



Gertrude M. Maguire

December 1, 1929 - December 20, 2023

Gertrude M. Maguire, aged 94, formerly a resident of Landsdale, PA, peacefully passed away at her Hammonton, NJ home on December 20, 2023, surrounded by her adoring family.

Born on December 1, 1929, in Philadelphia, PA, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Gertrude Roberts (nee Rebl). Gertrude was the cherished spouse of the late James Frances Maguire for 67 years until his passing in 2021. She was a devoted mother to Marie Menn (the late David Menn), Diane Maguire (the late David Poplawski), Donna Maguire, Elaine McCormick (Tom), Francis Maguire (Sue), Carolyn Hearn (Joe), John Maguire, and the late Michael Maguire. Gertrude was a loving grandparent to 17 and a great-grandparent to 16. She is survived by her sisters Barbara Boehmke and Carolyn Miller. Her memory will live on in the hearts of numerous other relatives and friends.

Gertrude found solace and joy in tending to her garden at home, a place where she often spent her time. She held a deep affection for all Philadelphia sports teams, particularly the Phillies. Her family held a special place in her heart, often enjoying moments together working on puzzles. She had a passion for shopping and decorating her home. Her devout faith led her to attend daily mass. When unable to attend in person, she faithfully tuned in to the televised mass. Her generosity knew no bounds. She contributed

significantly to charitable causes.

A gathering to honor Gertrude's life will be held on Friday, December 29th at St. Mary of Mount Carmel Parish, St. Joseph Church. 226 French Street, Hammonton, NJ 08037, from 10:30 to 11:30 am, followed by a memorial mass commencing at 11:30 am, where friends and family can pay their respects. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the above church in Gertrude's memory.

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends

DEC 29. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Mary of Mount Carmel Parish, St. Joseph Church
226 French Street
Hammonton, NJ 08037

Memorial Mass

DEC 29. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DM

“ Hi Mom,
You passed away this morning. Even though my heart is broken, I am relieved that you are finally pain free.

You are my hero. The strongest woman I have ever met. You were a great Mom, Grandmom and Great Grandmom. You leave behind a family full of love. We may not always like what each other do, but we are absolutely, without a doubt, there for each other.

Elaine, Dianne, Marie, Tom and Shannon were exceptional caretakers for you during your last months on this earth. It was hard to see you in pain and bedridden at the end so your passing, as hard as it was to let you go, was truly a blessing. You were so full of life, never turning down an adventure. Your green thumb and ability to decorate your home were amazing. You made it so easy to pick out a gift that you would like because you had so many things that you liked to do. I think towards the end of your time in Lansdale, your favorite thing to do, and ours to help you with, was putting together puzzles.

We each took a day during the week when you moved into the Lansdale area to make sure you and Daddy had everything you needed. Some would see that as a burden, but we realized that we all had a chance to spend some time with you and Daddy every week.

I am so glad you were able to take your boat trips and had a chance to live on the water, which was always your dream, and now I am sure that you are up in heaven dancing with the love of your life, which was another dream.

We attended your funeral yesterday. The Church looked amazing, and I am sure you loved it when you saw it. Cookie did a great job with her tribute to you. We were all there to celebrate your life and to mourn your passing.

*As Dianne put it when you were leaving the house at the end,
GOOD-BYE MOMMY!!! We love you!! May you rest in peace!!!*

Love,

Donna

Donna Maguire - December 30, 2023 at 10:10 AM

RR

“ Raymond R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gertrude M. Maguire.

Raymond R. - December 28, 2023 at 07:02 AM

RB

“ Cookie and Maguire family, so sorry to hear of the passing of your dear mother Trudy. I remember her fondly. May she rest in peace in heaven with your father and brother. My sincere condolences. Rita Bailey Akin

RITA BAILEY-AKIN - December 27, 2023 at 08:27 PM

JH

“ Cookie and the entire Maguire family - we are saddened to hear of the passing of your Mom. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family and hoping that the cherished memories you have of her live on within you. May she dance with your Dad among the angels in heaven.

John Hearn - December 27, 2023 at 03:34 PM