



## Patricia A. "Pat" Derr

February 6, 1936 - May 4, 2023

Patricia A. "Pat" Derr, 87, of Maytown, passed away on Thursday, May 4, 2023 at Hospice and Community Care, Mount Joy with her family by her side. Born in Maytown, she was the daughter of the late Robert M. and Viola M. (Arnold) Houseal. Pat was the wife of Harold B. Derr with whom she celebrated 65 years of marriage.

Pat was a graduate of the former East Donegal Township High School class of 1954. She retired from the former AMP, Inc. working as a machine operator. She also drove bus for Donegal School District. Previously she worked at Houseal's Store and Herr's Market. Pat was a member of the Maytown Church of God. She enjoyed decorating, flowers, and feeding the birds. Pat was a people person and enjoyed being around others. She referred to many things as doodads and soon earned the nickname doodad. Most of all family meant everything to Pat, especially the time she spent with her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Surviving in addition to her husband Harold, are four children, Randy Derr, husband of LaRae of Elizabethtown, Sherry Swope of Maytown, Kim Crider of Marietta, and Vicki Williams, wife of Steve of Marietta; five grandchildren, Ashley, Adam, Abbie, Brittany, Skyler, Derek, Brandon, Amber and Theo; two step-grandchildren, Stevie and Katie; eleven great grandchildren, Colby, Peyton, Maddie, Reagan, Charlotte, Paige, Evelyn, Lillian, Landyn, Chase, Cole, and Holly; four step-great grandchildren, Nova, Delilah, Gabriella, and Emmanuel; and a sister, Peggy Drohan, wife of James of Mount Joy.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Jay R. Houseal.

A funeral service honoring Pat's life will be held at the Maytown Church of God, 14 W. Elizabeth St, Maytown, PA 17550 on Tuesday, May 9, 2023 at 11 AM. Family and friends will be received at the church before the service from 9:30 AM to 11 AM. Interment will follow at Maytown Union Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice and Community Care, 685 Good Drive, Lancaster, PA 17601.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 9. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Maytown Church of God  
10 West Elizabeth Street  
Maytown, PA 17550

## Funeral Service

MAY 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

KE

“ *Kip Embly lit a candle in memory of Patricia A. "Pat" Derr*



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**Kip Embly** - May 11, 2023 at 09:11 PM

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“ *My deepest condolences to Harold, Sherry, Randy, Kim, Vicki and the entire family. I have and will always hold fond memories of her fun loving and jovial nature. Again, so sorry for your loss. May she rest in eternal peace. Chris*

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**Chris Swope** - May 11, 2023 at 08:11 AM

BS

“ *Uncle Harold Nancy and I send our thoughts and prayers to you and your family hopefully we will make it to services*  
*Bill Sullivan*

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**Bill Sullivan** - May 07, 2023 at 07:07 PM

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“ *The angels cried for joy when you joined the kingdom of God. I am going to miss you coming to see me with Peg, Jim and Harold in October and April for the past few years. I grew up with you and Harold and really missed you, but always thought of you two. Love you and will remember memories we had working at Culligan and helping you clean and iron. Love you always, your sister in law Nancy*



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**Nancy Pedrick** - May 07, 2023 at 05:27 PM



“ Vicki Williams lit a candle in memory of Patricia A. "Pat" Derr



Vicki Williams - May 07, 2023 at 11:50 AM



I LOVE And MISS YOU SO MUCH!!!! Your HOME!!!!❤️

Vicki Williams - May 07, 2023 at 11:54 AM

BR

“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



Brittany - May 07, 2023 at 07:11 AM

AS

“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



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ashley - May 06, 2023 at 06:37 AM