



Patricia A. Canavan

May 21, 1950 - July 12, 2021

Patricia (Friel) Canavan, 71, of Keansburg, NJ, died Monday, July 12, 2021, at home.

Patricia was a long-time resident of Keansburg, where she volunteered for many years at St. Ann's School and Church. She could often be found with a camera hanging around her neck shooting school and parish events.

Patricia was predeceased by her husband, James Canavan, her parents, John and Sarah Friel, her stepmother, Helen Friel, her brother John Joseph Friel, Jr., and her sister Mary Ann Borgersen.

Surviving are her daughter & son-in-law Kim & David Saxe of Middletown, daughter Tricia Canavan of Riverdale, daughter & son-in-law Jaime & Alex Dinkel of Browns Mills, granddaughter Erin Saxe, brother and sister-in-law, John and Judith Friel of Old Bridge, several brothers- and sisters-in-law and many nieces and nephews.

Friends will be received 4-8 pm, Monday, July 19 at the Laurel Funeral Home, 201 Laurel Avenue West Keansburg, NJ 07734.

In true Pat Canavan fashion, feel free to come in your Disney attire!

A Funeral Service will be held Tuesday, July 20 at 9am at the Funeral home with a 10am Mass at St. Ann's Church in Keansburg.

Interment will follow in the NJ Veterans Cemetery, Arneytown, NJ.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Making Strides Against Breast Cancer at <http://main.acsevents.org/goto/jennswalk2021>.

Cemetery Details

Brigadier General William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery

Provinceline Rd.
Wrightstown, NJ 08562

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 19. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Laurel Funeral Home
201 Laurel Avenue
West Keansburg, NJ 07734

Funeral gathering

JUL 20. 9:00 AM (ET)

Laurel Funeral Home
201 Laurel Avenue
West Keansburg, NJ 07734

Funeral Mass

JUL 20. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Ann's RC Church
311 Carr Avenue
Keansburg, NJ

Tribute Wall

AR

“ Aunt Pat was a bright, loving, and wonderful woman. I remember her kindness and support to my siblings and I, she would come to our shows and record them making us feel so special. Her sense of humor and light hearted nature was contagious. She will be greatly missed.

Alyssa Rogers - July 20, 2021 at 10:06 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patricia A. Canavan.



July 18, 2021 at 07:47 PM

LF

“ Love, Steve & Laura Riggio & Family purchased the Rose Tribute for the family of Patricia A. Canavan.



Love, Steve & Laura Riggio & Family - July 18, 2021 at 02:23 PM

DM

“ My condolences go out to Pat's family. I remember seeing her at St. Ann's bingo when I worked there. It was an honor to have known Pat. Rest in Peace Pat 🙏🙏🙏

Dennis M Major - July 18, 2021 at 02:02 PM



Thank you Dennis!!

Kim Saxe - July 18, 2021 at 07:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Patricia A. Canavan.*



July 18, 2021 at 10:50 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patricia A. Canavan.*



July 16, 2021 at 12:53 PM



“ *Pat was an amazing woman. She would take pictures of my kids when they were young at the fair, helped them with CCD, and was always joking with them. Heaven is gaining one beautiful angel. Rest In Peace Pat.*



Kathie Bennett - July 15, 2021 at 06:33 AM

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Pat you will be missed by all who had the privilege of knowing you. You were a very proud mother of your daughters and grand daughter, you raised them well. You were there when any of us Landry kids needed a friend a hug or even a good laugh oh I will miss that laugh. Rest In Peace aunt Pat. ❤️❤️❤️❤️

Terry Sanfilippo (Landry) - July 16, 2021 at 03:28 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Patricia A. Canavan.*



July 15, 2021 at 01:57 AM

KJ

“ *Kim and family In memory of your mom Patricia Canavan*



Karin jobe - July 14, 2021 at 11:35 PM

EJ

“ *My Condolences to her Family.May God Bless, Comfort, and Guide them.*

Elmer Graham Jr. - July 14, 2021 at 08:55 PM

MG

“ *Meghan Gorny lit a candle in memory of Patricia A. Canavan*



Meghan Gorny - July 14, 2021 at 06:11 PM

DH

“ *Pat was a wonderful person, full of life. My favorite thing about her was her laugh and sense of humor. Just like her beloved Disney, she truly was magical. She just made life better for everyone around her! I am grateful for her friendship, support (especially of my grandson & Dravet Sundrome awareness!) and her ALL CAPS Facebook comments! 😊 Pat, you are sorely missed! Rest easy, my friend and keep send me your signs! (It seems you have already met Tyler & there are shenanigans afoot already! 🍀💜🍀) Sending prayers of comfort to your "chicks" and all those who miss you. 🙏 The Hrabar's & Eimont's*



Donna Hrabar - July 14, 2021 at 02:23 PM

SF

“ *Santoro Family lit a candle in memory of Patricia A. Canavan*



Santoro Family - July 14, 2021 at 02:15 PM