



Jane McAllister

July 25, 1939 - April 10, 2025

Jane McAllister, 85 years of age, of Rarden, Ohio, passed away on Thursday, April 10, 2025, at her residence.

Jane was born on July 25, 1939, in the Locust Grove community of Peebles, the daughter of the late Ollie Otis and Nola O (Curtis) Smith. Jane and her husband Tunney owned and managed the McAllister's Deli and Grocery, in Rarden, from 1954 to 1986. She was a member of the Friends of Scioto Brush Creek and a frequent blood donor to the American Red Cross.

Jane leaves behind her daughter, Taunya McAllister (Doug) Wilson, of Proctorville; and her sons, David (Debbie) McAllister, of Peebles; and Gene (Sue) McAllister; and Martin (Jody) McAllister, both of Rarden; as well as her sister, Bonnie (Bernard) Brown, of Peebles. Jane will be missed by her six grandchildren, Joshua McAllister, Jessica Gilbert, Mary Wilson, Molly Wilson, Amanda Gaines, and Autumn McAllister; and by her twelve great-grandchildren.

Along with her parents, Jane was preceded in death by her husband, Gene "Tunney" McAllister, who passed away in August 1999; two brothers, Franklin Smith and Henry Smith; and her sister Cora Bowman.

Family and friends may pay their respects during visitation on Tuesday, April 15, 2025, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm, at the Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home, in Peebles, Ohio.

Funeral services will be held following visiting hours, on Tuesday, April 15, 2025, beginning at 1:00 pm, at the Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home, in

Peebles, Ohio, with Larry Williams officiating. The burial will follow at the Mt. Joy Church Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Jane's memory to the Friends of Scioto Brush Creek (FoSBC), P.O. Box 157, Otway, Ohio 45657; or to the Village of Rarden.

Funeral arrangements are being handled by the Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home. Please visit us at www.wallacethompsonfuneralhomes.com to leave words of comfort for the family in our online guestbook.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 15. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home
119 Rarden Road
Peebles, OH 45660

Funeral Service

APR 15. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home
119 Rarden Road
Peebles, OH 45660

Graveside Farewell

APR 15. 2:00 PM - 2:15 PM (ET)

Mt. Joy Church Cemetery
10836 Ohio State Route 772
Rarden, OH 45671

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear McAllister Families,
Continuing to hold each of you in our prayers and thoughts.
Sincerely,

Phil and Vicki Rhonemus - April 25, 2025 at 11:43 AM

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“ Jane was one of the best loving and caring people anyone would ever want to know.
I've a lot of good memories about her and the many good times with her and her family.
My sincere and heartfelt prayers to the family.
Gary Smith
Layton, Utah

Gary Smith - April 17, 2025 at 10:43 AM

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“ Fitzpatrick & family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jane McAllister.



Fitzpatrick & family - April 14, 2025 at 12:52 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jane McAllister.



April 14, 2025 at 07:27 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jane McAllister.

April 14, 2025 at 07:27 AM



“ sending my condolences to all of Jane's Family. she was the sweetest lady. I remember last summer I ask for her chili recipe. and low and behold she made me a pot of chili and brought it out to my house. Jane holds a special place in my heart. she will never be forgotten.

PATRICIA WIGET - April 13, 2025 at 02:46 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jane McAllister.



April 11, 2025 at 05:37 PM



“ She was a lovely lady and had a beautiful smile! Our prayers are with all the family. Harold and Denise Hoffer

Harold and Denise Hoffer - April 11, 2025 at 05:35 PM



My condolences to the Mcallister family. Jane was a very sweet lady. I knew her and Tunney from my child hood days growing up in Rarden.

Thomas Taylor - April 12, 2025 at 10:42 AM

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“ *My condolences to all my cousins; you are all in my thoughts and prayers. Jane was an extremely sweet and loving lady. May you rest in peace Cousin Jane!*

Gregory Syrone - April 11, 2025 at 02:42 PM

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Thoughts and prayers for all that loved her. She was very loving, great smile laugh . Treated my family like family. I stayed in touch through the years. My last time seeing her I brought my son. To meet a special lady in my life that let me call her mom. You will be missed rest in peace beautiful.

Mary Oakes - April 11, 2025 at 04:54 PM