



JoAnn (Sansone) Williams

November 14, 1935 - May 2, 2021

JoAnn C. Williams, 85 of Syracuse, went home to be with the Lord Sunday May 2nd at Francis House with her family by her side. JoAnn was born in Syracuse, NY November 14, 1935 to the late Joseph and Josephine (Caruso) Sansone. She graduated from Convent School and CCBI in 1955 and was employed by Dr Hoople, Brewer and Stoner in her early years.

She married Mark L Williams June 15, 1957. Mark was President and owner of Medical Arts HomeCare where JoAnn later went to work for 35 years as VP of the family business. She and Mark retired in 2013. JoAnn was active with her church and an avid SU fan with season tickets for both basketball and football games for over 30 years. JoAnn loved to cook for holidays and was known for her sauce and meatballs for Sunday dinners.

JoAnn is predeceased by her daughter, Tracey and son, Mark, Jr, brother, R. Adm. Joseph Sansone, Jr., sister, Anna Sansone and grandson Steven A Leonard, Jr, and in-laws, Marta and Clifford Williams.

JoAnn is survived by her loving husband of 64 years, Mark; daughters, Wendy A. (Steven) Leonard and Leslie (George) Mueller. JoAnn has 6 grandchildren; Mark (Kate) Leonard, Daniel (Lori) Kunzinger, Brett (Chelsea) Leonard, Andrew Kunzinger and Elizabeth Mueller, granddaughter-in-law, BethAnne Leonard, and great grandchildren Abigail, Aubrey, Ariaiah, Wesley and Jaylin. JoAnn has a surviving sister, Stephanie (Randy) Lloyd and sister-in-law, Ann Sansone, all of Virginia and many nieces and nephews.

Family and friends may call from 4 to 6 pm on Thursday, May 6th at BAGOZZI

TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Ave. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 10:00 am Friday May 7th at Holy Family Church, Syracuse. Private burial will follow in Assumption Cemetery, Syracuse.

Facial coverings and distancing are required and NYS guidelines on gatherings will be observed.

In lieu of flowers, her family asks that a donation be made to Francis House, 108 Michaels Ave, Syracuse, NY 13208 in JoAnn's name.

Please share online tributes and memories at www.bagozzitwins.com.

Cemetery Details

Assumption Cemetery

2401 Court St.
Syracuse, NY 13208
(315) 454-3841

Previous Events

Calling Hours

MAY 6. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME
2601 Milton Avenue
Solvay, NY 13209
info@bagozzitwinsfh.com
<http://www.bagozzitwins.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

MAY 7. 10:00 AM (ET)

Holy Family Church
127 Chapel Dr.
Syracuse, NY 13219
(315) 488-3139

Tribute Wall



“ *JoAnn (Sansone) Williams*

January 21, 2023 at 02:11 PM



“ *Mark and the family, I'm so sorry for your loss of a wonderful woman of God, JoAnn. I remember her fondly from Believers Chapel as a lovely, kind and generous woman who would do anything for anyone. She will be missed. May the Lord give the family comfort and peace. JoAnn will be missed!*

AnnMarie August - October 03, 2021 at 03:47 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of JoAnn (Sansone) Williams.*



May 05, 2021 at 09:19 PM



“ *Dear Williams Family,
I am so sorry to hear about JoAnn's passing. My parents, Tony and Phil Bersani, loved her so much. They would share many wonderful stories about their trips, together with the Williams, cheering on the Orange. The kindness and generosity Mark and JoAnn showed to us all throughout the years will be cherished forever. I will always remember JoAnn's beautiful smile and the happiness she exuded. Thank you for your love and friendship, and may JoAnn rest in peace.*

Camille Donabella - May 05, 2021 at 02:32 PM



“ *Rest in Peace Convent girl. Sharon Leeret Williams '55*



Sharon Williams - May 05, 2021 at 12:45 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of JoAnn (Sansone) Williams.*



May 04, 2021 at 12:06 PM