



MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH

July 25, 1932 - March 6, 2025

Marion Smith, 92, of Fairmount, NY, passed away peacefully on March 6, 2025. Born on July 25, 1932, Marion lived a life filled with love and devotion to her family and friends. For 72 years, she was the beloved wife of Roy "Jack" Smith, with whom she built a life centered on faith, love, family, and tradition. Together, they proudly raised their three children, John (Chris Winahradsky) Smith, of Clay, NY, Timothy (Sandy) Smith, of Camillus NY, and Laurie Houde (David Siracusa), of Camillus, NY. They also raised from a young age Marion's sister, Kathy. Marion had a passion for crafting and was well known for her beautiful hand-knit sweaters, blankets, hats, and mittens. For many years, she had a booth at the Jordan Fall Festival, where she shared her work and enjoyed meeting other local artists. She also had a love for puzzles, completing intricate 1,000-piece designs well into her later years, and enjoyed working on diamond art projects.

Marion is survived by her devoted husband, Jack; her three children; her sister, Kathy Pharis; her grandchildren, Jed Smith, Travis (Nina) Smith, Daniel (Gretchen VanSlyke) Paquette, Cory (Renee) Smith, Sarah (Matthew) Schlegel, Stephanie (Wade) Malicky, Olivia (Matthew) Nabinger, Salvatore Siracusa, and William Laurie; her longtime friend, Michelle Laure; ten great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her parents, William and Dorothy (Coon) Kennedy; sisters, Marge (Mauris) Cometti and Audrey (Bill) Contegni, as well as her daughter-in-law, Colleen Smith.

Marion's life was a testament to kindness, creativity, and dedication to her family. Her legacy will live on through the many lives she touched, the warmth of her handmade creations, and the cherished memories shared by those who loved her.

Family and friends may call from 4pm - 7pm Tuesday March 11, 2025 at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Ave, Solvay. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 10:00 am Wednesday March 12, 2025 at Holy Family Church, 127 Chapel Dr, Syracuse 13219. She will be laid to rest in Belle Isle Cemetery, Camillus.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Marion's name to Holy Family Church.

Please share online tributes and memories at bagozzitwins.com.

Cemetery Details

Belle Isle Cemetery

Armstrong Rd.
Syracuse, NY

Previous Events

Calling Hours

MAR 11. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 12. 10:00 AM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



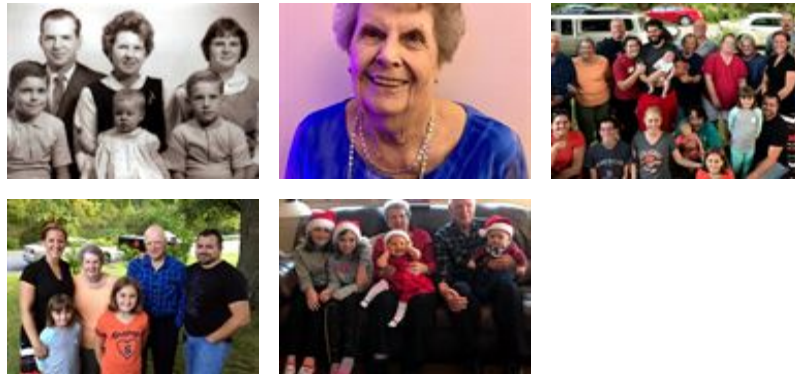
“ *Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH*



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - March 11, 2025 at 09:19 AM



“ *31 files added to the album Life Tributes*



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - March 10, 2025 at 11:45 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.*



March 10, 2025 at 09:20 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.

March 10, 2025 at 09:20 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.



March 10, 2025 at 09:16 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.

March 10, 2025 at 09:16 AM



“ Syracuse Builders Exchange Staff purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.



Syracuse Builders Exchange Staff - March 10, 2025 at 08:35 AM



“ Syracuse Builders Exchange Staff planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.

Syracuse Builders Exchange Staff - March 10, 2025 at 08:35 AM

WF

“ With love, The Heater Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.



With love, The Heater Family - March 09, 2025 at 11:56 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.



March 09, 2025 at 10:13 AM

EM

“ Deb and I met Marion, Roy and Sal at the Holy Family Church 4PM Mass on a Saturday a few years ago. They became a special part of our weekly Mass! Rest in Peace Marion Smith, we will miss you!
Deb and Ed McCsrthy

Ed McCarthy - March 09, 2025 at 06:14 AM

LS

“ Love Susan purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.



Love Susan - March 08, 2025 at 10:25 AM

SF

“ I recently moved to this area in September. I had the privilege of meeting Mr And Mrs Smith one afternoon while I was walking my dog. From that moment on, it was as if we are old friends. Then one day, Mrs. Smith asked me to join them on a Saturday morning for coffee. This led to multiple visits for coffee and goodies. When telling them about who I am, I of course, was bragging about my granddaughter. A few days later, she called me and asked if I would stop by as she had made my granddaughter a sweater. The thoughtfulness was very overwhelming. it gave me great pleasure to tell her that it is my granddaughter’s favorite sweater as she loves to wear it all the time. I am grateful to God for putting me in this area to have met such wonderful people. Our world lost a beautiful soul and heaven gained one until we meet again Mrs. Smith, thank you for your friendship with all my love.

Stephanie Fortino - March 08, 2025 at 08:32 AM

PS

“ Pennue and Kevin Stacy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.



Pennue and Kevin Stacy - March 08, 2025 at 05:50 AM

PS

“ Pennue and Kevin Stacy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of MARION (KENNEDY) SMITH.

Pennue and Kevin Stacy - March 08, 2025 at 05:50 AM

BA

“ Another beautiful soul in our family is gone...I always loved running into Marion at Family gatherings...and at craft shows....she was a talented and wonderful woman...sending thoughts of comfort, strength and peace. *Bev Armani*

Beverly Armani - March 08, 2025 at 12:28 AM

CS

“ Condolence to Marion's family and friends. What wonderful lady. I had Crunch sweaters for family members, and they were a hit at the games. Marion was very talented. Rest in peace now, you earned it.

Christine Panelati-Sandness

Christine Sandness - March 07, 2025 at 05:15 PM