



Rosemary Ann Gannon

January 26, 1932 - January 19, 2020

Rosemary Ann Gannon (Heatherton), 87, of Eatontown, NJ died Sunday, January 19, 2020 peacefully in her sleep. She was a dedicated mother and grandmother. While being a military spouse with her husband in the Army for 32 years stationed around the world. Rosemary was always active in her community. She loved animals especially her rescued pets and the wildlife around her.

She is predeceased by her husband, Colonel James V. Gannon, brother George Heatherton, daughter Teresa Gannon and son-in-law Tommy Batzel. She is survived by three daughters and two son-in-laws Peggy Gannon Lasoff and Steven Lasoff, Gerry Gannon LeTendre and Mike LeTendre, and Kathy Gannon Batzel; two sons and daughters-in-laws, Jimmy and Dawn Gannon and Michael and Val Gannon; four grandchildren Sarah Lasoff-Hodge, Sean Lasoff, Christopher Batzel, and Joseph LeTendre; a brother and sister-in-law, Thomas and Jane Heatherton; and other loved ones.

Visitation will be held from 5-8 PM on Thursday, January 23 at Bongarzone Funeral Home, 2400 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls, NJ. Relatives and friends are invited to attend a funeral mass on Friday, January 24 at 9:30 AM at St. Jerome Church in West Long Branch. Burial services will be private at the Brigadier General William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Wrightstown, NJ.

Memorial donations may be made to the Monmouth County SPCA of Eatontown, NJ.

Cemetery Details

BG William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery

350 Provinceline Road
Wrightstown, NJ

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **23**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bongarzone Funeral Home
2400 Shafto Road
Tinton Falls, NJ

Funeral Mass

JAN **24**. 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Jerome's Catholic Church
254 Wall Street
West Long Branch, NJ

Tribute Wall

KA

“ *Kathy lit a candle in memory of Rosemary Ann Gannon*



Kathy - January 22, 2020 at 11:08 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Rosemary Ann Gannon.*



January 22, 2020 at 10:44 PM

VG

“ *VNA HEALTH GROUP purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Rosemary Ann Gannon.*



VNA HEALTH GROUP - January 22, 2020 at 11:23 AM

TF

“ *The Emery and Whipple Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Rosemary Ann Gannon.*



The Emery and Whipple Family - January 22, 2020 at 12:31 AM

JE

“ Dearest Peggy, Gerry, Kathy, Jimmy and Michael,

Where do I begin? Words cannot adequately express how deeply saddened we are, upon learning of your mother's passing. Mrs. Gannon was the epitome of spirituality, grace and class. She just had this ethereal presence about her! I feel blessed and privileged to have known her. I feel especially grateful to have been included in many a Gannon Family Affair, whether it was hanging out at the house to Christmas masses, weddings, birthdays, christenings and Colonel Gannon's retirement party (to name a few).

I deeply regret I will not be able to attend her services and share in all the beautiful things that will be said, of so beautiful a person. Rest In Peace Mrs. Gannon. I'm willing to bet that Colonel Gannon is at peace as well... "Where is your mother?" is forevermore "Welcome Home, Rosemary!"

*With heartfelt love and prayers,
June and Chuck Emery, and Atsuko Whipple xoxo*

June Emery - January 22, 2020 at 12:07 AM

JM

“ My deepest sympathy on the loss of your Mom Gerry and Michael. GOD Bless your Mom. Please extend my sympathy to your entire family.

*Sincerely,
Jim McGee*



Jim McGee - January 21, 2020 at 10:28 PM

TF

“ *The Morrissey Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Rosemary Ann Gannon.*



The Morrissey Family - January 21, 2020 at 07:35 PM

PF

“ *Peggy, Gerry, Kathy, Jimmy & Michael, I loved your mother dearly! I will cherish the memories of her from our time in Nellingen Germany. She made me a sweet 16 birthday cake and gave me a sweet 16 bouquet made of 16 sugar cubes and flowers. When I think of Rosemary, visions of the Siamese cat with red lipstick imprinted between the ears will always be there and make me smile. I enjoyed talking to her about what life was like for her as a military spouse and raising children moving around. Rosemary shared many memories of Col Gannon & my daddy and events they had to deal with from work or on the Kasern with me that I never knew or heard from my parents. I know you will miss your mother dearly but you know with her love and belief in Jesus, we know we will see her again one day in a better place. Mine and Hugh's prayers are with you during these difficult days ahead. Love Always, Penne (Ball) & Hugh Funk*

Penne Funk - January 21, 2020 at 07:30 PM

BH

“ *Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Rosemary Ann Gannon*



Bongarzone Funeral Home - January 21, 2020 at 07:13 PM

LS

“ Dear Geri, Mike and Joe,
So sorry for your loss. Mother, mother in law and grandma was
definitely a shining star and a true gift from heaven. God rest her
soul and grant her eternal peace.

Lynne and Artie Stancati - January 21, 2020 at 03:09 PM