



## Ann Marie Darby

July 20, 1917 - February 18, 2013

OBITUARY INFORMATION :: Ann Marie (Blair) Darby Ann Darby of Newberg died of natural causes at her home in Newberg on Monday, February 18, 2013. Ann Marie was born on July 20, 1917 in Baltimore, Maryland to Michael and Ann (Wielgosz) Blair and was one of their ten children. She married James Denman Darby in Baltimore on March 19, 1943. He died in 1999 on February 18th. Ann and Jim had seven children: James Jr. (deceased) Barbara, Mary, Michael, Patrick, Thomas and Joseph. The family moved to Newberg from Oregon City in 1956. Ann and Jim greatly enjoyed their grandchildren and great-grandchildren; Chris, Tony, Ryan, Josh, Maria, Brody, Darby, Megan, Maureen, Baylor, Jacob, Dylan, Cathy, Grace, Evelyn, David, Jenna, Patrick, Ray, Jordyn, Madison, Danny, Paisley and Breanna. Ann and Jim were active members of St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, where Ann was a lifetime member of the Catholic Daughters of America. Together Ann and Jim modeled the teachings of Christ for their family who would often be seen recreating and praying together in the community. Although leaving those left behind to miss her: her sister Rose and brother Elmer, the spouses of Ann's children and grandchildren, her special friend Betty Darby Carsley (widow of James Jr.) and all other remaining family and friends both in Maryland and Oregon, Ann was really looking forward to being with all her family and friends who had died before her. The family asks for all to pray the Rosary for World Peace as directly by our Lady at Fatima. Ann said this and other prayers daily for more than 75 years and was credited by her family to

have effected many healings. Recitation of the Rosary will be held Saturday, February 23, 2013 at 9:30 a.m. in St. Peter Catholic Church, 2315 N. Main Street, Newberg. Funeral Mass will follow at 10:00 a.m. with Father Don Gutmann officiating. Interment at Valley View Memorial Park, Newberg and a Luncheon in the Parish hall will follow. Arrangements are in the care of Attrell's Newberg Funeral Chapel, a Golden Rule Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at [www.attrells.com](http://www.attrells.com) Memorial Contributions may be made to St. Peter Catholic Church Building Fund and can be left at St. Peter's or c/o Attrell's Newberg Funeral Chapel, 207 Villa Road, Newberg, Oregon 97132.

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ Aunt Anne Darby was a very kind person. I was married to Tom Blair, son of the late Dorthy and Ed Blair (Aunt Ann's Brother). May her soul and the souls of the faithfully departed rest in Peace.

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**Jean Steiner Blair** - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ The Blair and Javier families send their condolences on the loss of Aunt Ann. I am sorry that none of us were able to be there for the services but we send our prayers out to the Oregon family. May she rest in peace as she is reunited with our Pop and Dee Dee in heaven and the other relatives that have passed before us.

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**Tom Blair Jr.** - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ Joe and family - we are sorry for your loss, but are grateful for the strong faith your mom has passed to you. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.

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**Doug & Ute Dickinson** - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ I have wonderful memories of Aunt Ann's visits to Maryland. She enjoyed our house in the country. So sorry to hear of her passing.

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**Gigi Blair Harker** - February 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ I am so sorry to hear of the loss of such an important woman in your life. Your Mom, Your Grandmom, My Aunt, my Dad's older Sister. I know she is at peace, with God and her family, in Heaven. My prayers and thoughts are with all of you during this most trying time. Love your Cousin, Jeanne

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**Jeanne Blair Boening** - February 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ I was so saddened to hear the passing of Aunt Ann. Although I did not get to see Aunt Ann too often her beautiful face and smile have always been unforgettable. She was such a kind soft-spoken woman who truly loved her family. I just wish so many miles did not seperate her family and the rest of the Blair's as we grew up. You are all in my thoughts and prayers as you go through this most difficult time. May God bless Aunt Ann and here entire family. Nancy

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**Nancy Blair Umberger** - February 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SY

“ Dear Darby Family, May you all be comforted by our Heavenly Father during this time of loss. You were so blessed to have your mother, grandmother with you for 95 years! She was able to live in her home until the end and what a great priviledge she had. May God bless you with an abundant amount of precious memories of her. Sharon Young

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**Sharon Young** - February 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ We are deeply sorry for your family's loss, but are sure you leave behind numerous great memories. I'm sorry that we weren't able to meet. -Angela and Olivia Blair

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**Mary Angela Blair** - February 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM