



## Joanne M. Capriotti

December 29, 2025

Joanne M. Capriotti, 73, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, most recently Sewell, New Jersey, passed away peacefully on December 29, 2025, after a valiant four-year battle with cancer.

Born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Joanne met and married her husband of 55 years, Stephen Capriotti. She was the loving matriarch of her family, raising three children while obtaining both her bachelor's and master's degrees in education. Joanne was an avid reader who enjoyed spending her Julys at the shore with her family.

Joanne dedicated her career to education, starting as a teacher at St. Anselm Catholic School in Philadelphia before moving to the School District of Philadelphia. She progressed from teacher to vice principal at Allen M. Stearne Elementary School. In 2004, she became the principal of Abigail Vare/Vare-Washington Elementary School, where she fulfilled her true calling in education until her retirement.

Joanne is survived by her beloved husband, Stephen; her children, Stephanie Wills (Kevin), Stephen Capriotti (Mary Ann), and Peter Capriotti (Stephanie); her six grandchildren, Aidan, Caitlin, Stephen, Casey, Cody, and Dylan; and her sister, Linda Balmoos (Phil).

Relatives and friends are invited to her Viewing and Funeral, Saturday, January 3, 2026 from Saint Anselm's Church, 12670 Dunks Ferry Road, Philadelphia, Pa 19154 after 9:30 AM followed by her Mass of Christian Burial at 11 AM. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation in Joanne's name to St. Anselm's Church.

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# Cemetery Details

## SS Peter and Paul Cemetery

1600 Sproul Road  
Springfields, PA 19064

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JAN 3. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Anselm Church  
12670 Dunks Ferry Road  
Philadelphia, PA 19154

## Mass of Christian Burial

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# Tribute Wall

JC

“ Jacqueline C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joanne M. Capriotti.

Jacqueline C. - January 03 at 09:46 AM

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“ The Eluna Team purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Joanne M. Capriotti.



The Eluna Team - January 02 at 10:59 AM

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“ Alva Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Joanne M. Capriotti.



Alva Family - January 01 at 11:11 AM

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“ Alva Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joanne M. Capriotti.

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“ Mark P. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joanne M. Capriotti.

Mark P. - December 31, 2025 at 07:55 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joanne M. Capriotti.



December 31, 2025 at 07:35 PM



“ Todd Huber planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joanne M. Capriotti.

Todd Huber - December 31, 2025 at 07:35 PM