



## Carol C. (Cuchiarale) Sanguine

February 11, 1947 - October 9, 2025

FRANKFORT – On Thursday, October 9, 2025, Carol C. (Cuchiarale) Sanguine, age 78, passed away peacefully. She was born in Utica on February 11, 1947, the daughter of the late Henry L. "Cutter" and Mary Ann (Ciufu) Cuchiarale.

Carol spent many joyous years fulfilling her passion as a hairdresser. She was a talented and cherished beautician, operating a hair salon from her home. Her chair was a place where laughter, stories, and friendships were shared, and her clients became like family. During holiday time she would set up coffee and homemade cookies.

Carol's proudest accomplishment was being a devoted mother and grandmother, kind and selfless, always putting her family first. Her consistent support and presence for her children built a lifetime of memories we all cherish. She extended this warmth to her father (Pop) and opened her home to him much to the joy of her children. The family tradition was carried on by moving to North Carolina. Fred and Carlene's home became a place filled with lots of Mom/Grandma love and care for 22 years. Caring for Joey and Melina gave her purpose and an immense sense of pride and joy. She was a devout Catholic and her spiritual foundation guided her through life's challenges with strength and grace.

Carol shared many beautiful friendships that lasted her lifetime. We all felt like family. Whenever she heard from friends she would say “I was just thinking about you,” and it was true. She loved to get together with her girlfriends and share what was happening in life.

Carol is survived by her children, Andrea Sanguine and Joe Rizzo, Fred and Carlene Sanguine, and John Sanguine; grandchildren, Joey, and Melina Sanguine; husband, Fred; sister, Maria Bruno (the late Jerry D. Bruno, Jr.); brother, Anthony (Karen Force) Cuchiarale; sister-in-law, Linda Sanita (the late Dennis Sanita); brother-in-law, Gregory Sanguine; nephews, Anthony (Alison) Cuchiarale, and Michael (Joellen) Cuchiarale; and one uncle, Rocco Cucharale. She is also survived by many great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and friends. She was predeceased by her sister-in-law, Tina Cuchiarale; and father-in-law and mother-in-law, Frederick Sr. and Mary Sanguine.

The family wishes to extend their heartfelt gratitude to the staff at the Sitrin Health Care Center, especially Star, Jackie, JB, and Rachel. We are thankful for the compassion and attention they extended to Carol and our family. We would also like to thank Dr. Lane Hellner from Levine Cancer Institute for years of compassionate care, which went above and beyond for Carol; and Dr. Rahul Seth from Upstate Medical Center for his kindness and dedication.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Carol’s Mass of Christian Burial and Celebration of Life, which will commence on Thursday, October 16, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. at St. Anthony and St. Agnes Church, 422 Tilden Ave. There will be an opportunity to greet the family at the conclusion of Mass. Interment will take place in Calvary Cemetery.

This obituary was lovingly written by Carol’s family.



# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

2407 Oneida Street  
Utica, NY

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

OCT **16**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church  
422 Tilden Ave.  
Utica, NY 13501  
(315) 732-1177  
<https://www.stanthonystagnes.com/>

# Tribute Wall

MC

“ To the Sanguine family, I'm sorry to hear about the loss of our beautiful cousin. I have many wonderful memories of her when I was younger. She was the best. Fun, caring, loving, and a genuine person. She will definitely be missed! May the Lord be with you all!  
Cousin Mark & Linda Cucharale

Mark Cucharale - October 29, 2025 at 10:48 AM

JL

“ Andrea, we are just hearing about the loss of your beautiful mother. Please know that you, Joey and your family are in our prayers.

Jonna & Ray

Jonna LaMarco - October 18, 2025 at 01:27 PM

JA

“ My deepest sympathy to you Maria and family  
Joanne Angelhow

Joanne Angelhow - October 14, 2025 at 03:15 PM

CA

“ Carl Abbatecola purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carol C. (Cuchiarale) Sanguine.



Carl Abbatecola - October 14, 2025 at 12:17 PM

CD

“ Carolina D. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol C. (Cuchiarale) Sanguine.

Carolina D. - October 14, 2025 at 09:11 AM

FS

“ To my beautiful wife: Carol missing you so much my love. I know that you are now with your creator. Although I miss you so much I know that now you are resting in peace, and free of any pain. Our children I know that you will be proud of on Thursday. I know that you will be there in our hearts. RIP my love, Freddie.

Fredrick Sanguine - October 13, 2025 at 06:34 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carol C. (Cuchiarale) Sanguine.



October 13, 2025 at 02:30 PM

AM

“ Angela M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carol C. (Cuchiarale) Sanguine.

Angela M. - October 13, 2025 at 02:30 PM

SM

“ I met Carol over 10 years ago when she lived in Carolina, and from the first conversation it was like we knew each other for a lifetime. The most warmest person I ever met. She was so proud of her family and loved being a grandmother. Even though she was battling health issues you could never tell because she was always smiling. She was very inspiring to me. She raised an incredible son Freddie that is carrying on her legacy of being the BEST. I'll miss you Carol, I'm a better person for knowing you. Freddie and Carlene I'm sorry for your loss, but I thank you for introducing us. Be safe and lots of love you....

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**SEAN MCLANE** - October 13, 2025 at 09:35 AM

RA

“ Carol I will never forget our high school days & shared hero-worship of Michael Landon. We were inseparable during that time in our life & when we did reconnect it was always about those times. I will miss you dear friend. Sending love & support to your family.  
Rosemary

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**Rosemary Anguish** - October 13, 2025 at 09:24 AM

RC

“ Rest in peace Carol. May you be in the comfort of Gods hands now. You were a lovely person, always with a smile, never a harsh word. You took the time to have lunch with us K girls, happy times I won't forget. Life's journey when we are in our youth is long, then time goes by so quickly in our elder years. God bless to all family members. In my prayers always.  
Rosemary Caruso

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**Rosemary Caruso** - October 13, 2025 at 08:35 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Carol C. (Cuchiarale) Sanguine.



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October 12, 2025 at 04:46 PM