



## Mary D. Semonelle

October 2, 1946 - March 3, 2015

Mary D. Semonelle, age 68, of Newark, DE, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, March 3, 2015 after a short illness.

Born in West Chester, PA, she was born to the late Felix and Viola Yanni.

Mary was an only child and in adulthood she found great joy in her large family. She was happiest when she was making memories with her

grandchildren. Mary enjoyed reading and visiting Newark Elk Lodge # 2281.

She is survived by her children: Gina Pepe (Nick), Eugene, Anthony, Nicholas (Michelle), Teresa, and Michol; 18 grandchildren; and 3 great grandchildren.

Mary was preceded in death by her husband, Eugene Semonelle.

A visitation will be held from 9:30 AM-11:00 AM on Friday, March 6, 2015 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, 345 Bear Christiana Road, Bear, DE 19701 followed by a Memorial Mass at 11:00 AM. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place Memphis, TN 38105. For directions or to leave an online condolence, please visit [www.strano-feeley.com](http://www.strano-feeley.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

MAR 6. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church  
345 Bear-Christiana Road  
Bear, DE

### Service

MAR 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

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345 Bear-Christiana Road  
Bear, DE

# Tribute Wall

RD

“ Sincere sympathy to Mary's family. She was a grade school and high school class mate. I just saw her at the 50th Class Reunion. She was happy I brought up about all the fun at her house. Her parents were great. She had no brothers or sisters - I had 5. She came to our house many times in high school just to enjoy all the noise and fun. I spent many weekends at her place also with a crowd of classmates. I am glad she got to enjoy her large family.

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**Roberta M. Davis** - April 03, 2015 at 03:59 PM

PM

“ My heart is saddened to learn of Mary's passing. I can still see her standing on her front porch, as we all passed by, from Bishop Shanahan High School. She gave the gift of humor, to all who knew her. Please accept my heartfelt condolences. May God hold Mary's family in the palm of His hand, and shelter them with His wings.

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**Peppy Popolillo Mozzani** - March 07, 2015 at 05:01 PM

MO

“ So Sorry for your loss of Mary. Our prayers and thoughts are with all of you, God bless all!

*Mike and Barbara Olivieri*

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**Mike & Barbara Olivieri** - March 07, 2015 at 02:13 PM

BB

“ Our deepest condolences to Teresa and all of her family during this difficult time. I will always fondly remember Mary and her great sense of humor.

Bob and Kathy Brandt - March 06, 2015 at 02:03 PM

JS

“ Our sincere sympathy and prayers on the passing of Mary go out to everyone. She was a wonderful woman and had many fun times which will always be treasured. Blessed to have her as a cousin. May she rest in peace.  
Rick and Janice D'Ambrosio Steger



Janice D'Ambrosio Steger - March 06, 2015 at 09:18 AM

LB

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Semonelle family. Mary and I spent many years doing what we loved and that was have fun. She will be missed. Lynette Honaker Brown



Lynette Honaker Brown - March 05, 2015 at 03:39 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mary D. Semonelle.



March 05, 2015 at 02:36 PM

MC

“ *Maryann Coates lit a candle in memory of Mary D. Semonelle*



Maryann Coates - March 05, 2015 at 02:18 PM

MI

“ *Mr. & Mrs. John H. Mckee, IV purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Mary D. Semonelle.*



Mr. & Mrs. John H. Mckee, IV - March 05, 2015 at 09:58 AM

Teresa Semonelle

“ *Mom has so much joy in her life spending time with her grand babies. I will always miss the smiles on each of their faces when they saw her again and her the same. She is going to be missed dearly by us all in our own special way with our memories. She was a great person who did so much for someone who had so little in her but she just kept going to make everyone happy. She lived each day to be filled with everyone else's happiness. I'm so mad it ended so abruptly ,i dont understand why you had to take someone who is needed here more than any other person I've known. Mom I will never forget all your life lessons you have taught me mostly I will never forget you. I love you ALWAYS*



Teresa Semonelle - March 05, 2015 at 12:51 AM

LM

“ So sorry for the loss of your mom!! Lori LaBella McInturff

lori mcinturff - March 04, 2015 at 08:55 PM

CD

“ We shared some wonderful times over many years. I will miss Mary and think of her often. My special thoughts and prayers are with her family.

Cathy DiPietro - March 04, 2015 at 05:06 PM

HK

“ Herb Kosterlitz purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Mary D. Semonelle.



Herb Kosterlitz - March 04, 2015 at 01:53 PM

MD

“ So sorry for your loss. Mary was a wonderful person, may she rest in peace.

maureen I. daponte - March 04, 2015 at 06:41 AM

JP

“ I have a great memory of Mary when I met her a couple of years ago. I saw her get into the pool with a smile on her face, Mary keep smiling and RIP

JANET DE PRISCO - March 04, 2015 at 06:24 AM

MI

“ Mary came to Delaware for a visit from where she was living in Florida. She was here to visit her kids and grandkids-and never left. Somehow she realized in Delaware where the majority of her family was is where she wanted to be. It has been over the last 7 years she has grown to be just as much my mother as she is my husband's mother. She had become an important part of my children's lives-and for that I am forever thankful. Love you, Mary!



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**Michelle** - March 04, 2015 at 06:09 AM

DM

“ Donna Murphy lit a candle in memory of Mary D. Semonelle



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**Donna Murphy** - March 03, 2015 at 09:52 PM

SF

“ Sheri Fay lit a candle in memory of Mary D. Semonelle



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**sheri fay** - March 03, 2015 at 09:44 PM

BG

“ *Beth Gabsewics lit a candle in memory of Mary D. Semonelle*



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**beth gabsewics** - March 03, 2015 at 08:05 PM

BG

“ *My sincere condolences to the Semonelle family with your loss of Mary. She was one of a kind who will be missed.*  
*Beth Gabsewics*

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**beth gabsewics** - March 03, 2015 at 08:05 PM

BH

“ *So sorry to hear. I only met her once, but she seemed like a very sweet lady. My condolences to her family.*

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**Bob Hall-McBride** - March 03, 2015 at 07:12 PM