



Mary A. (Bertozzi) Gardner

November 3, 1924 - December 17, 2022

AYER: Mary A. (Bertozzi) Gardner, 98, a former resident of Ayer, West Groton and Newport, Richey, Florida died Saturday evening, December 17, 2022 at Life Care Center of Nashoba Valley, Littleton.

Mary was born in West Groton, November 3, 1924, a daughter of Joseph and Amelia (Rodolo) Bertozzi and was a longtime resident of Pearl Street, Ayer.

For nearly 20 years Mary managed the cafeteria at Ayer High School, retiring in 1979. She was a member of St. Mary's Church as well as its chapter of the Catholic Daughters of America. While residing in Florida, she attended St. Michael's Church and enjoyed playing golf at Summer Tree Golf Club.

Mary leaves two sons, Paul F. Gardner Jr. of Pepperell, David S. and Becky Gardner of Hernando, Florida; her daughter, Linda M. Paju of Troy, NH; nine grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband, Paul F. Gardner in July 1983. She was the sister of the late Ralph Bertozzi, Peter Bertozzi, Victoria Guthrie, Rose Innerasky, Alma Smith, Pauline Grady, Julia McNeil and Anna Bussom.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated 11 AM Saturday, January 21, 2023 at St. Anthony's Church, 14 Phoenix Street, Shirley. Interment will be in St. Mary's

Cemetery, Ayer.

Mary's family will receive relatives and friends at a visitation period 9:30 – 10:30 AM Saturday January 21, 2023 at the Anderson Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Road, (Rte 2A) Ayer.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Cemtery

Bishop Rd.
Ayer, MA

Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary A. (Bertozzi) Gardner.*



January 19, 2023 at 08:57 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Mary A. (Bertozzi) Gardner.*



January 17, 2023 at 09:23 AM



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January 16, 2023 at 06:11 PM

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“ Chuck, Linda and Dave I have many memories of your mother from the good old days on Church St. She was a strong leading light for all of us. May she Rest in Peace.

*John and Jan Pursuite
Concord NC*

Tony Pursuite - January 02, 2023 at 12:21 PM

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“ Jay And Joanne Migrants lit a candle in memory of Mary A. (Bertozzi) Gardner



Jay and Joanne Migrants - December 26, 2022 at 01:07 AM

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“ David & all family, Sending my condolences in the passing of your mother. May she rest in peace.

Denise Stepleton - December 23, 2022 at 11:46 AM