



Madeline M. Pearse

May 13, 2024

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Spencerport, NY: Monday, May 13, 2024 at age 77.

Predeceased by her parents, Amelia and Gustave Stragies and brother, Robert. Survived by her loving husband of 54 years, Leslie; children, Laura (Stephen) Buechi, Monica (Eric) Wagner and Krista (Steven) Colabufo; 9 grandchildren; sister, Carlene Walter; sister-in-law, Sheila Bosley; and several nieces, nephews and dear friends.

Born in South Buffalo, attended Catholic schools, Madeline grew up with a strong faith and assisted in her family's bakery. After meeting on a blind date, she married her devoted husband, Leslie, and their family grew. Known for her doll cakes, rouladen, and pancake dinners, she also enjoyed sewing, gardening, and camping. She worked in the West Seneca school system and later at Erie Community College. Madeline loved to travel across the US and abroad, including trips to England, Germany, Brazil, China, and many other countries. She moved to North Carolina for many years before returning to New York to be closer to family. Complications from scoliosis may have slowed her down, but she remained faithful to God and loved watching her grandchildren grow. She will be greatly missed.

Family and friends are invited to her Funeral Mass Monday, May 20th at 10am at St. Pius Tenth Church, 3000 Chili Ave. Rochester, NY 14624. Interment, St. Pius Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the National Scoliosis Foundation <https://www.scoliosis.org/donate/>.

Cemetery Details

St. Pius Cemetery

295 Chestnut Ridge Road
Rochester, NY 14624

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

MAY **20**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Pius Tenth Church
3000 Chili Ave
Rochester, NY 14624

Tribute Wall

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“ Our thoughts are with you, Uncle Les, Laura, Monica, Krista, and family. With love, Tommy, Jessica, and little Emily.

Tommy Schultz - May 19, 2024 at 07:58 PM

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“ Tom S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Madeline M. Pearse.

Tom S. - May 19, 2024 at 07:51 PM

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“ Renee, Jen and Nichole purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Madeline M. Pearse.



Renee, Jen and Nichole - May 16, 2024 at 07:17 AM