



Diana (DeAngelis) Giannetti

July 16, 1933 - January 6, 2024

FITCHBURG: Diana (DeAngelis) Giannetti, 90, died early Saturday morning, January 6, 2024 at The Highlands in Fitchburg surrounded by family.

Born in Webster on July 16, 1933, Diana "Didi" was the only child of Marta and Evaristo DeAngelis. She was predeceased by her husband, Vincent, whom she married on December 27, 1952. She is survived by her four children: Jon (Susan), Marisa (Carmelo), Greg (Darlene), and Chris (Mary), eight grandchildren, and two great grandchildren. She lived in Fitchburg and then Leominster for more than half a century. Previously she lived in Amherst.

A lifelong reader, Didi worked at the Fitchburg Public Library for many years, as a children's librarian, on the bookmobile, and in the audiovisual department.

She loved introducing children to the joy of reading, particularly on the bookmobile. In retirement, Didi volunteered at the library at St. Anna School. Other loves included spending time at the beach, a good game of Scrabble, puzzles, painting, and playing games with her family. Didi's cooking and baked goods were well enjoyed by family and also by patrons of the Moran Square Diner.

A devout Roman Catholic, Didi traveled to Rome several times, and on her

visits to the Vatican and St. Peters, she saw three Popes. She was a communicant at the former Madonna of the Holy Rosary and most recently at St. Anna Parish in Leominster.

She was well loved by many and will be missed by all that knew her.

The family thanks the staff at Leominster Crossing and The Highlands for their attentive care in the last year.

Calling hours will be held 2-5 PM Monday, January 15, 2024 at Isabelle & Anderson Funeral Home, 316 Clarendon Street, Fitchburg .

Her Funeral Mass will be celebrated 11 AM Tuesday, January 16th at St. Anna Parish, 199 Lancaster Street, Leominster.

Burial will follow at the Massachusetts Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Winchendon.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to the Fitchburg Public Library. <http://www.ci.fitchburg.ma.us/236/How-to-Donate>.

Cemetery Details

Massachusetts Veterans Cemetery

111 Glenallen Street
Winchendon, MA

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JAN **15**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Mass

JAN **16**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Anna's Church
199 Lancaster Street
Leominster, MA 01453

Tribute Wall

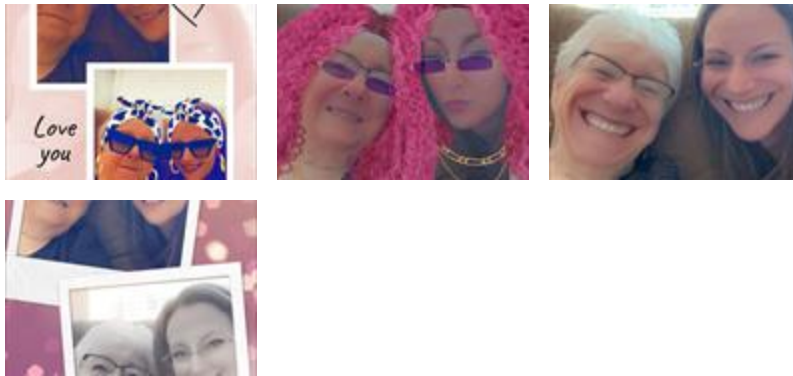
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“ Jon, Marisa, Greg and Chris - I was so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. She was such a lovely spirit, always had a kind word and quick smile. Please know that I am thinking of you and your families during this sad time. Carla (Pellicci) Dumaine.

Carla Dumaine - January 30, 2024 at 03:00 PM

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“ Oh my friend, DIDI, I am so sorry to hear of your passing. It was an absolute pleasure being your HHA for a while. I loved how your face lit up when I walked in. You truly hold a special place in my heart and always will! We had so much fun this day. You got such a kick out of the Snapchat filters 😂 you loved when I painted your nails, played games and colored! Love you DIDI! May you rest in the sweetest peace and enjoy being reunited with your hubby!



Janet - January 15, 2024 at 05:13 PM