



## Carolyn L. Sondeen

September 14, 1943 - August 8, 2015

Carolyn L. Sondeen (nee Vient) passed away peacefully on Saturday, August 8, 2015, surrounded by her family. Born in Boston MA, Carolyn was 71 years old. She was a resident of Delran and formerly of Cinnaminson, NJ where she raised her 3 children.

Carolyn was employed in Human Resources for the Diocese of Trenton. She was involved in Tri Boro Council of Churches and various ministries in her parish.

Carolyn enjoyed biking, hiking, quilting, gardening, reading and spending time with her family.

Beloved wife of 48 years to Carl R. Sondeen. Loving mother of Leslie (Bill) Opila, Mark (Danielle) Sondeen and Brian (Michelle) Sondeen.

Loving grandmother to Katie, Elise, Lauren, Evan, Kyle and Leif.

Sister of Phyllis, Mary Lou, Alice, Marjorie, Walter, Kathleen, Bernice, the late William, the late Jean, the late Madeline, the late Wynona and the late Suzanne.

Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend Carolyn's Life Celebration and viewing Monday, August 17th, from 10 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. at St. Charles Borromeo Church, Branch Pike and Pomona Rd., Cinnaminson, NJ 08077.

Her Funeral Mass will follow at 11:30 a.m.

Interment Lakeview Memorial Park, Cinnaminson.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Charles

Borromeo 2226 Riverton Road, Cinnaminson NJ, 08077 or Catholic Charities,  
801 Burlington Ave., Delanco, NJ 08075.

To share your fondest memories and condolences with Carolyn's family,  
please visit [www.snovergivnish.com](http://www.snovergivnish.com).

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Family and Friends

AUG 17. 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM (ET)

St. Charles Borromeo Church  
2500 Branch Pike & Pomona Road  
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077

## Mass

AUG 17. 11:45 AM (ET)

St. Charles Borromeo Church  
2500 Branch Pike & Pomona Road  
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077

## Burial

AUG 17. 1:00 PM (ET)

Lakeview Memorial Park  
1300 Route 130 North  
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077

# Tribute Wall



“ *Givnish Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Carolyn L. Sondeen*



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**Givnish Funeral Home** - August 14, 2015 at 12:41 PM



“ *Carolyn L. Sondeen*

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September 09, 2022 at 01:27 AM



“ *Love and prayers go out to all the Sondeen family.  
Sincerely  
The Richardson's*

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**Gavin Richardson** - August 17, 2015 at 07:36 AM

CB

“ Aunt Carol was our "sunshine" aunt. She was known for always being full of fun and we all loved spending time with her. I think she made us all think about enjoying life to the fullest. I remember when she was still dating Carl and they came to visit us in Medfield, Massachusetts. My sisters and brothers and I were all quite small. We loved playing with both of them. As we grew up, she attended all of our weddings and special events. She made our celebrations more special, because she always brought the gift of happiness with her. She always had a joke to share or stories from her travels with Uncle Carl, or the fun she was having with her children and grandchildren. She was interested in all of us and always asked what we were up to. Thank you, Aunt Carol, for being who you were. You brightened all who were near you.

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**Carole Bando** - August 15, 2015 at 05:34 PM

LG

*We would like to extend our condolences to the family. She will be greatly missed.*

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**Len And Betty Galgoci** - August 15, 2015 at 09:32 PM



“ Love's Tapestry was purchased for the family of Carolyn L. Sondeen.



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August 15, 2015 at 10:10 AM

JH

“ *To Leslie and the family of Mrs. Sondeen:*

*I am most sorry for the loss of your mom, sister, grandmom, wife and friend.*

*Please know that many people are praying for you as you go through this most difficult time.*

*We will support you in any way we can, Leslie, when you return to work.*

*Take good care and cherish this time remembering all of the good times with your mom.*

*Sincerely,*

*Joan B. Hinsdale*

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**Joan Hinsdale** - August 14, 2015 at 01:33 PM

JD

“ Love the pictures you posted. Great memories to remember for all of you. :-)

*I just want to say that my memories of aunt Carol are fond ones. She was always upbeat, full of energy, and excited about something she was involved in or was planning to do. Whenever I saw her, she would also always ask me what I was up to or what was new in my life. I always enjoyed talking with her. I remember visiting you all in Cinnaminson, NJ with my family when I was very young. We had a blast! I remember your mom and dad took me and my family to many places during that visit, including Longwood Gardens and the Hershey Chocolate Factory....that was the best! I remember we cannonballed too much into your above ground pool and it collapsed! Your mom and dad just played it cool and still continued to make our visit fun. Your mom was a great hostess and made us feel comfortable always. At the family reunions in CT., aunt Carol was always sharing pictures with us about her family and the latest trip she and Uncle Carl took. My mom and I always enjoyed hearing about it and what their next adventure was going to be. My mom told me that she and my dad always enjoyed going to your parents' halloween parties that were held many years ago at their first house in Weymouth, MA. She said they were the best she had ever been to. So many memories to share that not all can be written. I am blessed to have had such a wonderful and caring aunt. And my mother says she is blessed to have had such a good and loving sister. May she rest in peace.....*

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**Johanna and Aunt Marjorie DiLorenzo** - August 14, 2015 at 12:50 PM



“ 50 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Givnish Funeral Home** - August 14, 2015 at 12:11 PM

FT

“ *Dear Sondeen Family,  
My deepest and prayerful sympathies on the death of Carolyn. I remember her from my ten years at SCB as a woman of great faith and warmth, whose love for her family stood out with great power. May she receive the reward promised to the faithful follower of Christ and live in the love of God's heart for eternity.*

*Fr. Joe Connolly, TOR*

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**Fr. Joe Connolly, TOR** - August 12, 2015 at 05:44 AM

BS

“ I am truly sorry to hear of Carolyn's passing. My deepest condolences to Carl, Leslie, Mark and Brian. She was a wonderful person, always smiling , so full of life. and she had a very warm and welcoming personality. I'll always remember whenever my parents got together with the Sondeen's she was genuinely interested in speaking with us "kids".and finding out what was going on in our lives. She really made us feel like "grown ups" too , never ignoring anyone in the room, I thought that was just great !  
I know she will be missed.

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**Bernie Schultz** - August 11, 2015 at 02:42 PM