



## Mary Ann Riley

October 28, 2023

It is with profound sadness that we announce the passing of MaryAnn Riley, our loving and devoted mother and friend to all whose lives she touched, on October 28, 2023.

MaryAnn is survived by her children, Jim (Tracy), MaryAnn (Ray) and Mike (Chrissy), her beloved grandchildren, Ray, Ryan and Leah, her former spouse James, and her adored dog Polly.

Predeceased by her loving surrogate parents James and Elizabeth, her dear friend and neighbor Jennie, and her two beloved dogs Blue and Frosty.

After a long and courageous fight against cancer, Mom left us while sleeping peacefully, with family at her bedside at her residence in Philadelphia, PA. She was in her 77th year.

Born and raised where she lived her entire life in South Philly, Mom lived a full life as a wonderful mother, homemaker and waitress, working for many years at the iconic Melrose Diner until she retired in July of 2019.

Mom was funny and was always kidding around. Even when times were tough, she found a way to make us laugh. She washed her dishes in the “zinc”, shopped at the “AC-A-ME”, and took her “sty-roids”. Mom never complained and was an absolute pillar of strength.

Mom adored (and spoiled) her dogs, kept an immaculate house, and was highly skilled with crochet hooks and a paintbrush. Mom enjoyed keeping many plants and flowers growing in her back yard and absolutely loved getting out of the house to play bingo.

Most of all, she loved her family and thoroughly enjoyed getting together with the entire family for birthdays and holidays. She will be missed more than words can say.

Relatives and friends are invited to her Viewing from the Rogers Funeral Home, Inc., 1426-30 South 3rd Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147 from 7 PM to 9 PM on Wednesday, November 1, 2023 and again on Thursday November 2, 2023 after 8 AM til 9:15 AM followed by her Mass of Christian Burial celebrated at St.Nicholas of Tolentine Church, 1718 South 9th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19148. Interment will follow at Fernwood Cemetery. Share Online Condolences at [www.rachubinskiandrogersfh.com](http://www.rachubinskiandrogersfh.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Fernwood Cemetery

6501 Baltimore Ave  
Lansdowne, PA 19050

# Previous Events

## Viewing

NOV 1. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Rogers Funeral Home  
1426-30 South 3rd Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19147  
(215) 468-4632  
<https://www.rachubinskiandrogersfh.com/>

*Flowers are to be delivered by 11/1 by 3 PM*

## Mass of Christian Burial

NOV 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church  
1718 South 9th Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19148

# Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mary Ann Riley.

November 01, 2023 at 05:13 PM



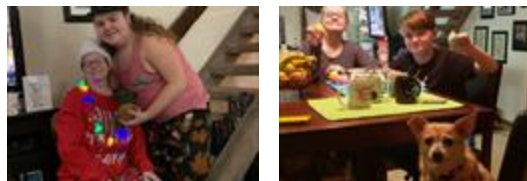
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Tracy - November 01, 2023 at 02:13 PM



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Jim Riley - November 01, 2023 at 11:01 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mary Ann Riley.

November 01, 2023 at 07:16 AM



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Riley.*



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“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Riley.*



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October 31, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mary Ann Riley.*

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October 31, 2023 at 01:54 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Riley.*



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“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Riley.*



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October 31, 2023 at 01:18 PM



“ *Sacred Garden Spray was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Riley.*



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October 30, 2023 at 04:24 PM



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