



**Judy LaVigne Nofziger:** Graduated from Whitmer High School in 1958. Born June 1940.

I have had a very good life. I married Mike Grimes right out of High School. We had two children, Michael II, who will be 50 this year, and a daughter Mary Beth who is 48.

My son Mike is a carpenter and he lives at Wampers Lake in Brooklyn Michigan. He is married to Janet and they have 3 children, Rachael-28, Hunter-12 and Jerod-10. Rachael is married with two daughters Emma-2 and Ava-8

months. Mike tore down all but one wall of a cottage he purchased and built his home at the lake. I spend time with them relaxing on the pontoon or just visiting with my grandchildren and great grandchildren.

My daughter Mary Beth is a Telecommunication Analyst for the University of Toledo. Her children are Tedd, age 24, who also works at the University. Tedd had cancer at 13 and is celebrating his 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary as a survivor. Samantha is 22; she attends the University of Toledo and recently bought her first home. We like to dine together at Pepe's Mexican restaurant usually on Monday nights or I will cook for them.

In 1985 I married Homer Nofziger, a graduate of Burnham HS. Homer and I only had 7 ½ years together before he passed away on Christmas Day in 1992. We loved to travel and we lived a lifetime in the years we had together. I thank God that Homer and I found Jesus and he blessed us with the time we had together.

I enjoyed my time as a Mother and homemaker, and spent most of my adult life caring for my family. When Homer became terminally ill in May 1985, I became employed at a local cleaning establishment and then retired from there in 2002. I still reside in Toledo, Ohio. I take pride in my home and yard especially my flowers. I dine out with friends, see movies and visit small towns. I like antiques and have been collecting them since 1960.

**Favorite Whitmer Memory:** I fondly recall our classmates and the fun we had at football games. Our gang always went to the games together to watch our boyfriends play. The Whitmer Circus – remember Mr. Stacy? One year my brother Larry and I were partners in a tumbling act! Anyone else remember the Panther Grill? Especially their French Fries!

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