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Ismini J. Karras (née Tsardoulis), born July 3, 1932, in Samos, Greece, passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving family on March 18, 2026.

Beloved wife of the late John A. Karras, with whom she shared 66 devoted years of marriage. Loving mother of Vaso Karras-Stefanos (Joseph), Liza J. Bosinger (Pete), and Adam J. Karras (Jacqueline). Cherished grandmother of Richard A. (Beth) Wolf, Kristina Wolf and Karmen Klein, Koli (Thomas) Storer, John-Ryan (Quinn) Stefanos, and John A. and Nikolas A. Karras. Proud great-grandmother of John and Maxwell Wolf; Kaia and Leonidas McGuire; Jameson and Kellan Storer; and Yanni and Warren Stefanos.

Ismini married her beloved husband John in Athens, Greece on July 31, 1955. She came to the United States a year and a half later, bringing with her their young daughter, Vaso, to reunite with her husband and begin their life together in America. A devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, Ismini built a life centered on family, faith, and tradition. She and her husband worked diligently to establish their home in the United States, embracing the opportunities of their new country while preserving their Greek heritage. Together, they pursued their American citizenship as soon as they were eligible, a milestone they were deeply proud to achieve. Ismini was a longtime member of Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church and remained active in the life of the church and community. She took great pride in ensuring her children were raised in the faith and immersed in their culture, supporting their participation in church and Greek school.

She lived for many decades in Brook Park, where she and her husband built a warm and welcoming home filled with love, tradition, and strong family values. Ismini will be remembered for her strength, devotion, kindness, and the deep love she had for her family. Her legacy lives on through the generations she nurtured and the traditions she helped preserve.

All Services at St. Paul Greek Orthodox Church, 4548 Wallings Road North Royalton, OH 44133 on Tuesday March 24, 2026. Visitation from 10 am to 12 Noon. Funeral Service to follow at 12



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Noon. Interment at St. Theodosius Cemetery.

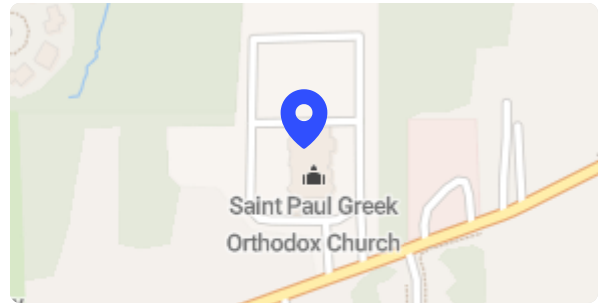


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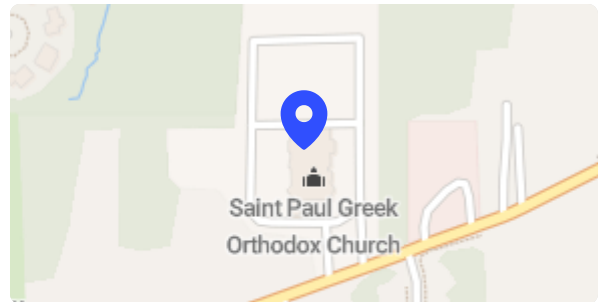
Visitation

- Tuesday**, March 24, 2026
- 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET
- St. Paul Greek Orthodox Church**
4548 Wallings Rd, North Royalton OH 44133-3121



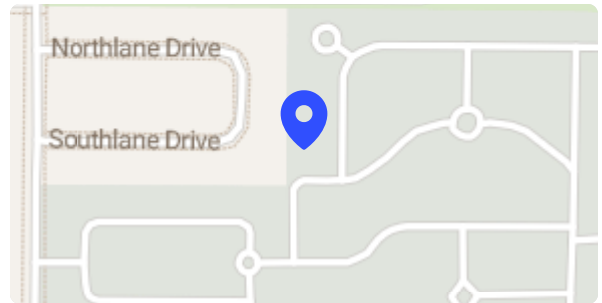
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Cemetery Details

- Saint Theodosius Cemetery**
8200 Biddulph Road, Brooklyn OH 44144





Tribute Wall

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Marilyn Cordiak posted:

My deepest sympathies to the Karas family.I have known both of these wonderful people for many years. They were so friendly and kindhearted.Had the pleasure of presenting the Brook Park Beautification & Pride Award for their wonderful and well-kept home. You would always be welcomed with a smile and friendliness. It was a pleasure and an honor to know them.

March 22 at 11:53 AM



From Vidoni Family sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Karras family.



March 20 at 6:12 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ismini.



March 20 at 3:35 PM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Karras family.



March 20 at 3:35 PM



Lillian Kyser posted:

I feel very honored to have been one of the nurses that genuinely loved and cared for Ismini very much. She was a prime example of joy and love. She loved her children with her whole heart and made that very clear. She loved everyone who cared for her. Her smile was so bright. Everyone looked forward to having her around- at every meal, at every event and activity. I will miss her beyond measure.

March 20 at 12:30 PM



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Kara Larew Grabo posted:

Minnie is myForever queen. My favorite memory is coming into her room each morning and hearing her say "hello gorgeous!" and my second favorite is her asking, "where's my Uzo!?" Every activity was enhanced by her smile and warmth ❤️🌸

March 19 at 10:01 PM



The Franko Family planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ismini.



March 19 at 9:04 PM



The Franko Family sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Karras family.



March 19 at 9:04 PM



Rachel Brickman posted:

Oh my Mini Mini, the 200 hall will not be the same without you. Too many moments to name a favorite but you made sure to teach me one phrase in Greek σ' αγαπώ πάρα πολύ! love you too much ❤️

March 19 at 7:47 PM



Kylie Harmon posted:

Loved taking care of Ismini ❤️ my favorite memory is when she asked me out of no where, "how many kids are coming so I can make enough spaghetti?" (There was no kids or spaghetti 🤔) love you guys xoxo all my sympathy -nurse Kylie

March 19 at 7:39 PM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Karras family.



March 19 at 7:19 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ismini by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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