



## CARMELLA "CARM" (FERNANDEZ) COLELLI

March 13, 1926 - June 9, 2023

Carmella "Carm" (Fernandez) Colelli, 97, of Solvay, passed away peacefully at home, Friday, June 9, 2023. She was born and named "Carmen Fernandez" to the late Manuel and Maria (Gajate) Fernandez in the Village of Solvay, NY in 1926. She was employed by Pass and Seymour, Key Bank and the Solvay School District as manager of the food service program. Faith was very important to Carm. She was at peace and ready to go home to be with her Lord Jesus. When Carm wasn't devoting her time to others, she enjoyed singing, cooking, sewing, golfing and visiting with her dear friends, family and grandchildren whom she loved deeply.

Carm is predeceased by her parents, her brothers, Joseph, Manuel and Angelo and her best friends, Olga Ptak, Beverly Gasapo and Celeste Colelli. Carm is survived by her 3 children, Cathy, David and John (Mari); 4 grandchildren, Josh (Laura) & Joe Fruscello, Kristen (Justin) Colelli Foster and Kevin Colelli; a sister, Josephine Longo and a brother, Hilario Fernandez along with many nieces and nephews.

There are no calling hours. Burial will be private at Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery, Warners.

Contributions may be made in her memory to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital; 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or at [www.stjude.org](http://www.stjude.org).

BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, Solvay, has care of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

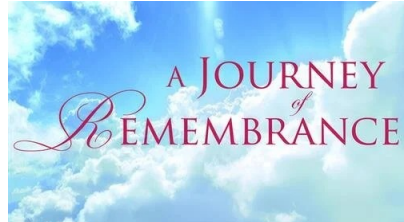
## **GREENLAWN MEMORIAL PARK - PRIVATE INTERMENT**

2932 Warners Rd.  
Warners, NY 13164 (AF)

# Tribute Wall



“ Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of CARMELLA "CARM" (FERNANDEZ) COLELLI



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - June 13, 2023 at 12:17 PM

DC

*Absolutely beautiful tribute to My Mom Si. Thanks so much.*

Dave Colelli - June 14, 2023 at 06:10 PM

JV

*A beautiful women inside and out. She will be missed. R.I.P*

JO VAQUERO - June 14, 2023 at 06:33 PM

MP

“ Cathy, Dave and John, I am sorry to hear of your loss. I especially remember Carm at Solvay High School "teaching" my favorite class -- lunch. She was one of the many people in Solvay that supported St. Cecelia's especially St. Cecelia's Players setting an example for all of us kids so we could learn the important lessons in life.  
Mike Pellizzri

Michael E Pellizzari - June 14, 2023 at 08:34 AM

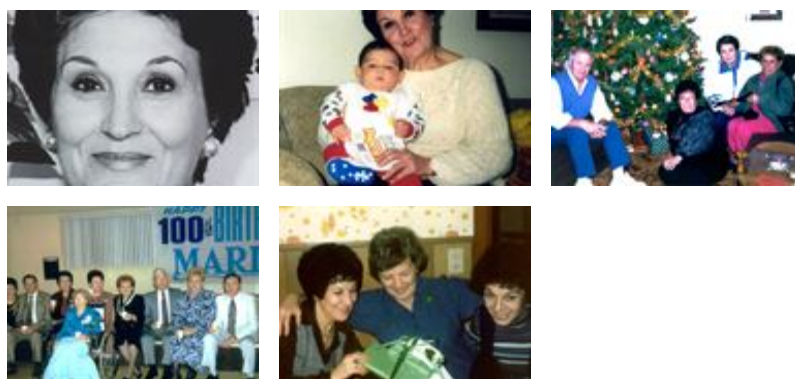
CA

“ I have fond memories of Carm as a dedicated volunteer for our St. Cecilia’s Religious Education program. She loved sharing her faith with the young. She has certainly gained her angel wings. RIP Carm.

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Carol - June 13, 2023 at 03:47 PM



“ 51 files added to the album Life Tributes



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BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - June 13, 2023 at 12:12 PM

DB

“ What a legacy she has left behind...we will never forget her welcoming my mom Ann Salvagni to Solvay Senior Apts ..proudly showing us her beautiful apt ..RIP Carm..say hi to my mom..lots of love to you Cathy and to her family as they celebrate her life...□

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Donna Blanchard - June 13, 2023 at 03:21 AM

DK

“ She was a great Lady. So sorry for your loss.

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Doug Keefe - June 12, 2023 at 07:58 PM

EK

“ *Rest in peace Mrs. Colelli*

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**Ed Kieszkowski** - June 12, 2023 at 04:19 PM



“ *My memory of Carm goes way back....I have a picture of her and Olga in my mind when they chaperoned our trip to a dude ranch ...we were in Sodality at the time...she was tough and funny and kind and caring....blessings to family and friends...Bev Armani*

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**Beverly Armani** - June 12, 2023 at 03:02 PM

ME

*Dave and Kathy our thoughts are with you at this difficult time. Although the loss never goes away it eases with time. You took such wonderful care of your Mom!  
Love Mel and Chris*

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**Melinda** - June 12, 2023 at 05:37 PM

DS

*Cathy, Dave and John,  
I will never forget the love and compassion your mom always showed my family and all of her friends. She looked out for so many in so many ways. She was a great lady and I will never forget her. Sending love and praying for peace for all of you.*

*Love you guys—Mike and Debbie*

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**Debbie Sierotnik** - June 13, 2023 at 01:03 PM