



## Catherine M. LaLancette

July 8, 1940 - May 4, 2024

Catherine “Cathy” M. LaLancette (Allen) passed peacefully in her home in Ashburnham at the age of 83 surrounded by family on May 4, 2024. She was born on July 8, 1940, in Fitchburg. Cathy was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and friend. She provided selfless and unwavering support to her family, friends, and co-workers.

Mrs. LaLancette leaves behind her beloved husband, Robert R. LaLancette with whom she shared the sacred bond of marriage for 63 years. She also leaves behind her children Robert J. and Cheryl LaLancette, Marc and Marian LaLancette, and Debra and Timothy Mercier, her grandchildren Aimee and Eric Newcomb, Josh and Nicole LaLancette, Peter LaLancette, Ryan Coney, Bridgette and John Shively, Danielle and Nick Romero, Courtney and Cameron Rodriquenz, Adrienne and Kyle Maguy, and her great grandchildren Isla Romero, Laken LaLancette, Ben Newcomb, Zelie Shively, sister-in law Ruth LaLancette and cousin-in law James Todd Hirst. She was preceded in death by her parents Charles Allen and Eileen LeClair, and her cousin Madelyn Hirst.

Cathy attended Sacred Heart primary school and St. Bernard's High School, where she met her husband. She worked as a title examiner and bookkeeper for over 40 years. She worshipped at St. Denis Parish and enjoyed gardening, traveling, baking, knitting, entertaining family at her vacation home, and taking

care of her loved ones. Cathy walked her grandchildren to the bus stop every day for 21 years.

Calling hours will be held in the Isabelle & Anderson Funeral Home, 316 Clarendon St., Fitchburg on Thursday, May 9, from 4-7pm. The Funeral Mass will be held in St. Denis Church, 85 Main St., Ashburnham on Friday, May 10 at 10AM. Burial will follow in Saint Bernard's Cemetery, Fitchburg. For more information please visit [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com).

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to St. Jude Children's Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Bernard's Cemetery

Fitchburg, MA 01420

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

MAY **9**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Isabelle & Anderson Funeral Home - Fitchburg  
316 Clarendon Street  
Fitchburg, MA 01420  
(978) 343-4407

## Funeral Mass

MAY **10**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Denis Church  
85 Main Street  
Ashburnham, MA

*Everyone is invited to go directly to church on Friday morning.*

# Tribute Wall

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“ Sincere sympathy to all Cathy's family. So sorry to hear of your loss. She was a lovely lady. She will be missed by many! 🙏🙏🙏

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**Jean and Bob Kokernak** - May 08, 2024 at 04:08 PM

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“ R I P Cathy!!! Cindolences to her Family and Friends. I grew up with Cathy in West Fitchburg years ago and went to the same schools as her!! .

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**Helen Collins** - May 07, 2024 at 06:39 PM