



Anne A. (LaRocco) LaNeve

June 2, 1923 - May 8, 2014

Mrs. Anne A. (LaRocco) LaNeve, age 90, passed away on Thursday, May 8, 2014 at Mohawk Valley Health Systems at Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare Center with the love and support of her family.

Born in New Hartford on June 2, 1923, Anne was the daughter of the late James and Mary (Pflieger) LaRocco. Raised and educated locally, she was a graduate of T.R. Proctor High School/Class of 1939. On May 4, 1946 she was united in the Sacrament of Marriage to George S. LaNeve, Sr. with whom she shared 52 years prior to his passing on May 22, 1998. Together they shared a relationship based on love and respect and were each other's best friend.

The matriarch of her family, Ann was devoted to all those who shared her life. Her husband, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were her heart and soul. She always had a beautiful smile and a twinkle in her eye! Her loved ones will always remember her saying "I love you" before she ended a conversation. She cooked and baked with love for family members who gathered around her table, and cherished the celebration of holidays especially her annual Christmas party and birthday parties. A faithful parishioner of St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament, Ann was a committee member of many of the parish organizations including St. Anne Society, the Annual Festival, the Hope Appeal, the Parish Finance Committee, the School Guild and the CYO Advisory Board.

Anne is survived by her daughters and sons-in-law, Angela and Thomas Chmielenski of Endicott, and Jeanine and Gary Surprenant of Whitesboro.

She is also survived by her sons and daughter-in-law, Richard J., Sr. and Mary Beth LaNeve of Clinton, and Michael LaNeve of Syracuse. Close to her heart was the memory of her children, Mary Anne LaNeve Devendorf and George S. LaNeve, Jr. who preceded her in death. She also leaves behind her son-in-law, Glenn Devendorf and his wife, Lynn of West Monroe; her grandchildren, Thomas Chmielenski, Thomas Devendorf, David and Kim Devendorf, Laurie & Randy Belcher, Richard J. Jr. and Kit LaNeve, Margaret & Mike Hammell, Christopher Surprenant, Nicholas Surprenant, and Christopher LaNeve; and her great-grandchildren, Kevin Close, Alexis Devendorf, Caroline Devendorf, and Connor Devendorf. She is survived by a special niece, Marie Robilotto and many other nieces, nephews and cousins. She also leaves dear friends Anna Mezzanini, Eleanor Leone, RoseMarie Chiffy, Marie Tantillo, and Alice Gerace. She was predeceased by her brothers and sisters-in-law, Edward LaRocco, Charles R. and Carmelita LaRocco, James "Frank" and Jennie LaRocco, Joseph H. LaRocco, and John W. "Jack" and Gertrud LaRocco; her sister and brother-in-law, Virginia M. and Michael Robilotto; her nephew, Dominick J. Robilotto; her in-laws, Frances and Peter Callari, and Loretta and Michael Loicano; and her friends, Eleanor Scialdone, Lena Ollerenshaw, and Mike Mezzanini.

The family expresses gratitude to Dr. Porus Dhabhar and the staff of the Charles T. Sitrin Rehabilitation Center, especially Dan, and Carissa; the nurses and staff of the Faxton-St. Luke's Emergency Room, especially Max, and Nicole; and Jennifer of the Allen-Calder Unit, for the comprehensive and compassionate care rendered to Anne during her stays.

Visitation will be held Sunday from 2:00-5:00 at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. Those wishing to express an act of kindness may make a contribution to the St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish Memorial Fund, envelopes will be available at the funeral home. Anne's funeral service and Celebration of Life will commence on Monday morning at 11:00 from the funeral home and at 12:00 noon at St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish where her Mass of Christian

Burial will be offered by Rev. James Cesta. Committal services and Interment will take place in Calvary Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

2407 Oneida Street
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 735-2727

Previous Events

Service

MAY 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

Eannace Funeral Home, Inc.
932 South Street
corner of Hammond Ave.
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 724-6714
eannacefh@roadrunner.com

Service

MAY 12. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish
648 Jay Street
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 735-1482
<https://www.mountcarmelblessedsacrament.com/>

Tribute Wall

SP

“ Mike and family. I just learned of your moms passing today. I am so sorry to hear. I wish I could have paid my respect to the family. Anything I can do I am here. God bless

Salvatore Piazza - May 13, 2014 at 07:35 PM

DR

“ I learned of Anne's passing last night, as I finished up my shift. It brought sadness to me to learn that a person whom I known only for a short time but touched my heart had passed on. Anne was truly a blessing to this world, for the kindness and gentle personality. She must of been sent by YWHY himself, to live on this earth for 90 years before going back to him. I had only known her for a short time, and it was a pleasure and an honor to be a small part of her life, If only it was a part when she less ill. She confirmed to me, why it means to have love, and compassion for people. What I wouldn't do to give her another hug. But now she is hugging Yeshuah, and no longer tired, or in pain. That brings me comfort. My heart goes out to the family, the ones I met, and the ones I did not have the pleasure of meeting. You are all in my prayers on this day.
Daniel

Daniel Rivera, LPN Sitrin Rehab - May 12, 2014 at 07:10 AM

GO

“ Gary Ollerenshaw lit a candle in memory of Anne A. (LaRocco) LaNeve



Gary Ollerenshaw - May 12, 2014 at 06:15 AM

MW

“ Anne LaNeve was a kind, generous, and loving person who helped anyone and everyone she could. May she rest in peace.

Mike Wicks - May 12, 2014 at 06:15 AM

NE

“ To all of anne's loved one's, we will hold the treasure of her friendship in our hearts. She was a grand soul and such a cheerful woman, As you all gather today to pay honor to your mother, know that all of us were fortunate enough to admire her motherly wisdom and love. Peace to all, she remained as long as she could and knows the rewards of her good works.
Affectionately, Nancy and staff

nancy I. eannace - May 11, 2014 at 12:33 PM

MA

“ Auntie Anne, my Aunt and my Godmother. You were a double blessing in my life. You loved me like a mother would and acted as my friend.
When you would call me and leave a message, you would say “it's only me Marie”. It wasn't only you, it was you being you, concerned about me, caring about me and calling just to have a few laughs with me.
I will miss you every day and hold close to my heart all the precious memories you have left us with.
I love you, Marie

Marie - May 10, 2014 at 10:21 AM



“ TO THE CHILDREN, GRANDCHILDREN AND ALL ANNE LANEVES' FAMILY, YOUR MOM WAS AN OUTSTANDING MOTHER. I REMEMBER HER MANY YEARS AGO AS THE OLD SCHOOL BUS; MADE ITS STOP TO PICK UP HER CHILDREN ON RUTGER STREET. MOM WAS ALWAYS A LADY; AND VERY HAPPY ONE. YES, WE ALL KNOW THAT SHE ENDURED MANY SACRIFICES THROUGH THE YEARS, BUT SHE NEVER LOST HER FAITH IN OUR LORD, OR HER LOVE FOR THE BLESSED VIRGIN. GOD BLESS YOU ANNE, YOU WILL NOT HAVE TO SUFFER ANYMORE, AND YOUR FAMILY KNOWING THAT THEY DID THE BEST FOR YOU, CAN REST AT EASE. MAY YOU CONTINUE TO SHINE IN THE HEARTS OF ALL THAT KNEW YOU.

FIORINDA WILSON - May 10, 2014 at 08:36 AM

RL

“ From the a Landis Family, Orlando a florida! Our sincere condolences to the LaNeve Family. I pray an overwhelming peace covers the family, and closest friends.

Robin Landis - May 09, 2014 at 10:37 PM

DD

“ To the LaNeve Family - my good friends and neighbors from Rutger Street.
I'm so sorry about your loss and feel terrible that I can't be there Sunday or Monday but my thought and prayers will be with you.
Donna DeRosa

Donna DeRosa - May 09, 2014 at 09:28 PM

DA

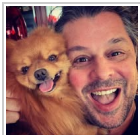
“ I am so sorry for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

Debbie Alsheimer - May 09, 2014 at 01:35 PM

RB

“ I drove Ann to her hair appointments on Fridays, what a beautiful lady, my thoughts and prayers go out to her family. She will be missed. I drive for Adonis Avanti. Ray Brunette.

Raymond Brunette - May 09, 2014 at 01:16 PM



“ What a wonderful Matriarch of a fantastic group of interesting caring and kind souls. She has left a legacy to carry on and be so proud of. Mrs Anne you had a great sense of humor. You will be missed

Duke Epolito - May 09, 2014 at 10:55 AM

ML

Thank you Duke. My mother always said to me on the phone, "How's my friend Duke." I used to tease her that you were MY friend, and she would say, "Now Michael, don't be fresh." <3

Mike LaNeve - May 09, 2014 at 06:15 PM

RI

“ To The LaNeve Family,
The office staff & drivers of Adonis-Avanti Transportation are saddened to hear of the loss of Anne. She was always so pleasant and a joy to have as our client. She will be missed.

Rudy Scialdo II - May 09, 2014 at 09:33 AM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Anne A. (LaRocco) LaNeve.



May 09, 2014 at 08:48 AM

FD

“ To the LaNeve family,
So sorry to hear about your mom. She was a very kind woman who always had a smile on her face. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this diccicult time.

Tom, Flo and Amanda DeSimone

Flo DeSimone - May 09, 2014 at 07:10 AM

BO

“ My prayers and condolences to the LaNeve family. The heavens have received another angel this week. Mrs. LaNeve was a very special part of all our lives and will be sadly missed. Remember to keep the memories alive in your heart and she will live within you. I'm sure that her and the rest of our mothers in God's light will be our guiding angels. I'll try my hardest to get to Utica this weekend, and if I don't I will keep Mrs. LaNeve and the entire family in my thoughts and prayers.

Bobby Ollerenshaw - May 09, 2014 at 06:53 AM