



## Rita Ellen (Gregoire) Laurenson

May 2, 1936 - August 20, 2021

Rita Ellen (Gregoire) Laurenson, 85, of Mason, NH, passed away on Friday, August 20, 2021 at Life Care Center of Littleton.

She was born in Lowell, Massachusetts, on May 2, 1936, a daughter of the late Samuel and Helen (Coulter) Gregoire and grew up in Littleton.

Rita loved her animals, enjoyed doing puzzles, gardening, and crafts.

Her husband, Herbert C Laurenson died in 2000. She leaves four daughters, Donna Soucy and her husband Paul of Milford, NH, Deborah Beaubien and her husband Allan, Sr. of Pepperell, MA, Dianna GaNung and her husband Russell of Townsend, MA, Kimberly Foringer and her husband Kelly of Sugar Grove, PA; three sisters, Sandra Matis and her husband Thomas of Florida, Eleanor Duggan of Iowa and Kathleen Gregoire-Clifford and her husband Michael of Maine; fourteen grandchildren, twenty great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband, she is predeceased by her sister, Beverly Whitney and her husband Stanley.

Calling hours will be held from 4-7 PM on Monday, August 30, 2021 in the T.J. Anderson & Son Funeral Home, 250 Main Street, Townsend. In accordance

with the families wishes, facial covering will be required for all indoor services.

A graveside service will take place on Tuesday, August 31, 2021 at 12:45PM in the Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne.

For further information, or to leave an online condolence please visit [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com)

Flowers may be sent or memorial contributions may be made to National Kidney Foundation, 209 West Central St., Suite 220, Natick, MA 01760.

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

AUG **30**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Townsend  
250 Main Street ~ Route 119  
Townsend, MA 01469  
(978) 597-2692

## Graveside Service

AUG **31**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Massachusetts National Cemetery  
Connery Street  
Bourne, MA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Multicolor Pastel Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Rita Ellen (Gregoire) Laurenson.*



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August 30, 2021 at 10:42 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Rita Ellen (Gregoire) Laurenson.*



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August 30, 2021 at 10:11 AM



“ *Sure will miss you! Please watch over us! ❤️❤️*

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**Fancy GaNung** - August 26, 2021 at 07:14 PM



“ *Sorry to hear about Rita, she had quite the laugh and enjoyed life and ramily*

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**Michael Coulter** - August 25, 2021 at 10:22 AM

KF

“ Kimberley Foringer sent a virtual gift in memory of Rita Ellen (Gregoire) Laurensen



Kimberley Foringer - August 24, 2021 at 09:23 PM

DG

“ Dianna GaNung lit a candle in memory of Rita Ellen (Gregoire) Laurensen



Dianna GaNung - August 24, 2021 at 09:10 PM

DG

Mom I will miss your beautiful face and funny sense of humor. You will always be in my heart and thought daily right beside dad. Rest comfortable and watch over us! Love you always and forever in my heart. ❤️

Dianna GaNung - August 24, 2021 at 09:15 PM

PN

We had many laughs and a few tears together. I am blessed to have known you and your family. Res in peace my friend.

Pattie Novello - August 31, 2021 at 05:27 AM

DS

“ Donna Laurensen Soucy lit a candle in memory of Rita Ellen (Gregoire) Laurensen



Donna Laurensen Soucy - August 24, 2021 at 08:58 PM

DS

*Mom I will miss you more than you know. You are my best friend, and when I need to talk to I will look to heavens and I know you will here me. Forever & always in my heart. Xoxo*

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**Donna Laurenson Soucy** - August 24, 2021 at 09:03 PM