MARY L. MAZZIOTTI

Mary L. Mazziotti was born on February 25, 1926, in Syracuse, N.Y., to Minnie and Frank Mazziotti. Mary grew up in Toledo and attended the University of Toledo where she majored in accounting. She graduated in 1948 with a bachelor in business administration. She eventually found employment with one of the major companies headquartered in Toledo.

Mary's sister, Rosina, was a graduate of the UT College of Law and admitted to the bar in 1948. Perhaps it was her intellectual curiosity and part sibling rivalry, but Mary entered law school and graduated with her law degree from the UT in 1967.

Mary's practice focused in the fields of real estate and estate planning. It was her expertise in tax preparation which could be counted on by numerous Toledo area businesses and families. Mary was also a member of the State of Ohio Accountancy Board.

According to her family and friends, Mary loved being an attorney. Her work was thorough and her manner always professional. She was known to go beyond the call of duty on behalf of her clients. Mary's dedication to her clients earned her their trust and never-ending loyalty. Even after her retirement from the practice, her niece recalled receiving phone calls from clients eager to know whether Mary was still in practice.

Mary enjoyed gardening and was a nature lover. She often enjoyed walks in Wildwood Metropark with her late schnauzer, Cookie. She began an investment club in the 1980s for friends and families. She also volunteered at the Toledo Museum of Art.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents, sisters Rosina and Eula, and a brother, Phil Mazziotti. She is survived by her nieces and nephews and a dear friend, Margie Hellman.