

Gloucester City News Obituaries January 2017

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WILLIAM S. CUNNINGHAM SR. (Jan. 12)

Funeral services were held for William S. Cunningham, Sr., 85, of Audubon Park who passed away on December 29, 2016.

Beloved husband of the late Helen (nee Wickward) Devoted father of William, Jr. (Linda) Cunningham, Kenneth Cunningham, David Cunningham, Cheryl Ann (Raymond) Laspada and Karen (Gregg) Wood. Loving grandfather of 11.

William was also lovingly known as "Mr. C". A devoted family man, William provided for his family as a Supervisor at the Modern Hard Chrome Company in Camden. For over 50 years, William dedicated his time as a fireman in Audubon Park, and also was Assistant Fire Chief. He enjoyed the many activities , such as working BINGO, softball and hoagie sales, along with many other community service events. In his earlier years, William enjoyed crabbing and spending time at Wildwood Villias , playing horseshoes and Sunday Dinners with his family. His legacy will continue on in the hearts of his family, William will be sadly missed.

Interment Harleigh Cemetery, Camden.

MARK E. SMITH (Jan. 12)

Graveside Baptist Religious Services were held at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Gloucester City for Mark E. Smith, 56, of Gloucester City, formerly of Runnemede who passed away on December 31, 2016.

Beloved son of William S. Smith, loving brother of Steve and Renee Smith. Mark was also survived by many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his mother, Alaine Marley Smith and brothers, Robert and Richard Smith.

Mark worked for many years as a dishwasher in the catering industry in Thorofare.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

JESSICA LEIGH SANDERS (Jan. 12)

Private services and cremation were held for Jessica Leigh Sanders, 37, (nee Gilman), of Somerdale who suddenly passed away on December 31, 2016.

Beloved wife of DaShon 'Shon' Sanders. Cherished mother of Alexis Sanders and Steffon Sanders. Loving daughter of Catherine M. Buniak and the late John Gilman. Devoted daughter-in-law of Carthornia Sanders Kouroupos (Andrew). Survived by many caring aunts, uncles and cousins.

Jessica graduated in 1994 from Our Lady of Grace Catholic Grammar School in Somerdale and in 1998 from Paul VI High School in Haddon Township.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

WILLIAM L. HOFFMAN (Jan. 12)

Private services were held for William L. Hoffman, 56 of Oaklyn, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on December 27, 2016.

Son of the late William Hoffman and Elizabeth McCann. Survived by his children, Billy Hoffman and Angela Hoffman; his brothers, Jimmy Carpenter, Joseph Hoffman and John Hoffman; his sisters, Bettyann Ervin, Judith Lore and Joann Hoffman. Predeceased by his sister Margaret Burke.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

MADELINE C. HERBERT (Jan. 12)

Private Services were held for Madeline C. Herbert, 71, of Deptford, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on January 3, 2017.

She was the loving companion for many years of Sonny Dowidowicz and is also survived by several nieces and nephews. Madeline was predeceased by her dear parents William and Mary Herbert and her brothers William, Robert and Thomas Herbert.

She had been a former employee of Holt Shipping Co. in Gloucester City.

Funeral services were entrusted to Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City.

JANINE APRIL ELLIS (Jan. 12)

Catholic Funeral services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Janine April Ellis, 34, of Woodbury who passed away on December 31, 2016.

Loving mother of Dylan Michael. Cherished daughter of Cynthia Shearer (Tommy) and James R. Ellis. Loving sister of Danielle Scott, William "Dewey" Benner, Raymond Benner, Melissa Ellis, Nicholas, Ellis, Jamie Ellis and Peyton Adams. Also survived by many loving, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Interment private.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

ETHEL MAE CONVERY (Jan. 12)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Ethel Mae Convery, 81, (nee Stanton) of West Deptford who passed away peacefully on January 1, 2017.

Ethel was a longtime resident of both National Park and West Deptford. Ethel graduated from Woodbury H.S. in 1952. After H.S. she worked for a short time. However, she thought her most important work would be raising her six children with her H.S. sweetheart John A. Convery. She was a parishioner of St. Matthew's Church and would fondly recall her trip to Ireland with the parish, friend Msgr. Curran and close family. She cherished her long time club nicknamed "Little Tiny Hines" and their meetings to date once a month. Ethel was devoted to her family and loved spending time with her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Favorite times were down on the Jersey Shore beach and campground. She will be dearly missed, yet her memory and legacy are carried on by those who loved her.

Ethel was predeceased by her parents Helen Cattell Stanton and Walter Stanton; her loving husband John A. Convery; her daughter Joanne Gorman and brother Walter Stanton (Mary Jane). She leaves behind her brother, George (Gail) Stanton; her children, John (Julie), Maria (Jim), Thomas (Christine), Susan, Helen (Bert);

grandchildren, Kelly, Lucy and Colleen Convery, Sean, Keith and Rachel Gorman, Colleen and Jessica Dougherty, Joelle Fritz, Alexandria Parks, Helen Ekimoglou, Tyler and Evan Witcraft and 15 great grandchildren. Also survived by many nieces, nephews, cousins, in laws and longtime caregiver Maggie Kain.

Interment private in Gloucester County Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Williamstown with her late husband.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Mary's Church: at the above address.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

STEPHEN H. BALZER (Jan. 12)

Funeral services were held at Trinity Lutheran Church, Runnemede for Stephen H. Balzer, Jr., 85, of Runnemede, formerly of Berlin who passed away on January 2, 2017.

Beloved husband for 33 years of Millie (nee Vernamonti) and the late Rani (nee Marron). Devoted father of Patricia Balzer, Stephen Balzer (Lori), Richard Balzer (Alyson) and step-father of Michael Vernamonti (Wendy), Steven Vernamonti and Linda Stephany (Douglas). Loving grandpa of Jordan, Marron, Madison, Mackenzie and Gina and great grandpa of Aubrey. Dear brother of Mary VanderDussen and the late Ann Johnson. Also survived by nieces and nephews.

Mr. Balzer retired from the U.S. Air Force after 20 years of service. He was a member of the Order of Daedalians. Interment private.

Family requests in lieu of flowers, donations to Trinity Lutheran Church at the above address.

Funeral services were entrusted to Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

JOAN M. DEANGELIS (Jan. 12)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Joan M. DeAngelis, 81, of Runnemede who passed away on December 31, 2016.

Beloved wife of the late Anthony. Devoted mother of Joann and Anthony DeAngelis and mother-in-law of Sandra DeAngelis. Loving mom-mom of Anthony and Renee. Dear sister of Antionette Egan, Louise Brydges, Robert Dittus, and Josephine Simons. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Joan loved spending time with her grandkids, going to the casino, and her Friday night bowling league at Westbrook Lanes.

Interment St. Joseph Cemetery, Chews Landing.

In lieu of flowers, donations may to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital through In Memory Of at <https://www.inmemoryof-memorial.org/joan-deangelis> or to 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

DANIEL SULPIZIO (Jan. 12)

Funeral Mass was held at Holy Child Parish, Runnemede for Daniel Sulpizio, 86, of Glendora, formerly of South Philadelphia who passed away on January 3, 2017.

Most beloved husband of the late Rita (nee DiBruno). Devoted father of Dennis Sulpizio (Teresa), Rosann Watson (Robert), and Danny Sulpizio III (June). Loving grandfather of Nichole Mary, Shaun, April, Ashley, Danielle, and Gabrielle. Dear great grandfather of 8 and great-great grandfather of one. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Daniel proudly served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict and was a longtime member of St. Teresa RC Church.

Interment New St. Mary's Mausoleum, Bellmawr.

Donations may be made in memory of his beloved wife, Rita, to the Alzheimer's Association, 3 Eves Drive Suite 310, Marlton, NJ 08053 or to VITAS Hospice, 18 E. Laurel Road 3rd Floor, Stratford, NJ 08084.

JOHN J. CARR JR. (Jan. 12)

Celebration of Life was held at Our Lady of Hope Parish, Blackwood for John J. Carr, Jr., 62, of Glendora who passed away on January 5, 2017.

Beloved husband to Marianne (nee Del Viscio) for 33 years. Loving father to Patrick (Megan) and Sean (Ashley) and loving "Poppy" to Brinley Paige. Devoted son of Theresa Miller (nee Hudson) and the late John Carr, Sr. Dear brother of Jim (Nancy), Bill (Debbie), and Terry Risley (Tom). He will be missed by man's best friend, Dee Dee. Also survived by and loved by many family members and friends.

John was a volunteer for Glendora Little League and St. Agnes RC Church. For the past eight years he was a part of Big Brothers Big Sisters and will be sadly missed by his "Little", Tyler. John was an avid gardener who also enjoyed Phillies games, yoga, kayaking, and time at the beach.

John's positive outlook, selflessness, and genuine goodness touched all who had the privilege of knowing him. Interment private.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Fox Chase Cancer Center, 333 Cottman Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19111 or Big Brothers Big Sisters of America, 100 Dobbs Lane, Suite 202, Cherry Hill, NJ 08034.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

ELEANOR M. CISZ (Jan. 12)

Funeral Mass was held at St. Joachim Parish, 601 Browning Road, Bellmawr for Eleanor M. Cisz (nee Kelly), 90, of Williamstown, formerly of Bellmawr who passed away on January 6, 2017.

Beloved wife of the late Joseph J. Loving mother of Susan Smith (Ron), Ed Cisz (Tracey), and the late Robert. Dear grandmother of Scott Keyek (Alicia Tozer), Erica Cox (Robert), and Lisa Stephan (Kirk) and great grandmother of eight. Cherished sister of Clarence "Sonny" Kelly, Dorothy McCann, and the late Edward Kelly and Mary Wilson. Eleanor was a member of the Bellmawr Democrat Club and a longtime parishioner of Annunciation BVM Church in Bellmawr.

Entombment New St. Mary's Mausoleum, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Joachim Parish at the address above.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

HELEN M. WILLSON (Jan. 19)

Funeral services were held at Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City for Helen M. Willson, 97, (nee Wilson), of Pennsauken who passed away on January 13, 2017.

She was the beloved wife of the late John F. (Fred) Willson, loving mother of Patricia (David) Nelson, John (Susan) and Thomas (Kathleen) Willson and dear grandmother of Scott (Theresa) Nelson, Kevin (Christine) Nelson, Adam

(Janni) Willson, Aaron (Brandie) Willson, Andrew Willson, Sarah (Derek) Matta and Michael Willson. She is also survived by her great grandchildren Victoria, Grace, Olivia, Sophia, Kyra, Zoe and Seth Nelson, Danica Matta, former daughter-in-law Gloria Willson and several nieces and nephews. Helen was predeceased by her parents Roy and Lola Wilson, her sisters Ethel Ward, Elsie Ireton and her brother Robert Wilson.

Helen was a former resident of Brooklawn for over 75 years. She had been active member of the Brooklawn United Methodist Church and UMW

Interment will follow at Hillcrest Cemetery, Hurffville.

MICHAEL T. TENEBERG (Jan. 19)

Private services were held for Michael T. Teneberg, 70, of Pennsauken who passed away on December 23, 2016.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

SUSAN J. ROOS (Jan. 19)

Funeral services were held for Susan J. Roos, 76, (nee Quay), of Glendora who passed away on January 6, 2017 at Kennedy Hospital Stratford.

Beloved wife of the late Richard D. Roos. Loving daughter of the late Rice Charles and Anna Smith Quay. Devoted mother of Debbie Judge (Tony), Donna Parzanese (Michael), Lisa Coleman (Robert), Joann Grasso (Anthony) and Suzanne Marigliano. Dear sister of Charles Quay (Linda) and the late Marie A. Flores. Proud grandmother of Samantha Judge, Marc Anthony, Donnamarie Heiser, Michael Parzanese, David Parzanese, Robert Coleman, Danielle Grasso, Michelle Grasso, Hailey Marigliano and Paige Boyer. Great grandmother of 5. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Born in Roxborough, Pennsylvania, she lived in Glendora for the past 8 years.

In lieu of flowers contributions to the Dementia Society of America P.O. Box 600 Doylestown, PA 18901 or <http://www.dementiasociety.org/donate> would be appreciated.

STEVEN HOWARD PRYDA (Jan. 19)

Celebration of Life was held at Chews United Methodist Church, Glendora for Steven Howard Pryda, 36, of Glendora who passed away on January 6, 2017 at Kendall Regional Hospital in Miami Florida.

Steven enjoyed traveling with his job and making people smile. He was a free spirit who brought much love and laughter to everyone he met.

Steven will be forever missed by his mother Kimberly father Howard and sisters Dana and Nicole, grandmother Roslyn, brother in law Nestor , two nieces, two nephews and many loving family members.

ROBERT E. JONES (Jan. 19)

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, January 19 at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Robert EdMaurice Jones, 91, of Bellmawr who passed away on January 13, 2017.

Treasured husband of the late Deborah Lydia Iannelli Jones. Loving father of Shirley Jones Martin (Paul) and Sharon Jones Morley (Jeffrey). Cherished grandfather of Douglas Bateman (Troy Bacon), Jillian Green (Chris), Greyson Morley (Maria), and Grant Morley and great grandfather of Francesco Green. Dear brother of the late Elizabeth Lyndall Jones-Spegel.

Robert was a member of the Bellmawr Senior Citizens. He proudly served in the Army during WWII, he then worked for UPS and received the "Million Mile Driving" award. He loved spending time with his family. Robert also enjoyed frequenting Dunkin Donuts and his beloved Black Horse Diner. He also loved to make things in his work shop.

There will be a viewing 10-12 Noon Thursday at the funeral home.

Interment Locustwood Memorial Park, Cherry Hill.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Samaritan Healthcare and Hospice www.samaritanhealthcarenj.org 5 Eves Drive, Suite 300 Marlton, NJ 08053. We thank Samaritan Hospice for their kindness, love, professionalism, and exemplary care.

MARYANN PIERMAN (Jan. 19)

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City on Thursday, January 19 at 11 a.m. for Maryann Pierman (nee McQuaid), 85, a proud life-long resident of Gloucester City who passed away on January 15, 2017.

She was the beloved wife of the late Samuel J. Pierman, loving mother of Michael McQuaid, Patricia Dailey (Carl) and dear step-mother of Samuel, Thomas and James Pierman. Maryann was also the dear sister of Theresa Graham, Marge Christy, Bill McQuaid and the late Sis Lang and Frank McQuaid. She is also survived by many loving grandchildren. Maryann loved being a homemaker and enjoyed taking care of her family, especially her grandkids, and was also very close to her brothers and sisters.

Relatives and friends are invited to meet Thursday from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City.

Interment will follow at New St. Mary's Cemetery in Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers the family would appreciate memorial donations in Maryann's name be made to St. Mary's Catholic Church at the address listed above.

JAMES PATTERSON (Jan. 19)

Private services were held for James Patterson, 60, of Maple Shade who passed away on December 25, 2016.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

ARTHUR J. OTT SR. (Jan. 19)

Honoring his wishes, private services were held for Arthur J. Ott, Sr., "Popeye", 66, of Gloucester City who passed away on January 6, 2017.

Born in Camden, he was the son of the late Peter J. and Lillian (Vincent) Ott. Loving father of Lillie Mae Park, Ida Mae Tessing (Ron), Elda Walker (Gus Jr.), Arthur J. Ott Jr., Mildred McArdle (Bill Jr.) and Justin M. Ott; loving grandfather of 11, great grandfather of 6. Arthur is also survived by several brothers and sister.

Arthur worked for many years as a truck driver for Phil Franchi Demolition in Sewell. He served our county during the Vietnam War in the U.S. Army.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

LILLIAN DOUGHTEN (Jan. 19)

Mass of Christian Burial was held at Saint Joseph Parish at the Church of Annunciation, Bellmawr for Lillian Doughten, 90, of Westville who passed away peacefully on January 14, 2017.

Lillian was a loving mother who adored her children and touched so many lives. She enjoyed playing Bingo, going to the casinos and getting together with her family. Lillian will be missed by all who knew and loved her. She is the beloved Wife of the late William C. Doughten; devoted mother to Kathy Hoffmann (Kurt), Debbie Williams (Bob), Tom Doughten (Lisa), Jim Doughten (Judy), John Doughten (Karen), and Linda Ford; loving sister to the late Rita Hurst (James), Martha Grecco (the late Leonard); sister-in-law to the late James Doughten (Margie), the late Robert Doughten (the late Peg), and the late Thelma Perretti. Lillian also leaves behind 26 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Interment in New St. Mary's Cemetery in Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers contributions to the American Lung Association, 1031 Rt. 22 West, Bridgewater, NJ 08807.

SADIE D. HEYDLER (Jan. 19)

Private services were held for Sadie D. Heydler, 83, (nee Brydges), of Deptford, formerly of Woodbury who passed away on January 11, 2017.

Loving wife of the late Victor F. Heydler. Survived my brothers, sisters and cousins. Sadie was born in Philadelphia, PA and worked at Plymouth Stationary Company in Philadelphia.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

EDNA C. HARMON (Jan. 19)

Private were held for Edna C. Harmon, 73, of Pennsauken who passed away on December 30, 2016.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

BLANCHE GUENETTE (Jan. 19)

Funeral services were held at Trinity Lutheran Church, 200 E. Clements Bridge Road, Runnemede for Blanche Guenette, 83, (nee Gibson), of Runnemede who passed away on January 6, 2017.

Beloved wife of George Guenette for 65 years. Devoted mother of Eleanor Epley (Thomas), George Jr. (Jacqueline), and William (Gloria). Loving mom mom of 6 and great grandmom of 6. Dear sister of Jack Gibson (Evelyn) and Grace Polakovic. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Blanche was a longtime member of Trinity Lutheran Church and the Senior Choir. She was a member of the Eastern Star Chapter 140 Haddonfield. Blanche dedicated her life to children, whether it be her own or her more than 15 years as a foster mother or her quarter century at Little VIPs Pre-School. She later cared for her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was a mother to everyone up until the end of her long generous life.

Interment Brig. Gen. William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Arneytown.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Trinity Lutheran Church at the address above.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

DOROTHY R. ELWELL (Jan. 19)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Dorothy R. Elwell (nee Spreng), 88, of Glendora who passed away on January 11, 2017.

Beloved mother of Raymond D'Adamo, Randolph D'Adamo, and Robbin D'Adamo (Joanne). Devoted grandmother of 4 and great grandmother of 2. Loving sister of the late Florence and Mary. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Dorothy loved to swing dance and was a terrific ballroom dancer.

Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Williamstown

JAMES L. MUENCH (Jan. 19)

Private services were held for James "Biggy" L. Muench, 88, of Bellmawr who after many illnesses and surgeries his Creator granted him his Angel Wings while he peacefully slept on December 16, 2016.

Devoted husband of the late Ruth (nee Whomsley). Beloved father of Susan, his caretaker, and the late Ruthie. Loving brother of the late Stephen. Also survived by his brother-in-law Paul "Dave" Whomsley and many nieces, nephews, and their families. Best friend for 50-plus years to Joan Raebek and the late Ed Falls.

Special thanks to the Doctors and Staff of Liberty Dialysis and his cardiologist Dr. Robert Mohapatra. And to his "like" family, Debra Crossan, Kitty Farley, Lenore Daniluk, Dominique Perroud, Ceal Matteo, Kathie Nasuti, Scott Mullin, Patti Leonetti, Thomas Veit, and Chris Giansante.

Special thanks also to the owners and staff of Anthony's Restaurant for their kindness to our family during tough times.

James was a member and Past Commander of VFW Post 7410 in Bellmawr. He was a member of the Board of Health and was responsible for getting Bellmawr water clean. James proudly served in the Navy and operated James L. Muench Custom Draperies for Interior Design for over 50 years. He lit up a room and made everyone laugh whenever he was around.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the James Muench Memorial Fund for his daughter Sue Muench, C/O TD Bank, 129 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede, NJ 0807

TERRY LEE WILLIAMS (Jan. 26)

Funeral services were held for Terry Lee Williams, 59, (nee Harrison), of Deptford, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on January 14, 2017.

She is the beloved wife of John H. Williams, loving mother of the late Tracy Lynn Nolan (Richard), loving grandmother of Charles Nolan, dear sister of Caroline Burkhardt (Richard), and is also survived by several dear nieces and nephews.

Interment private at the request of her family.

In lieu of flowers donations to Terry's husband John, in care of the funeral home, would be appreciated. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Ehtrington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City.

MARIO L. ROSA III (Jan. 26)

Funeral services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Mario L. Rosa, III, 25, of Gloucester City who passed away on January 18, 2017.

Survived by his daughter Julianna M. Janetti; his mother Monica Rosa (Jason Schrock); siblings Amanda Rosa, Marissa Schrock and Jason Schrock Jr. Predeceased by his father Mario Rosa Jr. Also survived by many loving grandparents, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Interment Private.

THOMAS W. MYERS JR. (Jan. 26)

Methodist graveside services and burial will be held on Wednesday, January 25, at 1 p.m. at Locustwood Memorial Park, Cherry Hill by the office at entrance on Route 70 by 12:50 for procession to grave for Thomas W. Myers, Jr., 85, of Gloucester City who passed away on January 19, 2017.

Loving husband of the late Agnes Myers (nee Finger). Devoted father of Rhonda L. Hunter (Wayne), Dawn Schmidt (Dan), Kelley A. Shaffer (Ed), Tom Myers (Shannon) and the late Patricia Myers. Beloved grandfather of 15 and the late Timothy Hunter. Cherished grandfather of 20 and one great-great grandson.

Thomas was a lifelong resident of Gloucester City and worked over 20 years at Charlie's Auto in Gloucester City.

Family requests memorial donations in Thomas's memory to Saint Mary's R.C. Church: 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City, NJ 08030. Please write in memo: Food for Needy

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

MELISSA LYNN RUSK (Jan. 26)

Funeral services were held at Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City for Melissa Lynn Rusk, 31, of Ventnor formerly of Gloucester City who suddenly passed away on January 17, 2017.

She is the beloved daughter of Mark Rusk (Denise) and the late Nancy Rusk (nee Walsh). Loving mother of Steven Groover Jr. and Davian Jackson. Dear sister of Mark Jr., Lindsay, Zoe, Daphnie, Kaiser, and the late Austin Rusk and also survived her second family Bill & Debbie Wigley, several aunts, uncles and cousins. She is the cherished granddaughter of Doris Walsh, the late Ed and Helen Rusk, and step granddaughter of Dave and Joanne Boyer and also the beloved aunt to Tabitha, Dennis, Jr. and Kaiden.

Melissa enjoyed going to the beach but above all loved spending time with her family and friends.

Interment private at the convenience of the family.

MEL A. AYUSA (Jan. 26)

Memorial services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Mel A. Ayusa, 62, of Lindenwold; formerly Runnemede who passed away on January 18, 2017.

Beloved son of the Doris (nee Lee) and the late Mel. Devoted father of Christopher Lee Ayusa. Loving grandfather of Kayleena and Aisley. Dear brother of Michael (Debbie), Melanie Redding (Daniel), and Rick (Barbara). Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Mel loved to play guitar, listen to music, and write poetry.

MAMIE MAROTTA (Jan. 26)

Graveside services will be held at Laurel Lawn Cemetery, Bridgeton at 1 p.m. on Friday, January 27 for Mamie Marotta, 44, of Vineland who on January 19, 2017, Peacefully after an illness at Vitas Inpatient Hospice Unit, Stratford passed away.

Daughter of Horace Anderson and MaryAnn Marotta. Sister of Patricia Marotta, Harriet Marotta, Marie Marotta and Patrick Marotta. Survived by many cherished caregivers.

Mamie was born and raised in Jersey City before moving to Vineland.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

MARIE F. TOMAN (Jan. 26)

Funeral services were held for Marie F. Toman (nee Nagler), 96, of Westville who passed away on January 16, 2017 in Shady Lane Home surrounded by her family.

Mrs. Toman emigrated from Germany in 1934; living in Paulsboro for several years. After she married her late beloved husband, Carl Toman, they moved to Westville in 1950. Mrs. Toman made baskets with her family that were sold in Woolworth's, White's and Sears. She was the oldest living member of the Germania Mannerchor, joining the group in 1937 and also a member of Holy Nativity Lutheran Church in Wenonah. Mrs. Toman had an angelic voice and enjoyed singing in both of the choirs, cooking for the Mannerchor and her family and she also served on several committees with the Mannerchor. She contributed regularly to the children's fund of the church, the Shriner's Club and the Blind Foundation. Her favorite activity was Sunday rides and dinners with the family. She is survived by her many nieces and nephews.

Interment Eglington Cemetery, Clarksboro.

Contributions to the Children's Fund at Holy Nativity Church, 3 Lenape Trail, Wenonah, NJ 08090.

MARGARET FARLEY CHRISTMAS (Jan. 26)

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, January 26 at noon at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Margaret Farley Christman, 63 of Westville, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on January 21, 2017.

Survived by her sons, Joseph Farley (Renata) and Chris Farley (Amy); her grandchildren, Kiana, CJ and Brianna; her siblings, Louise Donley (Bill), Mary Watkins (Lloyd), Elizabeth Jackson (Tim), Theresa Force (Robert), Christina Harranty, Thomas Farley (late Susan), Bernard Farley (Darlene), Walter Farley (Donna) and many nieces and nephews. Predeceased by her parents Bernard and Louise Farley, husband George Christman and sister Cathy Farley.

Viewing Thursday morning from 10 a.m. 12 noon at the funeral home.

Interment Private.

LINDA BERNARDI (Jan. 26)

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Joseph of the Worker, St. Vincent Pallotii Church, 901 Hopkins Road, Haddonfield, on Friday, January 27 at 10:30 a.m. for Linda Bernardi, 96, of Haddon Heights who passed away peacefully on January 20, 2017.

She was 96 years of age. Linda was born in Camden, NJ in 1920 to Italian immigrant parents Harry & Lena DeAngelo. She was raised in Mt. Ephraim, NJ with her late sibling Joseph. In her late teens, Linda hosted her own

broadcast radio show called 'Illustrations In Ivory', where she used her extraordinary piano skills to the delight of many listeners. At the age of 15, Linda met her future husband Dominick Bernardi, who she was married to for 72 beautiful years, until his passing in 2013. She was a War Bride during World War II while her husband served honorably for the Army Corp of Engineers. In her later years, she taught piano and eventually opened her own hair salon, where she worked into her eighties.

Linda is survived by her daughter Marlene Bernardi of Brigantine, and her son Robert Bernardi and daughter-in-law Sandra Bernardi of Mt. Laurel, NJ; her four beloved grandchildren, Ava Reynolds(Richard), Mark Bernardi(Kayleigh), Alex Bernardi(Jackie) and Nicole Bernardi; and her three great-grandchildren Ryan Reynolds, Jolene Bernardi, and McKayla Bernardi.

Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend her visitation Friday, from 9-10:15 a.m. at the church.

Interment will be immediately after mass at New Saint Mary's Cemetery at 515 W Browning Rd, Bellmawr. Donations may be sent to: Samaritan Hospice, 5 Eves Dr . Suite 300, Marlton, NJ 08053.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Mahaffey-Milano Funeral Home 11 E Kings Hwy, Mt Ephraim.

SADIE D. HEVDLER (Jan. 26)

Graveside Funeral services were held for Sadie D. Heydler, 83, (nee Brydges), of Deptford, formerly of Woodbury and Darby, PA who passed away on January 11, 2017.

Loving wife of the late James E. Linder and the late Victor F. Heydler. Survived my brothers, sisters and cousins. Sadie was born in Philadelphia, and worked at Plymouth Stationary Company in Philadelphia. She lived in Darby, before moving to Woodbury, and most recently Deptford.

Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend Sadie's graveside funeral service on Thursday, January 26 at 11 am Fernwood Cemetery, Lansdowne, PA.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

EDWARD J. GRAHAM (Jan. 26)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Edward J. Graham, 53, of Brigantine; formerly of Bellmawr who passed away on January 12, 2017.

Beloved son of Mary E. and the late Edward J. Graham. Devoted father of Emmalee. Beloved brother of Patty Antonelli and Linda Mergen (Tim). Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Ed loved sports, especially college basketball. He enjoyed his family and his life in Brigantine.

Interment private.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the National Hemophilia Foundation at <https://www.inmemoryof-memorial.org/edward-graham> or Eastern PA Chapter of NHF, Victoria Business Center, 1489 Baltimore Pike, Springfield, PA 19064-3958.

CLARENCE F. MARSH (Jan. 26)

Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Vincent Pallotti Church, Haddon Township for Clarence F. Marsh, "Sonny", 75, of Glendora who passed away on January 16, 2017 at Samaritan Hospice in Voorhees.

Born and raised in Haddon Heights, Sonny graduated from Bishop Eustace Preparatory School and then Villanova University. He was predeceased by his parents, Clarence "Cotton" Marsh and Frances Marsh (nee Williams). He is lovingly survived by his two daughters, Kristine Claire Marsh of Haddon Heights and Kelli Ann (Joe) Iannacone of

Yardley, PA; his granddaughters, Kathryn and Grace; his sister, Barbarann (Jim) Lewis; his niece, Kivlen as well as his former wife, Patricia.

Interment private.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Lustgarten Foundation benefitting Pancreatic Cancer Research at 1111 Stewart Avenue, Bethpage, NY 11714 or at www.lustgarten.org.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to Healey Funeral Home, Haddon Heights.

CHARLES MALANOWSKI (Jan. 26)

Graveside services were held at St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr for Charles Malanowski, 80, of Westville who passed away on January 17, 2017.

Charles is the beloved husband of Patricia (nee Atkins) and devoted father of Charles Malanowski.

CHARLES F. SCHMIDT SR. (Jan. 26)

Funeral Mass was held at Holy Child Parish, Runnemede for Charles F. Schmidt, Sr., 68, of Glendora, formerly of Philadelphia who suddenly passed away on January 17, 2017.

Beloved husband for 47 years of Rita (nee Hunsberger). Devoted father of Charles, Jr. (Michelle), Joseph, and Melissa Richards (Ed). Loving pop-pop of Charles III, Julia, Xander, Camryn, Josiah, Eddie, and Dylan. Dear brother of Patricia Cieslak (John) and Brian Chettleburgh (Christine). Also survived by many cousins, nieces and nephews. Charles retired from Sears in Pennsauken as a small engine mechanic.

Interment St. Joseph's Cemetery, Chews Landing.

Donations to the American Stroke Association, PO Box 417005, Boston, MA 02241.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Gardner Funeral Home, 126 Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

HAROLD T. BERNHARDT (Jan. 26)

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City on Saturday, January 28 at 9 a.m. for Harold T. Bernhardt, 67, of Fairview Section of Camden who passed away on January 17, 2017.

Cherished son of the late Harold A. Bernhardt and Helen Bernhardt (nee Baxter). Loving brother of Eileen Fletcher (late Thomas). Beloved uncle of Thomas and Brian Fletcher.

Harold was a graduate of Camden Catholic High School class of 1967. He proudly served our country in the U.S. Army. Harold worked many years as a machinist for Connector Products in Pennsauken.

Interment will be private in New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

ANNA MARIE MONDELLO (Jan. 26)

Funeral Services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Anna Marie Mondello (nee Follari), 93, of Glendora who passed away on January 19, 2017.

Beloved wife of the late Joseph. Devoted mother of Robert Mondello (Robyn) and Joann Hankins (Robert). Dear sister of Charles and Joseph Follari and the late Dominica Barrale. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Mrs. Mondello loved to cook. She was a great baker and a wonderful homemaker.

Interment St. Joseph's Cemetery, Chews Landing.

Family requests in lieu of flowers, donations be made in Mrs. Mondello's memory to the Alzheimer's Assoc., 3 Eves Dr., Suite 310, Marlton, NJ 08053.