



## Maria "Glendene" Keeling

February 26, 2014

Maria "Glendene" Keeling, 68 died with her family by her side February 26. She was born in Somerset, Ky, the daughter of Glenn V. Larimore and Mary Owen Blackwell. She joined her parents and her brother Larry O. Larimore in Heaven. She graduated from PRP High School in 1963. She was an accomplished gymnast at Louisville Turners. She worked at Hallmark for many years. She has been happily married to Donald R. Keeling, Sr for 44 years. She is survived by her brother Michael A. Blackwell (Becky Blackwell) and her sister-in-law Mary Jo Larimore. She leaves four children, Lisa K Andrews (Jeff Andrews), Tony Purcell (Mara Purcell), Donnie Keeling (Cathy Keeling), and Shawn Keeling (Nikki Keeling). She was known by her 11 loving grandchildren as Mamaw and Granny: Stephanie Burgin (Sean Burgin), Samantha Andrews, Amber Keeling, Rachel Andrews, Destinee Shellman, Amanda Andrews, Chad Purcell, Zachary Keeling, Drew Purcell, Ireland Keeling, and Baby Wesley Keeling. She loved entertaining friends and family. She loved playing with her grandchildren. She loved to travel to exotic places. She enjoyed Derby Dinner, Bunco, Bridge, and playing on Pogo. Memorial service will be held 4 pm, Saturday at Owen Funeral Home – Jeffersontown, 9318 Taylorsville Rd. Visitation 3-8 pm, Friday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions - American Heart Association. On line condolence [www.owenfuneralhome.com](http://www.owenfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

RD

“ 12/1/2016

*Dear Keeling Family:*

*I can't tell you how sorry we were to hear of your mother's passing. She was such a sweet and kind lady and I will always remember her for that beautiful smile that she always displayed. I always admired her tireless energy- nothing ever seemed to slow her down.*

*I think your mother's greatest legacy will be in the wonderful children and grandchildren she raised. She was so very proud of all of you.*

*My take was that she provided the strength, energy, love, warmth and wisdom that consistently brought your family and friends together.*

*Always making sure that everyone was having a wonderful time.*

*I can only imagine the void that the entire family is enduring.*

*I know your Christian faith has provided you with inner strength and has taken the entire family through the most difficult of times.*

*It was an honor to have known such a warm and gracious lady.*

*You have our very deepest and sincere sympathy.*

*Rhonda, Bob and Mackenzie Durrett*

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**Rhonda Durrett** - June 28, 2018 at 04:19 PM

TF

“ Through Taylor & Jason we have heard wonderful stories about the beautiful Glendene. Our family would like to extend thoughts and prayers to each of you mourning yet another sweet soul gone too soon. May God comfort you.

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**Thomas Family** - June 28, 2018 at 04:19 PM

HK

“ You have always been in my thoughts.

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**Helene Katz** - June 28, 2018 at 04:19 PM

MM

“ Don and family, So sorry to hear of your Mothers death.

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**Millie McKinney** - June 28, 2018 at 04:19 PM

PB

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Keeling family. I bowled with Glendene, Don and Donnie years ago at Ten Pin. She was a sweet lady and we had a lot of fun together.

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**Paula Brunner** - June 28, 2018 at 04:19 PM

CL

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. I was a gymnast and dancer with Glendene and always respected her and her hard work with Turners and the Union Barracades. I may not be able to come as I am judging a gymnastic meet this weekend.

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**Carole Liedtke** - June 28, 2018 at 04:19 PM

RJ

“ Lisa, I am so sorry to hear about your mom. She was such a fun lady and I remember all the laughter when I use to play bunch with you all. I am so glad I was able to meet her. You and your family will be in my prayers. Always remember the happy times, that helps me when I start thinking of my mom. Love ya bunches and miss you!!!  
Rhonda

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**Rhonda Jackson** - June 28, 2018 at 04:19 PM

JB

“ I am so sorry to hear about your mother. Please know that many thoughts and prayers are being offered for you and your family.

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**Judy Blevins** - June 28, 2018 at 04:19 PM