



Lena Marselle

September 10, 1938 - December 15, 2025

A Celebration of Life: Lena Marselle (1938-2025)

Lena Marselle, the cherished matriarch of her devoted family, passed away peacefully on December 15, 2025, at the age of 87. Born on September 10, 1938, Lena's life was a testament to love, unwavering devotion, and the enduring power of family.

She was the beloved wife and partner of Michael (Mickey) Marselle, with whom she built a life grounded in shared faith, love, warmth, and enduring traditions. Their home was a haven, a true reflection of their lifelong commitment to one another.

A devoted and loving mother, Lena nurtured her sons, Michael and Joseph, and cherished her daughters-in-law, Clorinda and Kim, welcoming them and all others with open arms and a generous spirit.

Lena's greatest joy was found in her role as a grandmother. She took immense pride in her grandchildren Nicole and her husband Joe, Michael and his fiancé Alex, Brianna and her husband Chad, and Joseph and his wife Taylor. She adored her great-grandchildren, all who called her "GIGI" — Joseph, Daniela, Sienna, James, Aliya, and Melina. They were truly the light of her life. Lena was, unequivocally, the heart of her family. Her kitchen and dining room table were vibrant centers of comfort, laughter, and love, where

she loved to bake, prepare spectacular Sunday dinners, and created countless, long-lasting memories for her family and friends.

A lover of tradition and the magic of the Christmas season, Lena is now remembered as our "Christmas Angel," watching over her family and serving as a beautiful reminder that the bonds of love, tradition, and cherished memories never fade.

She leaves behind a powerful legacy of kindness, faith, and unconditional love that will forever be held in the hearts of her husband, her family, and all who had the privilege of knowing her.

Lena will be deeply missed, but her legacy of love and her beautiful spirit will live on forever through the family traditions she instilled.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Lena's memory to Alzheimer's Association | Alzheimer's Disease & Dementia Help, <https://www.alz.org/>

Cemetery Details

BG William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery

350 Provinceline Road
Wrightstown, NJ

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **21**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

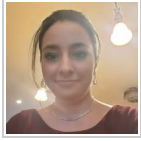
Bongarzone Funeral Home
2400 Shafto Road
Tinton Falls, NJ

Funeral Mass

DEC **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of Saint Anselm
1028 Wayside Rd
Tinton Falls, NJ 07712-3146
(732) 493-4411

Tribute Wall



“ Aunt Lena was really special to my mom & I. She was always there for us, she will be missed greatly. Love her forever.



Liana Butt - December 20, 2025 at 08:50 PM

JS

“ My deepest condolences to the Marselle family. I'll always remember Aunt Lena as being very kind and loving, I also though she was so cool and classy. May she rest in peace. Josephine Spatafora

Josephine Spatafora - December 20, 2025 at 11:29 AM

JY

“ John, Jennifer, Julia & Angelina Yandolli purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Lena Marselle.



John, Jennifer, Julia & Angelina Yandolli - December 20, 2025 at 10:48 AM

RT

“ *Ro Barry Tricia Chris Nick & Theresa purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Lena Marselle.*



Ro Barry Tricia Chris Nick & Theresa - December 19, 2025 at 09:28 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Lena Marselle.*



December 19, 2025 at 01:11 PM

TF

“ *The Neely Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Lena Marselle.*



The Neely Family - December 19, 2025 at 11:55 AM

KT

“ *Katie, Cathi, Elizabeth, Brightview Team purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Lena Marselle.*



Katie, Cathi, Elizabeth, Brightview Team - December 18, 2025 at 11:02 AM

RM

“ Raimondi and Marchese purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Lena Marselle.



Raimondi and Marchese - December 17, 2025 at 03:43 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Lena Marselle.



December 17, 2025 at 03:19 PM

JM

“ John McCormack purchased the Sweet Comfort Gift Crate for the family of Lena Marselle.



John McCormack - December 16, 2025 at 08:57 PM

BH

“ Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Lena Marselle



Bongarzone Funeral Home - December 15, 2025 at 10:18 PM