



## Mrs. Nanette L. Natoli

September 29, 1939 - May 14, 2023

Nanette L. Natoli, 83, of Lenox left this earth on Sunday, May 14th with family at her side to join her loving husband of 64 years Bart who predeceased Nan on February 2, 2022. She was born on September 29, 1939 in Scriba, NY., to the late Charles and Lois Ferris.

Nan and Bart moved their family from Oswego, NY to Lenox in 1969. Nan held various jobs in the Lenox School system and in 1979 she began working at Lenox Savings Bank. A testament to Nan's strong work ethic she earned an Associate's degree from Berkshire Community college while working full time at Lenox Savings Bank. After 20 years Nan retired as a Vice President from Lenox Savings Bank.

She was a communicant of St. Ann's Church. Nan enjoyed hiking, kayaking, quilting, tending her flowers, fishing, long scenic rides in the Berkshires, but mostly she loved being with her family and friends.

Nan is survived by her children; Mickey C. Natoli (Patricia) of Salem, NH., Mary L. Hocking of Lenox, Lois M. Ostrander (Bob) of Longmeadow, MA., eight grandchildren; Brennan (Alba), Brianna & Brayla Natoli, Brittany Hocking (Shane), Jonathan Hocking, and Bryant, Kyle (Gabby), and Connor (Kelsey) Ostrander, two great granddaughters; Carmen Lucia Natoli and Olivia Wilhelmsen, brother; Roland Ferris (Rosanne) of Schodack, NY.

A Liturgy of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Friday, May 19, 2023 at 12 noon at St. Ann Church with Monsignor John Bonzagni, officiating. Burial will follow in St. Ann's Cemetery. Calling hours will precede the funeral from

10:00am-11:30am at Roche Funeral Home, 120 Main Street, Lenox, MA 01240. In lieu of flowers, donations in Nan's memory may be made to St. Ann's Church in care of the funeral home.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Ann's Cemetery

1 Ore Bed Road  
Lenox, MA 01240

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 19. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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

## Service

MAY 19. 12:00 PM - 12:45 PM (ET)

St. Ann's Church  
134 Main Street  
Lenox, MA 01240

## Burial

MAY 19. 12:45 PM - 1:15 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall

SS

“ *My condolences to the family, remembering her well.*

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**Sherry Steuerwald** - June 26, 2023 at 09:50 PM

SS

“ *My deepest sympathies to the family and friends of Mrs. Nanette Natoli. May your memories and the prayerful support of others bring you peace and comfort. I and all the Carmelite Sisters for the Aged & Infirm, sponsors of Mount Carmel Care Center, will keep you in our prayers. It was a privilege to be able to care for Nan at Mount Carmel even though it was only for a very short time.*

*Sr. Seán Damien*

*Sponsor Representative*

*Mount Carmel Care Center*

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**Sr. Sean** - May 30, 2023 at 01:00 PM

JC

“ I met Nan when I joined the RCIA program at St Ann to become a Catholic. She was my mentor. That was 1995 and in 1996 I was confirmed. Nan and I stayed in touch and found out we were kindred spirits when it came to hiking. Nan felt the same way I did that nature brought a peace to your soul.

She introduced me to the rosary and encourage me to become a Lector at St Ann. She was also instrumental in giving me the courage to teach CCD.

Over the years I would bring her upside down cakes, which Bart loved. He would always say thank you and turn to Nan saying and I will eat it all. She would always laugh...like you think so.

When hiking at Kennedy Park our discussions were on the Bible and how we had found God and Jesus. Her background was Baptist and I had been baptized at a Baptist Church when 13. We had similarities in our church upbringing. Our kindred spirits came to the forefront when it came to exploring all the cellar holes and formations in Kennedy Park. We had more fun digging with our walking sticks looking for any remnant from the past that was buried there.

I will miss her kindness and her ability to really listen to you. The warmth of welcome when I would stop at her house and our conversations sitting in front of the wood stove and Nan and Bart kidding each other about one thing or another. Both Nan and Bart were true friends and they both will always be in my heart. Jan Chague



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Jan Chague - May 19, 2023 at 02:09 PM

BR

“ 2 files added to the album Grammie



brennan - May 18, 2023 at 09:04 PM

GI

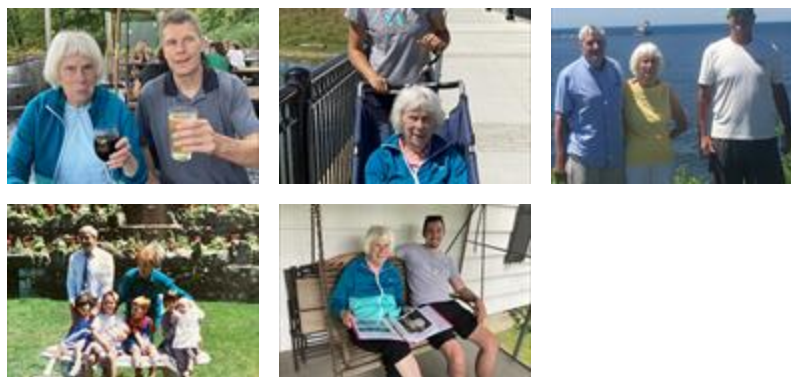
“ Ginny sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nanette L. Natoli



Ginny - May 18, 2023 at 01:56 PM

LM

“ 27 files added to the album Family



LMO - May 18, 2023 at 10:24 AM

AE

“ Andy, Connie, AJ, Katie, Erin, Emery purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Nanette L. Natoli.



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**Andy, Connie, AJ, Katie, Erin, Emery** - May 18, 2023 at 09:59 AM

BR

“ 2 files added to the album Grammie



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**brennan** - May 17, 2023 at 09:06 PM

PA

“ Nan loved her walks at Kennedy Park and cheering at the Josh!



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**Patty** - May 17, 2023 at 05:25 PM

Brayla Natoli

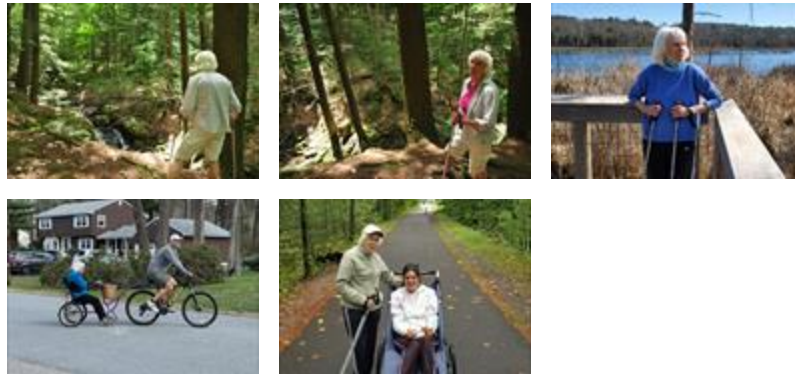
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Brayla Natoli - May 17, 2023 at 05:09 PM

MC

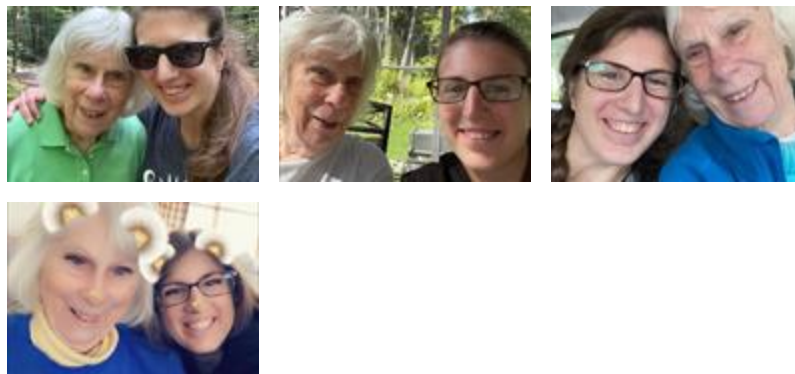
“ 5 files added to the album Enjoying the Outdoors



MCN - May 17, 2023 at 04:57 PM

Brayla Natoli

“ I cherished my time with grammie. We had a lot of laughs.



Brayla Natoli - May 17, 2023 at 04:54 PM

MH

“ 1 file added to the album *Nan and Rose*



Mary Hocking - May 17, 2023 at 04:04 PM

MH

*Nan and Rose.... sisters. Singing to gospel music, enjoying cookies, and tea with lots of maple syrup.*

Mary Hocking - May 17, 2023 at 08:06 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Mrs. Nanette L. Natoli.*



May 17, 2023 at 03:16 PM

BR

“ 11 files added to the album *Grammie*



brennan - May 17, 2023 at 12:27 PM

BR

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Brennan - May 17, 2023 at 10:00 AM

BR

“ 4 files added to the album Great Grammie!



Brennan - May 17, 2023 at 09:54 AM

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“ 16 files added to the album 50th wedding anniversary!



Brennan - May 17, 2023 at 09:45 AM

SK

“ *Sheila Keator sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nanette L. Natoli*



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**Sheila Keator** - May 17, 2023 at 09:01 AM

MA

“ *7 files added to the album Nan at Home Instead Friends Club*



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**Mary** - May 17, 2023 at 08:48 AM

SS

“ I worked with Nan for many years at Lenox Savings Bank. Nan was always the consummate professional but she definitely had her fun side too. I remember one St. Patrick's Day when she was meeting with one of our Irish customers. Nan placed two tiny shamrocks on her sweater in a very strategic place to see the reaction she would get!

Nan was always ready to help anyone . She gave rides to people to Boston for medical appointments, baked meals for families in need and sewed baby bibs for unwed mothers. She loved to read and walk. She always said nature was healing. She cherished her trips back to the farm where she grew up with her brother Roland. She was a devoted caretaker to her mom.

Most of all she adored her family and spending time with them.

Thank you Nan for your wonderful friendship over the years. We shared many good times and helped each other through the bad.

Now your struggles are over and you can rest with your Mom and Dad and your beloved Bart. Love you.

Sue Shepardson

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**Sue Shepardson** - May 17, 2023 at 08:36 AM

KO

“ A few years ago, my family took a trip down to NYC with Nan (I call her Grammie) to see my wife and me for our birthdays, and to see Brooklyn. These are some of the pictures we took on my building’s roof



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Kyle Ostrander - May 16, 2023 at 11:50 AM