



## Mrs Alma L Rennie Schilling

November 9, 1947 - March 8, 2017

Alma Lee Rennie Schilling, 69, of Pittsfield died Wednesday, March 8th at Mount Greylock Extended Care Center with her loving family by her side. Born in Pittsfield on November 9, 1947 to the late George and Alma Lucy McGowan Rennie, she attended local schools. After school, she worked as a personal care attendant as a client supervisor, Sullivan Associates, Berkshire County ARC, and managed Goodwill, Salvation Army Thrift stores, and the Kmart coffee shop.

Alma had a love for music and for many years she was a member of the St. Mary's Choir in Lee, St. Charles Choir in Pittsfield, Barbershop Quartet, singing in Harmony, Inc., and was an associate of the Sisters of Saint Joseph's. Among her love of music, Alma's greatest love was for her family. She was a communicant of St. Charles Church.

Alma leaves her children; Jeffrey and his wife Leanna Schilling of Housatonic, Dione LeBeau, Matt and his wife Debbie all of Pittsfield, her siblings; Sandy Houghtlin of Pittsfield and her brother George and his wife Karen Rennie of Schnecksville, PA, eleven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Alma was a 29 year friend of Bill W.

Besides her parents, Alma is predeceased by Billy Schilling, Sr., and her son; Billy Schilling, Jr.

The funeral of Mrs. Alma Lee Schilling of Pittsfield will be Monday, March 20, 2017 at 9 am from the ROCHE FUNERAL HOME in Lenox followed by a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10 am at St. Charles Church in Pittsfield

celebrated by Father Peter Gregory. Burial will follow in St. Ann's Cemetery. Calling hours at the funeral home are Sunday, March 19, from 1-3 pm. In lieu of flowers donations in Alma's memory may be made to either Feed the Children or The Sisters of St. Joseph's, both in care of the funeral home, 120 Main Street, Lenox, MA 01240.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Ann's Cemetery

1 Ore Bed Road  
Lenox, MA 01240

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **19**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Roche Funeral Home  
120 Main Street  
P.O. Box 152  
Lenox, MA 01240  
(413) 637-0699  
eroche120fh@gmail.com

## Service

MAR **20**. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

St. Charles Church  
89 Briggs Avenue  
Pittsfield, MA 01201

## Burial

MAR 20. 11:15 AM - 11:45 AM (ET)

St. Ann's Cemetery  
1 Ore Bed Road  
Lenox, MA 01240

# Tribute Wall



“ Roche Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs Alma L Rennie Schilling



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**Roche Funeral Home** - March 15, 2017 at 03:24 PM

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Jeff sorry for your loss Prayers for love, comfort and strength you and all the rest of your family <3 Lisa, Michael, and Keith Cahalan

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**Lisa Brunell Cahalan** - March 19, 2017 at 12:39 PM



“ HUGS TO THE FAMILY LOVE YOU ALL!!!! RIP ALMA WE WILL MISS YOU!!!!

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**Tina Raymond Alger** - March 18, 2017 at 08:28 PM

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“ Alma - I was so devastated and surprised when I turned on the laptop at 3am to see of your passing. I kept looking and saying ' what is this , am I reading it right' . And I was. I will always remember in PHS riding around in your 'Chucklebuggy', going to the Post and Rail, sitting in the Sugar Bowl, and when you bought me my first piece of Boston Crème Pie ever. I will always regret that we did not connect at the class reunion (first time I was back to Pittsfield in over 20 yrs). I love u dearly and will never forget all we shared. I am so sorry to all the family and I know you will miss Alma immensely. In time , I hope the memories you shared with Alma will overshadow your loss. God Bless Alma and her loving family,, and may he be with you at this time. - Ginger Camerlengo Clement

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**Ginger Clement** - March 15, 2017 at 08:04 PM



“ Nanette Gerard lit a candle in memory of Mrs Alma L Rennie Schilling



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**Nanette Gerard** - March 15, 2017 at 07:55 PM



“ Thoughts and prayers to all your family Alma. We sure did have some good times working together at Kmart. I'm sure glad I got to see you at Big Y a few months ago.... Rest easy my dear friend.

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**Nanette Gerard** - March 15, 2017 at 07:53 PM



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**Tina Rennie** - March 15, 2017 at 06:59 PM

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“ *I met you through Sandy at one of her Christmas parties and family birthday parties. I know what a close knit family they are and how much you will be missed. I will pray for you still and know that you have a special place in heaven!*

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**Jane Parise** - March 15, 2017 at 05:29 PM



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**Roche Funeral Home** - March 15, 2017 at 02:38 PM

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*My dear friend . We will miss you . John And Sue Eastland*

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**John Eastland** - March 15, 2017 at 07:38 PM