



Norma Samoissette

February 22, 1932 - April 16, 2020

Norma Samoissette, age 88, passed away peacefully at Avita of Newburyport on April 16 2020. She was born February 22, 1932 in Methuen and educated in the Methuen schools. She then worked at Raytheon and went on to work at Western Electric (Lucent) as a tester and retired as a supervisor after 35 years. She was an active member of the Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality at St. Lucy Parish, enjoyed walking, gardening, and most especially spending time with family and friends.

Norma was the wife of the late Donald Samoissette. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Karen and Kevin Wall. She was the loving grandmother of Joel Borek and his wife, Mylissa, and was the adoring great grandmother of Ruby and Layla. She is also survived by her sister, Joan Joaquin and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents Mary and Alfred Champey, by her brothers Paul and Louis Congo, and by her sister, Mary Champey.

All services will be privately held. In lieu of flowers, donations in Norma's memory may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave. Fl. 17 Chicago, IL 60601. A celebration of her life will be held at a future date. A special thanks to the staff at Avita of Newburyport for the care and devotion that was extended to Norma. For online guestbook, please visit the funeral home website, <http://www.pollardfuneralhome.com>. The Kenneth H. Pollard Funeral Home is honored to serve the Samoissette Family.

Comments



“ I don't know where to start. My Norma was a very special human being. Having lost my grandparents at a very young age, she was the grandmother I never had. From the moment my family and I moved to Lantern Lane in Methuen, she was always there for me. Whenever I was feeling down or coming home on my breaks from college, she was footsteps away. I truly cherished time spent with her and Donald. I probably would not have chosen my career if not for Norma and Donald. Our trips to the Bedford VA were unique and always filled with advice and a reassuring voice. She had a heart of gold, from gifting me my first car, to ensuring to keep a watchful eye on my parents once I moved out. I am very lucky for Brandon to have met her and had a relationship with her. Both he and I miss you terribly. I hope you and Donald are walking the beach and enjoying the view. God bless you and your family, until we meet again, I love you.

Karen and Brandon Berrios

Karen Berrios - April 22, 2020 at 05:23 PM



“ Karen and family, our condolences for you and the family, I will miss walking down to listen to the music with your mom, my heart breaks for you. All are in our thoughts and prayers.

Love, Kim and Chuck

kim minalli - April 22, 2020 at 06:10 AM



“ 8 files added to the album Norma and her Family



Sheree Joaquin Dustin - April 21, 2020 at 07:53 PM



“ My Aunt Norma was a strong woman who knew what needed to be done to provide a good life for her and her daughter. She worked hard and set goals to improve her self in the work place and her inner self. Her grandson was her sunshine. He did no wrong. She was kind and generous and would be there for you if needed. Whether it be family, friend or people that worked for her. I loved my aunt, she was like a mother to me. She took care of my sons when they were babies and then her great grand daughters. She brought us all up and left a mark on our hearts. We will miss her dearly but we will carry her with us and keep her memory alive at every occasion. Until we meet again Auntie. Love you

Sheree Joaquin Dustin - April 21, 2020 at 08:10 PM



“ I was saddened to hear of the passing of my friend and fellow supervisor. Norma and I worked second shift for several years. She was my mentor and friend. She was a good-hearted person who always had time for anyone. She was firm when she needed to be and very understanding. After she retired she spent some of her time at the Nevins Library. I would see her there and, at times, we would sit on the bench and just talk about the "old days" on second shift. Rest in peace my friend.
Mike Deloge

Michael Deloge - April 20, 2020 at 02:05 PM



“ MY sister will always be in my heart we had good times together we shared a life time of memories.

Joan Joaquin - April 19, 2020 at 10:20 AM



“ I cannot even begin to understand what you're going through right now, but I would like to offer my prayers and condolences. I am truly sorry to hear about your loss. Your mother was a great woman and she will be truly missed and will always be remembered.

After the tears have dried and the goodbyes have been said, all we have is happy memories that we've shared with our loved ones. The loss of someone dear to us is never easy, A mother is the most expensive being on earth. No one and nothing can fill the void created by the loss of a mother. You Karen, where the best daughter she could have ever asked for. Being there for her whenever she needed you especially for all the baking for her and church. You truly poured your heart and soul out for her and your memories will bring you comfort forever. You, Kevin, Joel, Mylissa, Julia and Layla are in my thoughts.

Anita DeVeau

Anita DeVeau - April 19, 2020 at 09:40 AM



“ Norma was a kind and generous person, and I was honored to know her. My deepest sympathies to her entire family. She will be missed but never forgotten.

Rebecca Hains - April 17, 2020 at 02:00 PM



“ Norma was my very best friend. We talked about everything and anything. She traveled with me when I went out to speak.. she was just the very best person. We had many good times together and I have dearly missed her since we moved away from Methuen. The last time I visited her, she was so very happy to see me as was I to see her. She lived her dash from beginning to end. I will always miss you Norma!

Lucie M. Consentino - Peabody, MA

Lucie M. Consentino - April 17, 2020 at 01:02 PM



“ Norma's love and devotion to our Sodality was always visible through her deeds and actions. Her beautiful smile and kindnesses will continue on at our table of plenty. Remembering her in our prayers.

Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality, St. Lucy's - April 17, 2020 at 12:27 PM