



Josephine Schmidt

May 23, 1923 - April 7, 2018

Josephine Schmidt, 94 of Monroe Township, New Jersey died on Saturday, April 7, 2018, at Raritan Bay Medical Center in Old Bridge.

Born Wednesday, May 23, 1923 in Staten Island, New York, Josephine was the daughter of the late Philip and Josephine Gangemi.

Raised on Staten Island's north shore, Josephine would go on to graduate from Port Richmond High School. Josephine worked as a seamstress at her father's tailor shop on Post Ave. She would meet the love of her life, Paul Schmidt and the two would marry. Josephine was a member of the Y.M.C.A. on Staten Island. In her spare time she enjoyed dancing, roller skating, and taking long walks. She enjoyed swimming at Lake George during family vacations, and was very handy around the house. After retirement Josephine and Paul moved to Old Bridge, NJ, and after Paul's passing in 2014 Josephine moved to her daughter Bernadette's home in Monroe Township. She will be missed by all those who were blessed to have had her in their lives.

Josephine was pre deceased by her loving parents, Philip and Josephine Gangemi, by her beloved husband of 53 years, Paul, by her caring siblings, Paul Gangemi, Pat Vadala, and Carmela Macri, and by her sister in law Anna Gangemi.

Josephine is survived by her loving daughters Barbara Klass and her husband John, and Bernadette Siravo and her husband Sonny, and by her cherished grandchildren, Douglas, Scott, James, Jonathan, and Rebecca.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Friday, April 13, 2018 at the Immaculate Conception Church, 18 South St., Spotswood, NJ 08884, time to be announced. Entombment to follow at Cloverleaf Memorial Park, Woodbridge, NJ.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Thursday, April 12, 2018, at Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals and Cremation Service, 3377 US Highway 9, Old Bridge, New Jersey.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.HegartyScaliaFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Cloverleaf Memoiral Park Cemetery

Route 1 & 35
Woodbridge, NJ 07095

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 12. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service
3377 US Highway 9
Old Bridge, NJ 08857
(732) 679-4422
hegartyfh@scaliahome.com
<https://www.hegartyscaliafuneralhome.com>

Service

APR 13 (ET)

Immaculate Conception Church
18 South Street
Spotswood, NJ 08884

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Tribute Wall



“ *Josephine Schmidt*

October 05, 2023 at 11:16 AM



“ *Lord, let perpetual light shine upon her.
Aunt Josephine was such an important part of my childhood and my adulthood. She was devoted to her sister Pat and visited often with Uncle Paul to help me and to have a nice meal together. She always shared her vacation in the Adirondacks with her nieces and nephews and really made a house a home no matter where she was. She was fun and we are all better for having known her. I'll remember one time I asked if she said I love you to her daughters . I had to repeat the question a few times until she said " I love you? I don't not have to say I love you , I wash their windows " ,indicative of the gangemi family of my mothers generation , they were quiet folk, they were doers , and there was never any doubt that they loved us.
I'm miss you very much. I'm happy you're with all the saints now in peace, roller skating and dancing, no doubt. watch over all of us from above and guide us with your wisdom.
Thank you for your example of a life well lived in love.*

Carolyn Vadala - April 12, 2018 at 12:15 PM



“ *I remember staying over at their apartment in Staten Island. We always had a good time.
Angela Olsen*



Angela Vadala Olsen - April 12, 2018 at 10:32 AM

JL

“ Dear Bernadette and Barbara,
Our deepest sympathy for the loss of your mother. Your mom was a great person. I always enjoyed talking to her. Our prayer now is that she is resting peacefully with your father, her brother, her sister-in-law and all those that she loved and are waiting for her.

Love,
Judy and Alyson Ligus

Judy Ligus - April 11, 2018 at 10:14 PM

AR

“ Bernadette, Sonny and the boys,
My heartfelt condolences on the passing of your beloved mom. May she and you be blessed and may God raise her soul to heaven.
Love Andy, Diane, Matt and Mark Rodriguez

Andy Rodriguez - April 10, 2018 at 11:32 PM

ME

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you all. With love from The Enriquez family.

Maria Enriquez - April 09, 2018 at 08:03 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Josephine Schmidt.



April 08, 2018 at 03:53 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Josephine Schmidt.* ”



April 07, 2018 at 10:20 PM