OBITUARIES



Joyce Casanova Clemente, 84, entered into rest, Sept. 19, 2024, of East Haven formerly New Haven, North Haven and Bonita Springs, Florida, surrounded by her loving family. Beloved wife of Lawrence Clemente for 68 years. Marrying in 1957 at St. Michael's Church; born April 16, 1940. In early life she was raised in the Wooster Square neighborhood of New Haven, daughter of the late Louis "Slim" Casanova and Phyllis Villano Casanova Bertini. In her early retirement she enjoyed living in Florida for well over 10 years. In 2005 she moved back to Ct. residing in East Haven to be closer to her family.

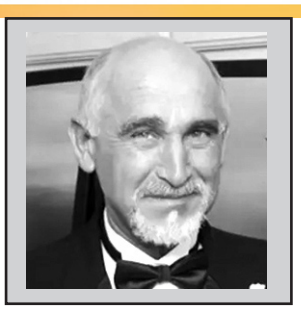
Besides her husband she leaves her children Nicholas (Carmela Panzo) Clemente, Julie (David Bolas), Barbara (James Macri) Clemente and Eleanor (Herb) Torres, her brother Louis (Eva) Casanova and sister Linda (Dominic) Varriale, 5 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her stepfather Nino Bertini, stepmother Grace Sullo Casanova and brothers Alphonse and Johnny Casanov.



Dolores Joyce (Attanasio) Boffa, 93 of Cheshire, CT, formerly of North Haven, CT died peacefully at Vitas Hospice Care, Waterbury on Friday, September 20, 2024. She was the beloved wife of fifty four years to the late Anthony G. Boffa. Dolores was born in New Haven, CT on July 12, 1931, a daughter of the late Anthony and Doris (Corrone) Attanasio, and had resided in North Haven for sixty six years before moving to Cheshire last year. She is survived by her two daughters, Debra Maiorana and her husband James of Cheshire and Cynthia Walker and her husband Michael of Guilford, and her granddaughter Kaitlyn Bonfiglio and her husband Harris of North Haven.

Should friends desire, memorial contributions in Dolores' name may be sent to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or at www.stjude.org

Services were held at the WASHINGTON MEMORIAL Funeral Home North Haven.



Peter Girotto, 83, of North Haven formerly of West Haven for many years passed away peacefully on Saturday, September 21st, 2024, at his home with his family by his side. He was the husband of the late Rosalie Gulisano Girotto. Peter was born in Fossalta Di Piave, Province of Veneto Italy on July 29th, 1941, and was the son of the late Ferruccio and Ines Visentin Girotto. Father of Maurizio (Jennifer) Girotto and Peter (Emilia) Girotto. Loving Nonno to Gabriella, Joseph, Alexander, Juliet and Colette. Brother of Anna Girotto and the late Eleonora Girotto. Also survived by his loving companion Carol James.

Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to the Closer to Free Fund, Smilow c/o Yale New Haven Hospital, Office of Development, P.O. Box 1849, New Haven, CT 06508-1849.

Services were held at the NORTH HAVEN FUNERAL HOME www.northhavenfuneral.com.



Michael Orlando Martone, 74, of Hamden passed away unexpectedly on Thursday, September 19th, 2024, at Yale New Haven Hospital with his family by his side. He was the beloved husband of Maria Tomei. Michael was born in New Haven on April 7, 1950, and was the son of the late Ciro D. Martone, Sr. and Margaret Immaculata Mazziotti Martone. He served his country faithfully in the US Army. Father of Jeffrey M. Martone (Sarah) and the late Daniel J. Martone. Stepfather of Marissa Trombetta (Vincenzo) and Scott Giordano (Victoria). Grandfather of Emma, Grace, Daniel and Jacob Martone, Alessandra and Francesco Trombetta, Matteo Giordano. Brother of Joseph Martone (Anna), Elaine Martone, Sonny Martone, Jr. (Cindy) and the late Albert Martone. Also survived by nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to the American Foundation for the Blind www.afb.org

Services were held at the NORTH HAVEN FUNERAL HOME www.northhavenfuneral.com.

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La Leche League Upcoming Meeting

Hamden: La Leche League (LLL) of North Haven will meet on Wed., Oct. 9, 9:30am, at Grace & St. John's Church, 2927 Dixwell Avenue. Led by accredited LLL Leaders, our Group will gather in the upstairs church living room.

Are you pregnant or a parent of a breastfeeding baby? Come to our free in-person meetings to get support and information on all aspects of breastfeeding and parenting. Women with their babies and young children are welcome from all surrounding towns of the Greater New Haven area.

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