



Anne C. Walsh

July 13, 1928 - November 21, 2023

Anne Claire Mahon Walsh, 95, of Lakewood NJ, passed away peacefully, surrounded by family, on Tuesday, November 21st. A lifelong resident of New Jersey, Anne was born and raised in Newark. After marrying the love of her life following his discharge from the military service, she and Donald A. Walsh lived in Lincroft for 37 years where they raised their family. In 1995 Anne and Don moved to Four Seasons, Lakewood. Anne finally moved to Harrogate Retirement Community, Lakewood in 2013. She was a graduate of St. Vincent Academy in Newark and Immaculata College, PA, where she received a Bachelor of Science in Dietary Health. Anne worked as head dietician at Jersey City Medical Center and St. James Hospital, Newark. She later earned her teaching certificate from Georgian Court College and taught at St. Leo the Great Grammar School, Lincroft for 21 years. She was a devoted educator who is often fondly remembered by her former students.

Anne was active in the St. Leo the Great community as a member of the Choir and the Rosary Altar Society. Anne and Don were the core couple for the initiation of both the Renew and RCIA at St. Leo the Great. At St. Mary of the Lake, Lakewood she served as a Eucharistic Minister and in the Bereavement Ministry. Anne was a lifelong active member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus.

Anne's life was focused on family, faith, and a love of her Irish heritage. She

cherished her role as a wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. She celebrated every family milestone, both large and small, and nurtured a commitment to gathering family for events and holidays. Her love of music and singing, and her contagious laughter continues to inspire her children and grandchildren and all those who knew her. Her faith was unwavering even when challenged with the loss of her beloved daughter, Anneclaire and her adored granddaughter, Erin. Her example of faith provides comfort and assures that she is reunited in heaven with all of her loved ones.

Anne was predeceased by her loving husband of 57 years, Donald; her daughter Anneclaire Kasper and her granddaughter Erin Kasper as well as her mother and father, Margaret Cole Mahon and Mathew P. Mahon; her seven brothers John, Matthew, Hugh, James, William, Thomas and Joseph and her three sisters Margaret Reagan, Mary Clark and Gertrude Hughes. Anne is survived by her five children and spouses: Eileen and Thomas Fuorry of Bluffton, SC; Maureen and Steve Kennedy of Chester, MD; Margaret and Gregory Germain of Bluffton, SC; Gerard and Angela Walsh of Langhorne, PA; Thomas and Maryann Walsh of Avon-by-the-Sea, NJ; son-in-law, Jack and Nancy Kasper of Avon-by-the-Sea, NJ; 18 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Relatives and friends are invited to call from 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, November 28th at the Bongarzone Funeral Home, 2400 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls, NJ. A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Wednesday, November 29th at 10:15 a.m. at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church, Lincroft. Interment will follow at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, East Orange.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to the Alzheimer's Association (alz.org) or the Prader-Willi Syndrome Association (pwsausa.org), both of which are meaningful to the family.

Cemetery Details

Holy Sepulchre Cemetery

125 Central Avenue
East Orange, NJ 07018

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 28. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bongarzone Funeral Home
2400 Shafto Road
Tinton Falls, NJ

Funeral Mass

NOV 29. 10:15 AM (ET)

St. Leo The Great Church
546 Newman Springs Road
Lincroft, NJ

Tribute Wall

LR

“ Larry Sr. and Beverly Roberts planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anne C. Walsh.

Larry Sr. and Beverly Roberts - November 28, 2023 at 09:24 AM

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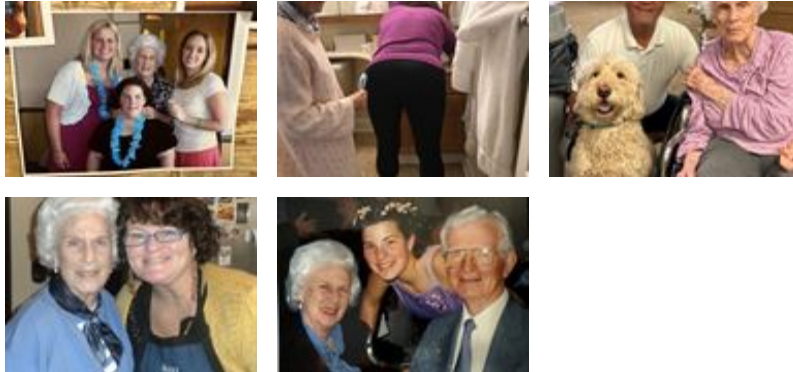
“ Larry Sr. and Beverly Roberts purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Anne C. Walsh.



Larry Sr. and Beverly Roberts - November 28, 2023 at 09:24 AM

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“ 92 files added to the album Life Tributes



Bongarzone Funeral Home - November 27, 2023 at 04:38 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Anne C. Walsh.*



November 27, 2023 at 11:35 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Anne C. Walsh.*



November 26, 2023 at 08:43 PM



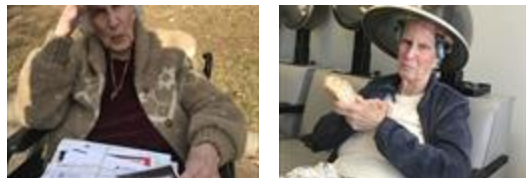
“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Anne C. Walsh.*



November 26, 2023 at 05:59 PM



“ *2 files added to the album Anne*



Nan Owen - November 26, 2023 at 05:09 PM

BV

“ *Barbara Ann Morin Voetsch lit a candle in memory of Anne C. Walsh*



Barbara Ann Morin Voetsch - November 25, 2023 at 08:24 PM

AD

“ *Rest in Peace sweet Lady. Your amazing family was with you every step of the way. What a wonderful tribute to you as a Mother, Wife, Grandmother, Great Grandmother, Friend and Role Model. I sure am going to miss those monthly visits from Eileen all because of you. How blessed we are to have had mothers to teach us to be there for our friends and family! We will always take care of each other. Love, Anita*

Anita Durban - November 25, 2023 at 09:10 AM

TK

“ *I had the pleasure to take care of Anne these last few years and had the pleasure to meet Anne’s children, what a beautiful loving family. Rest in peace sweet lady. Love Terry Kozla, nurse at Harrogate.*

Therese Kozla - November 24, 2023 at 10:27 AM

KA

“ *In the last 39 years I got to spend with Mommom there’s no way to pinpoint one special memory. Every memory is special. Mommom was an incredible woman with never ending love and compassion. She always had the best stories and the way she told them were perfect! I guess if I have to pick one thing to carry on with me it would have to be that forever I will always ask myself, “WWMMD?”*

Katie - November 22, 2023 at 07:25 PM

BH

“ *Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Anne C. Walsh*



Bongarzone Funeral Home - November 21, 2023 at 06:27 PM