



JOYCE (MOTT) TAROLLI

August 8, 1935 - February 4, 2026

Joyce Adrienne (Mott) Tarolli, 90, passed away peacefully at home on Wednesday, February 4, 2026. A lifetime resident of Syracuse, she was the daughter of the late Walter and Mary (Kawa) Mott. She was a communicant of the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and a member of its Rosary Society. Joyce graduated from Blodgett Vocational High School and worked as a secretary for General Electric/Martin Marietta. She retired from Lockheed Martin as an administrative assistant in the Ocean, Radar and Sensor Systems Department.

For many years she was a member of the company women's bowling and golf leagues. She was also a member and past president of the WaNoa Tuesday Morning Women's Golf League. In addition to her athletic endeavors, Joyce was a member of the Sweet Adelines International, singing with the Spirit of Syracuse Women's Chorus. She was a past member of many organizations including the Sacred Heart Seniors, the Geddes Seniors, the Polish Home, St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary, and the Pine Grove Athletic Club. Joyce also served as an election inspector for the town of Geddes. She also did volunteer work at St. Joseph's Hospital and ECHO Meals on Wheels. Joyce enjoyed reading, music, sports, and travel.

Joyce is predeceased by her daughter, Michelle Tarolli Nicaise; brother, John "Sonny" Mott and former husband, Richard P. Tarolli.

She is survived by her children; Cynthia Tarolli of Onondaga Hill, Paul Tarolli of Westvale, and Mark Tarolli of Westvale; sister, Lorraine (Ray) Southworth of

Camillus, and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Her family would like to express their gratitude to her Hospice nurses, Erin and Naomi, for their care and compassion.

Family and friends may call from 4:00 – 6:00 PM Monday, February 9, 2026 at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Avenue, Solvay. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 9:30 AM on Tuesday, February 10, 2026 at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, 927 Park Ave., Syracuse 13204. Joyce will be laid to rest in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Lakeland.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Joyce's memory to the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, American Red Cross, Food Bank of CNY, or the Humane Society.

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

Cemetery Details

Sacred Heart Cemetery-Lakeland

Corner of Lawrence and Beach Roads
Lakeland, NY

Previous Events

Calling Hours

FEB **9**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME
2601 Milton Avenue
Solvay, NY 13209
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Mass of Christian Burial

FEB **10**. 9:30 AM (ET)

Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
927 Park Ave.
Syracuse, NY 13204

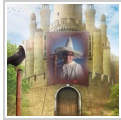
Tribute Wall



“ *Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of JOYCE (MOTT) TAROLLI*



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I love you Mom

Mark Tarolli - February 06 at 08:07 PM

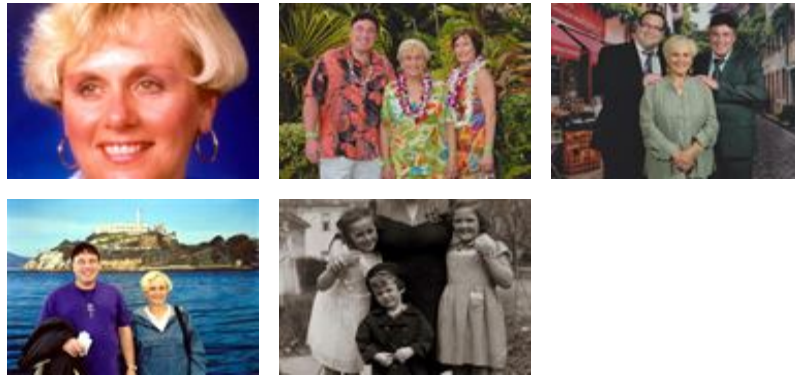
KA

I've known Joyce for years being lifelong friends with Cindy and being around the family. Joyce was always welcoming and I loved being there. She had a wonderful sense of humor and I can still hear her laugh. Joyce was definitely the "COOL" Mom and embraced Cindy's friends. Prayers and Condolences to the family❤️.

Kathleen Adams - February 07 at 01:30 PM



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“ I worked with Joyce at GE Court Street, years ago. She was always professional yet personable. It was a difficult time at GE but she kept us focused on the job to be done. After working with her for awhile, I came to see her intelligence, sharp wit and "genuineness". She became one of my favorite people there, which was probably more due to my growth than anything else. I missed working with her after I left and miss her again now that I see she has moved on.

Marty DiStasio - February 08 at 10:54 AM



Cindy,
I was so sorry to learn of your Mom's passing. I will keep her, you & your family in my prayers. God Bless all of you ❤️❤️❤️

Chuck Barry - February 12 at 02:53 AM

VJ

*Cindy,
What a very nice obituary. Enjoyed watching the video . You look so much like your mom. Just dark hair. No matter how long they live . It's hard losing them. Your a good daughter remember you were there for her trough it all with love. Prayers for your family.*

Viola

Viola Johnson - February 24 at 11:35 PM

JD

“ *Such wonderful pictures of a beautiful, vibrant woman! May the joyful memories of the time you've spent with your mom, Joyce, be in your hearts forever. My deepest condolences for your loss.*

Jacqueline DeJohn

Jacqueline DeJohn - February 07 at 03:25 PM

CT

Thank you for the beautiful words that you've said. It means so much to me and my family. Cindy .

Cynthia Tarolli Tarolli - February 07 at 09:53 PM



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