



Patricia "Patti" Najjar

September 11, 1963 - January 4, 2026

Patricia "Patti" Najjar age 62 of Fairfield Township, entered into the presence of the Lord Sunday January 4, 2026. She was born September 11, 1963 in Gary, Indiana to the late Walter and Lorna (Collins) Bumgarner. On June 4, 1983 in Portage, Indiana she married Michael "Mike" Najjar. They moved to Ohio in 1990, and attended church at Fairfield Church of the Nazarene. Patti's career as an ASL interpreter with the Hamilton County Educational Service Center was more than a job; it was a calling. She was wholeheartedly dedicated to her students, advocating for them with both skill and kindness. Outside of her work, Patti was a woman of many talents and boundless energy. A gifted seamstress and an avid gardener, she found beauty in the details. However, her greatest joy was found outdoors with her family—whether they were conquering roller coasters at Kings Island, riding at Diamond Oaks Horse Barn, or hiking through the woods. Her faith in God was the foundation of her service to others and the joy that she found in nature. Patti is survived by her husband of 42 years Mike Najjar; two children Ryan (Thuong) Najjar, Melanie (Lynne) Ivy; two brothers Vincent (Charlotte) Bumgarner, Gregory (Kerry) Bumgarner; one sister Susan (David) Elliott; several nieces and nephews and many other family and friends. Visitation at Weigel Funeral Home 980 NW Washington Blvd Hamilton, Ohio 45013 Monday January 12, 2026 from 11:00am until the time of the funeral service at 1:00pm with Pastor Terry Blosser officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Foundation for Sarcoidosis Research at <https://www.stopsarcoido>

sis.org/donate/. Expressions of condolences may be left at www.weigelfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 12. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall

SJ

“ Sheila Johnson purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Patricia "Patti" Najar.



Sheila Johnson - January 11 at 10:10 AM

TJ

“ Tom, Louise, Perry & Janet purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Patricia "Patti" Najar.



Tom, Louise, Perry & Janet - January 11 at 07:13 AM

KB

“ Kellogg g B. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia "Patti" Najar.

Kellogg g B. - January 09 at 02:51 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patricia "Patti" Najar.



January 09 at 02:29 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Patricia "Patti" Najar.*



January 09 at 11:25 AM



“ *With Love, the Matthew Morris Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia "Patti" Najar.*

With Love, the Matthew Morris Family - January 09 at 11:25 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Patricia "Patti" Najar.*



January 08 at 07:17 PM



“ *Lisa A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia "Patti" Najar.*

Lisa A. - January 08 at 10:06 AM