



## Virginia J. (Ashman) Fearing

April 9, 1937 - March 3, 2023

GARDNER: Virginia Joanne (Ashman) Fearing, 85, of Gardner, passed away on Friday, March 3, 2023.

Born on April 9, 1937 and raised in Worcester, Virginia was daughter to Joseph and Bernice (Aliskevicz) Ashman.

Virginia was a woman of great faith and a devout Catholic, who attended St. Stephens in Worcester for many years. She was a housekeeper at Worcester City Hospital for several years and then at Assumption College for 22 years; retiring in 2012.

A very loving and dedicated person, and mother, Virginia was affectionate and giving. She was also very complimentary and inclusive, and had a wonderful sense of humor. She was proud of her Lithuanian heritage and also enjoyed talking with others about their nationalities and countries of origin. One of her most special moments was spending the last 6 months with her infant granddaughter, Vivienna, whom she adored. In addition, she enjoyed shopping, loved her cat Tess and dog Sammy, and was an avid baker. She also was an avid dancer over the years, and enjoyed spending holidays and special occasions with family and friends.

She is lovingly survived by her son, Michael A. Fearing, and his wife Monica Fearing of Northampton; sisters, Patricia Greenough of West Boylston and

Pauline Larrabee of Auburn; her granddaughter, Vivienne Virginia Victoria Fearing; cousin, Deacon John Aliskevicz, and his wife Pauline of Fitchburg and cousin Carole Aliskevicz of Rhode Island. She was predeceased by her parents, Joseph and Bernice (Aliskevicz) Ashman.

Virginia's Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday March 9, 2023 at 11 AM in St. Bernard Parish at St. Camillus de Lellis Church, 333 Mechanic St, Fitchburg. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend visitation from 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM before the Mass in Isabelle & Anderson Funeral Home, 316 Clarendon St., Fitchburg. Burial will follow at St. Anthony Cemetery, Shirley.

The Isabelle & Anderson Funeral Home, 316 Clarendon Street, Fitchburg is assisting the family with arrangements. For additional information or for online condolences, please visit [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Calling Hour

MAR 9. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM.

Isabelle & Anderson Funeral Home  
316 Clarendon St  
Fitchburg, MA

## Funeral Mass

MAR 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Bernard's Parish at St. Camillus de Lellis Church  
333 Mechanic St.  
Fitchburg, MA 01420

## Burial

MAR 9.

St. Anthony's Cemetery  
Shaker Road  
Shirley, MA

# Tribute Wall

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“ You are now in a save place with God up in heaven. So happy that you had some time with your granddaughter. Pat and Charlie Greenough

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**Patricia and Charlie Greenough** - March 08, 2023 at 04:28 PM

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“ Mike and Family - so sorry to hear about Ginny. She was such a warm person and was always great to talk to at Assumption when I was there. I hope you all are doing well during this difficult time.

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**Brian Bourque** - March 07, 2023 at 06:28 PM