

## Gloucester City News Obituaries September 2018

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### **Shirley M. (Hart) Prepsel (nee Powell) (Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>)**

of Bellmawr, formerly of Gloucester City, age 77.

Predeceased by her beloved husband, Francis C. Prepsel, Sr. Beloved Mother to son, Joseph Hart and daughter, Denise Hart-Mazur (Mark). Loving Mimi to Louis (Kylie) and James Hart, Jeremy, Douglas and Jillian Mazur. Loving Step-mother to Frank Jr. (Dawn), Scott (Sara) and the late James Prepsel (Nancy). Step-grandchildren Samantha, Tatiana and Tyler. Survived by her first husband Dennis Hart. She is the daughter of the late Norman Powell and Eva M. (Powell) Shuster (nee Alber), and Step-father George Shuster. Loving sister to the late Gordon (Jake) Powell (Linda). Step-sister to Margaret Premone (Vince) and the late Ruthanne Tash. Aunt, Great-Aunt and Great-Great Aunt to many nieces and nephews.

On August 26, 2018, with her Family by her side, Shirley peacefully succumbed to her battle with lung disease. Shirley was born and raised in Gloucester City. She was in Gloucester City High School Class of 1958. Shirley raised her children in Gloucester and was truly a Proud Gloucester resident. She was one of the "old neighborhood" moms, becoming a 2<sup>nd</sup> mom to many of the neighborhood kids. Shirley was one of the first members of Gloucester City's Town Watch program in the 1980's. In her later years, she became very interested in genealogy.

Shirley was well known throughout her community as an employee/Pharmacy tech at Thrift Drugs/Eckerd/Rite-Aid, in Brooklawn for over 30yrs, where she took great pleasure in serving her customers, many of which became her friends. Shirley had enormous love and devotion to her family and friends. Her grandchildren became her greatest loves. She easily made people part of her family. She had a very giving heart and spirit, as she was always ready to help anyone whom needed her. She was well known for her free spirit and "crazy" personality. She was truly one of a kind. ♥♥ Her funeral services are private as per her request. She requested that in lieu of flowers to please donate to a local food bank or animal shelter in her name. Memories and condolences may be sent to the family at [www.etheringtonfh.com](http://www.etheringtonfh.com).

### **THOMAS J. TEDESCO SR. (Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>)**

Funeral services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Thomas J. Tedesco Sr., 75, Of Gloucester City, Gandy's Beach and Big Pine Key, Florida who passed away peacefully at his son Tom's home on August 30, 2018.

Predeceased by his wife of over 25 years Susan (Perovich) Tedesco and his parents Joseph and Marie (Klaus) Tedesco. Survived by his three loving children Thomas Tedesco Jr., Michelle (Ken) Festa and Timothy (Donna) Tedesco. Six grandchildren Susan (Eric) Brooks, John (Emily) Tedesco, Anne Marie Tedesco, Samuel Festa, Isabella Festa and Michael Tedesco and one great-grandchild Dempsey Styan. His sister Marie Cole-Wiener (late Jim) and his brother Joseph (Peg) Tedesco Jr. Brother in law to Fran Thomas (late Gord), Theresa Stimelski (late Bob) and Mary Perovich (late Peter). Several cousins, nephews, nieces and many, many friends in his hometown, beach house and Big Pine Key.

Tom proudly served his country in the U.S. Army and was an avid outdoorsman with many favorite hunting and fishing spots. He retired from Local 393 Carpenter's Union after more than 30 years.

Interment with Military Honors in New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

He will be greatly missed. Tight Lines Dad!

In lieu of flowers donation to [Hooksforheroes.org](https://www.holyredeemer.com/Main/Donate-Now.aspx) or <https://www.holyredeemer.com/Main/Donate-Now.aspx>  
Please note the donation in memory of Thomas J. Tedesco, Sr.

***GEORGE J. "BUD" CRISPIN, JR. (Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>)***

Private services were held for George J. "Bud" Crispin, Jr., 95, of Glendora who passed away on August 28, 2018.

Beloved husband of Helen (nee Dickson) for 72 years. Devoted father of George J. Crispin, III (Maryann), Gary Crispin, Sr. (the late Edith), David Crispin, Sr. (Kathleen) and the late Carol Crispin. Loving Pop Pop of eight and great grandfather of 16. Dear brother of Anna Helen Gable (the late Bill) and the late Mary Mullen. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Bud proudly served in the U.S. Marine Corp during WWII. He was a member of Runnemedede VFW Post #3324, the American Legion and the Masons. Bud retired from Samuel Langston Co. after 45 years.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Larc School, 1089 Creek Rd., Bellmawr, NJ 08031.

***NORMA L. LAMBERT (Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Brooklawn United Methodist Church for Norma L. Lambert (nee Sharp), 91, of Bellmawr who passed away on August 30, 2018.

Beloved wife of the late Frederick R. Lambert, Jr. Devoted mother of Linda Jalio (Rudy), Donna Emma (Vincent), Sandra Ryan, Fred Lambert (Sharon) and mother-in-law of Paul Ryan. Loving grandmom of Steven, Patrick (Jamie), Colleen (Mike) and Valarie (Joe) and great grandmom of Maverick, Cruise, Tyler and Audrey. Also survived by nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Lambert was a member of Bellmawr Senior Citizens and Ladies Auxiliary VFW Post #9563. She was a former Girl Scout Leader of Troop 326.

There will be a viewing from 9:30 to 11am Wednesday

Interment Eglington Cemetery, Clarksboro.

Family requests in lieu of flowers, donations to Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, 1719 Route 10, Suite 229, Parsippany, NJ 07054.

***KAREN ANN SAVARESE (Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemedede for Karen Ann Savarese (nee Skrabonja), 66, of W. Wildwood; formerly of Bellmawr who passed away on August 29, 2018.

Beloved wife of 44 years to Stan. Devoted mother of Lee J. and Kelly M. Loving grandmother of Joseph. Dear sister of Edward and his wife Elizabeth. Aunt of Gregory, Kirsten, and Daniel. Niece of Sally Fisher. Cousin of Debbie, Suzanne, and Ginny. Also survived by many loving friends.

Funeral service 3:30pm at the funeral home.

Interment private at the request of the family.

***GERALDINE GUGLIELMELLI (Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Mahaffey-Milano Funeral Home, 11 E. Kings Highway, Mt. Ephraim for Geraldine Guglielmelli (nee Traviglia), 92, of Audubon who passed peacefully on August 26, 2018.

Beloved Wife of the late Albert Guglielmelli. Devoted Mother of Denise (Jerry)Green. Loving Grandmother of Jerry, Michael (Kristen), Daniel (Jackie), & Ryan. Loving Great Grandmother of Audriana, Olivia, & Michael.

Entombment Calvary Mausoleum, Cherry Hill.

In lieu of flowers donations to the St. Judes Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis TN 38105-9959 in Geraldine's memory.

***ALBERT EDWARD DAWSON III (Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>)***

Services will be announced at a later date for Albert Edward Dawson III, 83, of Westville who passed in peace early on August 27, 2018. He was surrounded by his immediate family at Inspira Medical Center, Woodbury.

He was lovingly known as "Al" or "Lucky." Al was born October 4, 1934 in Camden, NJ to parents, Albert E. Dawson, Jr. and Lola Dawson (nee Crawford). He attended Clayton High School. In November of 1970, he married Nadine Dawson (nee Depka). Over the years they resided in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Arizona then settled back in Westville New Jersey in 1986, with their daughter Diana. Al loved the outdoors and especially crabbing, fishing and river tubing. He enjoyed making people laugh and wouldn't hesitate to help anyone; he truly had a heart of gold. He was a man of all trades, there wasn't anything he wouldn't try to fix or do.

He is survived by his loving wife, Nadine Dawson (nee Depka) and Daughter, Diana Dawson, both of Westville, sons by former spouse; Bruce Dawson Sr. and Richard Dawson of Bridgeton. Preceded in death by his son, Michael Dawson. He is further survived by his grandchildren Bruce Dawson Jr., James Dawson, Angelina DiBello, Amanda Dawson, Ashley Dawson, in addition to 10 great grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren.

***CAORLYN A. ANTANUK (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Graveside services were held at St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr for Carolyn A. Antanuk, 77, of Blackwood who passed away on September 4, 2018.

Born Aug. 8, 1941 to Charlotte (nee Duda) and Paul P. Pulaski in Mt. Carmel, PA. She moved from Coal Country to Bellmawr Park and she quit high school to babysit her two younger brothers, James and Robert, so her parents could work. Carolyn had three brothers, Paul, who was older, James who died on October 5, 1965 and Robert died December 2, 2014.

She was married on her 18<sup>th</sup> birthday to William Greenlee, who died at age 37 in 1974. They had no children. She had many jobs in her life, but she talked about working at the old Robert Hall in Bellmawr. She met the love of her life, Anton on New Year's Eve 1980. They married on May 14, 1983 and they never parted. Carolyn was very meticulous about appearance and home. She loved making bows for presents and Anton helped her with many projects.

Many thanks to the various nurse and doctors at Jefferson Stratford and the "gang" at Laurel Manor for making her comfortable.

In lieu of flowers, donations to St. Jude Shrine, 512 W. Saratoga St, Baltimore, MD 21201.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

***ALICE D. BAINES (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Catholic graveside services were held at Locustwood Memorial Park, Cherry Hill for Alice D. Baines, 84, of Cherry Hill who passed away on August 20, 2018.

Formerly of Maple Shade. Daughter of the late James and Ann Baines. Alice retired as a school teacher from Cinnaminson H.S.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

***BERNICE BRILEY (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Bernice Virginia Briley, 88, of Gloucester City, formerly of Philadelphia who passed away on September 5, 2018. Our beloved mother Bernie passed away quietly with her loved ones by her side at the age of 88.

She could often be seen at the bowling alley as it was her passion in life and she bowled up to the age of 85. Bernie was a widower for 31 years, married to the late Gordon Briley for 39 years.

She is survived by her four daughters, Bernice Esposito (Nick), Patricia Bloom, Kathleen Buri (John), Jacqueline Lentz (Ken), seven granddaughters and 12 great grandchildren.

At her request no service will be held as she wanted no tears cried over her. Rest in Peace. See you later Maudie!

***JOHN W. ERSKINE SR. (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for John W. Erskine, Sr., "Jack", 94, of Grenloch who passed away on September 3, 2018.

Beloved husband of the late Phebe E. (nee Taylor). Devoted father of Linda Brogley and John "Jack" Erskine, Jr. (Sheryl). Loving grandfather of Jack, Colleen, Steve Jr., Ryan, Shanna, and Brianna; great grandfather of Brittney, Jacob, Taylor, Steven, Anthony, and Cody; and great great grandfather of Xara. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Interment private at the request of the family.

***ARLENE J. HORTON (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Memorial services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Arlene J. Horton (nee Ashmen), 65, of Mount Ephraim; formerly of Atco who passed away on August 22, 2018.

Beloved daughter of the late George and Thelma (nee Straub). Devoted sister of Daniel Ashmen, Peter Ashmen, Richard Ashmen, Patrick Ashmen, Sharon Hannan, Timothy Dwyer, Jeff Ashmen, Debbie Kelly, Diane Pumphrey, Iris Chase, and the late George Ashmen, Jr. Also survived by many dear nieces, nephews, and friends.

Arlene worked for Hillman's Bus Service for 30+ years. She loved animals, especially her dog Ike. Arlene also loved shopping and most of all, spending time with her family.

Inurnment Harleigh Cemetery, Camden.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the family.

***ELIZABETH M. RIVELL (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Memorial services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Elizabeth M. Rivell (nee Miller), 77, of Sewell and Glendora who passed away on September 8, 2018.

Beloved wife of Harry for 54 years. Devoted mother of Harry (Dawn) and Bob (the late Carmella). Loving grandmother of Gabrielle, Harry, Rachel and Hailey. Dear sister of Roseann Hiembacker, Cass Bowen (Fred), Robert Miller (Linda) and the late Dorothy Larkins (the late William). Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Betty was a longtime member of Trinity Lutheran Church. She loved flowers and gardening. Betty took pride in decorating her house. She especially loved spending time with her family.

Inurnment at Gloucester County Veterans Cemetery, 240 S Tuckahoe Rd, Williamstown, NJ 08094.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Trinity Lutheran Church, 200 E. Clements Bridge Road, Runnemede, NJ 08078.

***NINA J. BROWN (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services will be held Friday, September 14 at 10:30 a.m. at Mahaffey-Milano Funeral Home, 11 E. Kings Highway, Mt. Ephraim for Nina J. Brown, 78, of Blackwood who passed away peacefully on September 6, 2018.

Devoted Mother of Robert Priest (Kathleen), Christopher Priest (Tina). Loving Grandmother of Chelsea, Kasey, Skyler, Jake, & Christopher. Loving Great Grandmother of Emily. Dear Sister of the late Carol Fowler.

Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend her viewing Friday, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the funeral home

***RUBY A. GEHRET-JUNGBLUT (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Frist Baptist Church, Gloucester City for Ruby A. Gehret-Jungblut, (nee Joslin), 92, of Merchantville who passed away on August 29, 2018.

Predeceased by her loving and longtime husband, Erwin H. Gehret and subsequently by her equally loving husband, Edward Jungblut. Loving mother of Richard E. Gehret, Esq. (late Harriet) of Vincentown and three caring step-children: Deborah D' Agostino (Tony) of Marlton, Nancy Marter (Robert) of Delran and Mark Jungblut (Dawn) of Easton, PA. Beloved sister of the late Elmira Banský. Grandmother of T.J. Gehret of Marlton. Dear Cousin Kay Parvin of Florida. Loving aunt of Barbara Banský Rommelman of Audubon and Ronald Banský of NC. Survived by numerous grand and great-grand nieces and nephews. Also survived by her wonderful and compassionate home health aide, Sheila Dillard, to whom she will be eternally grateful.

Ruby was a longtime member of the Grace Baptist Church in East Camden and the member of the Woman's Club of Merchantville / Pennsauken.

Interment Lakeview Memorial Park, Cinnaminson.

Family respectfully requests in lieu of flowers, donations to the First Baptist Church of Gloucester City: P.O. Box 47, Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

***LORETTA A. MCNULTY (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Loretta A. McNulty (nee Ackroyd), 97, of Woodbury, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on September 6, 2018.

Widow for almost 58 years of Thomas J. McNulty, with whom she is now reunited. Loving mother to Thomas J. McNulty, Jr. (Wendy) and Loretta M. Kelly (Frank). Proud grandmother of Thomas McNulty Kelly (Chris Lattanzio), Susie Kelly Krone (David), Thomas J. (TJ) McNulty III, Colleen McNulty and Mary McNulty.

"The Nurse" was the beloved and respected school nurse at Gloucester High School for many years and touched the lives of many students and faculty members. She had a quick wit and was a warm and loyal friend to many. At 97, she still had her sense of humor and an endless supply of spunk. She will be missed.

Loretta was predeceased by her parents, James and Elizabeth Ackroyd, and by her sister Mary Ackroyd and her brothers Joseph L. Ackroyd and James E. Ackroyd, Jr.

Interment New Saint Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations to be made to St. Mary's R.C. Church, 426 Monmouth St., Gloucester City, NJ 08030. Please write in memo: Loretta A. McNulty.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

***LINDA L. MURPHY (Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>)***

Private services were held for Linda L. Murphy, 64, of Deptford, formerly Atco who passed away on September 7, 2018.

Born in Camden, she was the daughter of the late Benjamin F. and Anna Mae Wade. Linda is survived by her loving son, Mark Hodges, granddaughter, Jessica Hodges and great-grandchildren, Vincent and Josiah.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

***CATHERINE M. SOMERS (Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Catherine M. Somers (nee Moore), 74, of Bellmawr; formerly of Baltimore who passed away on September 14, 2018.

Beloved wife of the late Joseph A. Somers. Devoted mother of Joseph I. Somers, Shirley A. Smyrl (William), Carol L. Keaveney (John, Jr.), Paul B. Somers (Clara) and Steven W. Somers. Loving grandmom of ten and great grandmom of seven. Dear sister of Barbara Dector (Michael). Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Interment Locustwood Memorial Park, Cherry Hill.

***JOSEPH W. KESSLER (Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>)***

Memorial services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Joseph W. Kessler, 94, of Runnemede who passed away on September 11, 2018.

Beloved husband of Irene (nee Piersanti). Loving father of Brian Kessler. Dear grandfather of Brian, Michael, Zachary and Lindsey and great grandfather of Christian and Michael. Uncle of Charlotte, Diane and Cleo. Good friend of Carol.

Mr. Kessler was in the Fifth Marine Division at the Battle of Iwo Jima. He was a Runnemede Police Officer for 27 years, serving as Police Chief for 20 years. He was Past President of the Camden County Police Chiefs Association. He was a member of the Runnemede Senior Citizens.

Mr. Kessler worked for Ruoff & Sons for seven years. He was a former Little League assistant baseball coach for the Runnemede Lions.

Interment private.

Family requests in lieu of flowers, donations to Alzheimer's Assoc., 3 Eves Dr., Suite 310, Marlton, NJ 08053.

***SHARON JEAN FETTERS (Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>)***

Private funeral services were held for Sharon Jean Fetters, 71, (nee Pousson), of Bellmawr who passed away on September 17, 2018.

Beloved wife of the late Joseph W. Fetters. Survived by her son, Brian M. Fetters (Nicole); grandchildren Cynthia Schultz (Tom) and Courtney Fetters; great-granddaughter Penelope Schultz; siblings, Carol Pousson (Gene), Sheila Daughtry (Jack), Maureen Morgan (Rick), Tony Pousson (Trudi) and Kevin Pousson (Rita). Predeceased by her son, Scott Fetters and her brother, Jeffrey Pousson. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Sharon was a longtime resident of Bellmawr. She was a longtime member and devoted volunteer of Trinity Lutheran Church in Runnemede.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

***JESSICA F. SNYDER (Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>)***

Memorial Services will be celebrated at 10 a.m, September 22 at the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Jessica F. Snyder, 45, of Gloucester City who passed away on September 12, 2018.

Born in Philadelphia, she was the daughter of James W. Snyder, Sr. (Diana) and the late Frances Joann (Ridel) Snyder. Jessica is survived by her loving children, Jessica Mendez, Robert Mendez, Rachel Perez, Dominic Snyder and Madisson Gray; grandchildren, Ava Martinez and Riley Mendez. She is also survived by her brother, James W. Snyder, Jr.

Family and friends are invited from 9 to 10 a.m. at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Jessica Mendez, PO Box 358, Gloucester City, NJ 08030 to help support the young children.

***GAETANO DIPASCALE (Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral Mass was held at St. Joachim Parish, Bellmawr for Gaetano "Gaet" DiPascale, 71, of Bellmawr who passed away on September 10, 2018.

Beloved husband of 49 years to Margaret (nee Riehl). Devoted father of Anthony (Amanda) and Nicole Tighe (Richard). Loving grandfather of Ryan, Caitlin, and Gavin. Dear brother of Robert (Deborah), Stephen (Christine), and Susanne (Joseph) and brother-in-law of Barbara & Jack Robinson, Francis Riehl, and Joanne Riehl. Devoted son of Frances (nee Caruso) and the late Angelo J. DiPascale. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Gaet was the owner of DiPascale's Custom Slipcovers of Bellmawr for many years. During his retirement he worked for Meadowbrook Food Center. He was a member of the Blueberry Hill Hunting Club and was a Bellmawr Little League coach for many years.

Entombment Calvary Mausoleum, Cherry Hill.

In lieu of flowers, donation to the Foundation for Prader-Willi Research at <http://www.fpwr.org>.

Funeral services were entrusted to Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

***MARY LOUISE MURRAY (Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Mary Louise Murray, 88, of Runnemede, formerly of Philadelphia who passed away on September 10, 2018.

Loving mother of Kathryn Tanguay (Donald) and Joseph Raday (Donna). Dear grandmother of Christopher and Kati Tanguay and Amanda, Sean and Danielle Raday and great grandmother of Scarlett Tanguay.

Mary Lou worked as an administrative assistant at First PA Bank and Chemical Bank. She also worked as a secretary and clerk at Nazareth Hospital.

Mary Lou enjoyed spending time with family and friends.

Inurnment. Joseph's Cemetery, Chews Landing.

***COLLEEN M. BOYER (Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>)***

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Colleen M. Boyer, 57, (nee McDonald), of Pine Hill, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on September 19, 2018.

Survived by her daughters, Christina (Nicholas) Rossi and Kimberly Renee Boyer; granddaughters Alanna Rae and Kylie Jade Rossi; brothers, John McDonald (Joanne), Kevin McDonald (Krista) and Brian McDonald; and many loving nieces, nephews and cousins.

Colleen was a fun, loving mother who adored her children and grandchildren. She had a strong love for cheering on her favorite football teams, Notre Dame and the Green Bay Packers. She was a great sister who was there when you needed her and remained strong in the toughest times. When she fought, she fought hard!

Interment private.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

***RICHARD A. COLAIANNI SR. (Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>)***

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Our Lady of Hope, Blackwood for Richard A. Colaianni, Sr., 71, of Blackwood who passed away on September 18, 2018.



Loving husband of 21 years to the late Carol Colaianni (nee Eleotorio). Beloved father of Richard Colaianni, Jr. and Christopher Colaianni (Allison). Cherished grandfather of Isabella and Leah. Predeceased by his parents, Eugene Colaianni and Helen (nee Sarico) and his step-father William Brinn.

Rich proudly served our country in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Vietnam War. He was the owner and operator of Golden Age Jewelers on Jewelers Row in Philadelphia for 16 years and Wright Jewelers in West Chester, PA. Entombment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or to CHOP Foundation, PO Box 781352, Philadelphia, PA 19178. Please memo: Richard A. Colaianni, Sr.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

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Beloved wife of the late Joseph W. Fetters. Survived by her son, Brian M. Fetters (Nicole); grandchildren Cynthia Schultz (Tom) and Courtney Fetters; great-granddaughter Penelope Schultz; siblings, Carol Pousson (Gene), Sheila Daughtry (Jack), Maureen Morgan (Rick), Tony Pousson (Trudi) and Kevin Pousson (Rita). Predeceased by her son, Scott Fetters and her brother, Jeffrey Pousson. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Sharon was a longtime resident of Bellmawr. She was a longtime member and devoted volunteer of Trinity Lutheran Church in Runnemede.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

***LAWRENCE B. BROCKOWIAK (Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Lawrence B. Frockowiak, 68, of Runnemede; formerly of Fairview who passed away on September 17, 2018.

Beloved husband of 45 years to Diane (nee Thatcher). Devoted father of Larry (Jackie), Jill Stawisuck (Steve), and Justin (Angela). Loving grandfather of Cori, Brynn, Kasey, Danny, Emma, Zoe, and Jackson. Dear brother of Susan Duffy (Michael), Mary Lou Lang (Jack), Steven Frockowiak (Marion) and the late Frances and Thomas. Also survived by many nieces, nephews, brothers-in-law, and sisters-in-law, as well as his faithful grand dogs, Fiona and Max.

Lawrence retired from Local 1823. He proudly served with the US Army during Vietnam.

Interment private at the request of the family.

Donations to the American Lung Association, 120 Hosford Street, Suite 101, Hudson, WI 54016-9306.

***JAMES F. "NEWK" NEWCOME (Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>)***

Mass of Christian Burial will be held September 27, 10:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for James F. "Newk" Newcome, 69, of Brooklawn who passed away on September 22, 2018.

Born in Audubon, he was the son of the late John C. Newcome, Sr. and Hannah (Johnson) Newcome. Loving and devoted husband of 44 years to Patricia A. Newcome (nee Waldron). Loving father of James Newcome (Rachael) and Joseph Newcome (Jennifer). Cherished grandfather of Taylor, Alexander, Elizabeth, Colyn, Benjamyn and Loryen. Beloved brother of Juliann Koenig (Fred). Predeceased by his siblings, John Newcome, Dorothy Franceschini and Joseph Newcome. Also survived by his sister in law, Diane Newcome and many nieces and nephews.

James proudly served his country during the Vietnam War in the U.S. Marine Corp. He was employed by PSE&G as a welder for 25 years in Salem, NJ having retired in 2005. He was a member of the IBEW Local 94. Newk was a member of the VFW Post # 3620 in Gloucester City and he coached the Gloucester City Mustangs for many years. Relatives and friends are invited to his viewing on Wednesday evening from 6-8 p.m. and again on Thursday morning from 9 to 10 a.m. at the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City. Interment private in Brig Gen. Doyle Veteran's Cemetery, Arnetytown.

In lieu of flowers, donations to PKD Foundation, 1001 East 101 Terrace, Suite 220, Kansas City, MO 64131, or to the NJ Sharing Network, 691 Central Ave., New Providence, NJ 07974.

### ***EDYTHE JANE RYAN (Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>)***

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Thomas Moore Church, 1439 Springdale Road, Cherry Hill on Thursday, September 27, 11:30 a.m. for Edythe Jane Ryan, 80, (nee Gindhart), of Cherry Hill and Margate City who surrounded by her loving family, passed away on September 20, 2018.

The Matriarch of the Ryan Family, Edythe was a loving and devoted wife of 61 years to Joseph J. Ryan. Loving mother of John Ryan (Carol), the late Joseph Ryan, Timothy Ryan (Diane), Carol Ryan Miskiewicz (Ron), Susan Ryan Hoerter (Andrew), J.P. Ryan, Michael Ryan (Melissa) and Jennifer Ryan Godofsky (Mark). Cherished Memom of John (Kerri), Andrew, Joseph, Victoria, Ashley, Shannon, Amanda, Jessica (Warren), Alexis, Isabella, Nicholas, Sean and Monique and great-grandmom of Ally, Chase, Drew, Jack and Parker. Predeceased by her parents, James and Edythe Gindhart and her brothers, James Jr. and William Gindhart.

Edythe was a faithful, devoted parishioner of St. Thomas More Church in Cherry Hill and Most Blessed Sacrament in Margate. She was the past president of the Women's Realtors of SJ and Bishop Eustace Mother's Club. Relatives and friends are invited to her visitation on Thursday, 9:30-11:15 a.m. at the Church.

Entombment will be private in Holy Cross Cemetery Mausoleum, Mays Landing.

In lieu of flowers, donations to St. Thomas More Church or to the St. Vincent DePaul Society at the above church address. Please memo: Edythe J. Ryan.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

### ***ELIZABETH M. STURGIS (Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>)***

Catholic funeral services will be held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City on September 29, 11 a.m. for Elizabeth M. Sturgis, 63, of Westville who passed away on September 20, 2018.

Loving mother of George W. Parkin, IV (Megan). Cherished grandmother of Amber and Sydney Parkin. Beloved daughter of Elizabeth O. Sturgis (nee Bronsky) and the late George H. Sturgis, Jr. Beloved sister of Diane Wieland (Paul), Margie Runquist (Jeff), Daniel Sturgis (Carol) and George H. Sturgis, III (Michelle). Also survived by 2 nieces and 1 nephew. Predeceased by her many beloved pets.

Beth was a graduate of Gateway High School class of 1973. She received her bachelor's degree from Rutgers Camden and worked as a Registered Nurse for over 40 years at Underwood Memorial Hospital, Salem Memorial Hospital and most notably, The HollyDELL School in Sewell.

Relatives and friends are invited to her visitation on Saturday, 9:30-11 a.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be private in New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations to The HollyDELL School, 610 Hollydell Drive, Sewell, NJ 08080.

***THERESA G. MCKENNA (Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Mahaffey-Milano Funeral Home, 11 E. Kings Highway, Mt. Ephraim for Theresa G. McKenna (nee Romantini), 76, of Mt. Ephraim who passed away on September 18, 2018.

Beloved Wife of John B. McKenna. Dearest Sister in law of Maryann (late Jack) Maloney, Michael (Marie) McKenna, Theresa McKenna (Fred). Also many Nieces, Nephews, & Cousins.

***CHARLES "CHUCKIE" DEVITA JR. (Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>)***

Funeral services were held at Mahaffey-Milano Funeral Home, 11 E. Kings Highway, Mt. Ephraim for Charles "Chuckie" DeVita Jr., 26, of Brooklawn, formerly of Mt. Ephraim who passed away suddenly on September 20, 2018.

Beloved Husband of Pamela M. (nee Wilborne) DeVita. Amazing Daddy of Vinny DeVita. Beloved Son of Tina & John Meeser. Beloved Son in Law of Donna Schipp & the late Darrin Wilborne. Dearest Grandson of Eugene & Arlene Morrell. Also survived by Aunts, Uncles, Cousins, & many other special friends which are family. Interment private.

In lieu of flowers donations to the Vinny DeVita College Fund, c/o TD Bank, 6 Grove Street, Cherry Hill, N.J. 08002 in Chuckie's memory.