



Gail Yorkell

May 13, 2025

With heavy hearts and deep gratitude for a life well-lived, we announce the passing of Gail Yorkell of Hudson, formerly of Berlin, New Hampshire. Gail departed this world with grace, love, and faith, joining her beloved parents, James and Madeleine Lafferty, and her cherished brother Donald.

Gail was the devoted wife of Bill, with whom she shared a life built on unwavering love, laughter, and faith. She was a nurturing and proud mother to Margaret, James, and Dianne, and a beloved grandmother to Morgan, Michael, Nicholas, Trevor, Jason, and Connor. She also leaves behind her loving siblings, Ann (Peppy) and Ronald, whose lives were forever enriched by her compassion and warmth.

Gail's life was a testament to service and love. She lived to give — to her family, her friends, and her church communities at St. Kieran's in Berlin and, more recently, St. Joseph the Worker in Nashua. Whether organizing a church event, supporting a neighbor in need, or simply offering a listening ear, Gail's kindness and generosity knew no bounds.

Family memories with Gail are filled with warmth and laughter. Some of the fondest moments were spent around the campfire, where she delighted in making s'mores with her "grandchildren"—always quick to claim the burnt ones they didn't want, smiling as she ate them with love. Her backyard

became a place of magic during Easter, where she took joy in organizing egg hunts that brought generations together in playful celebration. These simple traditions, full of joy and togetherness, reflect the heart of who Gail was—someone who found happiness in the happiness of those she loved.

The family would like to express their deepest gratitude to the dedicated and compassionate staff at Fairview Nursing Home and Inn, whose loving care brought comfort and dignity to Gail in her final days.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Gail's memory to the Alzheimer's Foundation at www.alz.org an organization close to the hearts of those who knew and loved her.

Gail's life was rich in faith, filled with purpose, and grounded in family. As she journeys now to the mountains she so dearly loved, may her spirit rest peacefully, surrounded by the beauty and grace she brought to the lives of so many.

She will be profoundly missed and lovingly remembered.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Monday, June 2nd at 10:00 AM at St. Joseph the Worker Parish, 777 West Hollis Street, Nashua, NH. Following the Mass, all are warmly invited to a Celebration of Life with a light luncheon in the parish hall. Burial will be held privately at a later date at St. Kieran's Cemetery in Berlin, NH.

Previous Events

MASS AT CHURCH

JUN 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph the Worker Parish
777 West Hollis St.
Nashua, NH

Tribute Wall

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“ Gail was a significant part of our Lexington Court Community. A member of the Social Committee always baking something delicious. We have missed her friendly smiles and help. RIP Friend



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