



Sister Helen Marie Glaser, O.P.

Sister Helen Marie Glaser, a member of the Dominican Sisters of St. Cecilia Congregation in Nashville, died unexpectedly November 26, 2016. Sister Helen Marie, a native of Nashville, TN was the daughter of Helen Hunley Glaser Yates and the late Jerome Glaser of Nashville. She is preceded in death by grandparents Albert and Vivian Hunley and Edward and Mary Strobel Glaser.



She graduated from St. Henry's School and was a 1976 graduate of St. Cecilia Academy, both in Nashville. She received her B. A. degree from Vanderbilt University in 1980. Upon her graduation she taught at schools school in Newport News, Virginia and Overbrook School in Nashville, TN. In 1983 she entered the Dominican Sisters of St. Cecilia. After her profession of vows in 1985, Sister Helen Marie served as both teacher and administrator in schools staffed by the Dominican Sisters, including those in Nashville, Memphis, McEwen and Oak Ridge, Tennessee; Birmingham, Alabama; Denver Colorado, and Catonsville, Maryland. During this time she also received her Master's Degrees in Education and Theology. For the past year-and-a-half she taught at Mount de Sales Academy in Catonsville, Maryland.

Sister Helen Marie is survived by her Mother, Mrs. Helen Glaser Yates (Douglas); three Sisters: Mrs. Leigh Glaser Wolfson (Ashton) of San Francisco, CA; Ms. Christian Glaser and Ms. Edith Glaser of Nashville, TN; niece, Alexandra Wolfson of San Francisco, CA; Step-Sisters, Mrs. Julie Yates Taylor (Robert) of Chattanooga, TN and the late Lucinda Yates Husband; step-niece Julie Trabue Taylor and nephew Robert Campbell Taylor III of Chattanooga, TN.

A Memorial Mass will be held at Mount de Sales Academy, Catonsville, MD, on Wednesday, November 30 at 8:30 a.m. in the Constance and Samuel Pistorio Sports Complex. Visitation will be at St. Cecilia Convent, Nashville, TN, on Wednesday November 30, from 4:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. The Rosary will be prayed at 7:00 p.m. Visitors are invited to enter at the main door of the Convent. The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Thursday, December 1 at 2:00 p.m. in the Convent Chapel. Burial will follow at the convent cemetery.

*Founded in 1852, Mount de Sales Academy is a Catholic, all-girls, college preparatory high school accredited by the Middle States Association and administered by the Dominican Sisters of Nashville, Tennessee.*

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