughter of Ralph and Margaret Downes.

JoAnn had a long career at Foodland and Shop and Save before she decided to become a stay-at-home mom to her 5 children. JoAnn was predeceased by her husband George “Catfish” Valko but they shared 55 years together being married on May 3, 1952. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Gloria. Surviving are her 5 children and their spouses, George Jr. and Pam Valko, Beaver; Terry and Karen Valko, New Sewickley Township; Cheryl and Frank Kendralla, Chippewa Township; Brenda and Mario Leone, Hopewell Township, Sandra and Ed Telesz, Independence, Kentucky. 13 grandchildren, Brian, Kraig, Travis, Courtney, Stephanie and husband, Matt, Stacey and husband, Dan, Zachary, Gianna and husband, Nick, Rocco, Jacob and his wife, Cassi, Nick and his wife, Maddy, Annalisa, Christopher, two step-grandchildren Kami and Sarah. 10 great-grandchildren Gabriella, Malakai, Ava, Cooper, Karaline, Uraiah, Rielle, Avielle, Lincoln, Steel, step-great granddaughters, Lucy and Piper and numerous nieces and nephews. Honoring the wishes of JoAnn, there will be no public visitation or service.