



## Mrs. Carmen Lemanski

October 16, 1929 - January 26, 2021

Mrs. Carmen (Macchia) Lemanski, 91, of Adams, died peacefully on Tuesday, January 26, 2021 at Williamstown Commons surrounded by her family.

She was born in Adams on October 16, 1929, a daughter of the late Michael and Nellie (Kustra) Macchia. She attended schools in Adams and graduated from the former Adams Memorial High School with the class of 1947. She married the love of her life, Lawrence Lemanski on October 21, 1950.

She and her husband were avid golfers, members of Skyline Country Club and faithful Boston Red Sox fans. Carmen loved to cook and anyone that came to her house always left with a full stomach. She loved music and movies; Christmas was her favorite holiday. She could always be seen with a Rosary and was a devoted grandmother and the grandchildren loved spending time with her. She was never at a loss of words. Her humor was contagious, and her feisty spirit was well known by all.

Carmen was a part time waitress at the former Howard Johnson Restaurant in Williamstown. She had been employed at the former General Electric Company and Sprague Electric Company after graduating from high school. She last worked as a medical transcriptionist for the former North Adams Regional Hospital until retiring in 1989. In their retirement years, Larry and Carmen would take bus trips to Foxwood Casino, vacation at the Cape and attend winter Red Sox games in Fort Myers.

Her husband Lawrence died on September 27, 2007.

She is survived by her two daughters, Christine Tietgens and her husband

Peter of Danville, VT and Susan Barthe and her companion David Smachetti of Adams; her two sons, Michael Lemanski and his wife Lynne of Cheshire and Bill Lemanski and his fiancé Sollena Morginn of Adams; her six grandchildren, Cody Leibold and her husband Jonathan, Alyssa Bromley and her companion Ron Tatro, Kyle Bromley, Jamie Barthe and Michael and Katie Lemanski; four great grandchildren, Olivia, Kolton and Connor Leibold and Alyviah Bromley and her beloved dog Missy. She is also survived by her three sisters, Geraldine Calderella, Kathleen Noel and her most beloved sister and best friend Toni Vitali and her husband Don.

Carmen resided at Williamstown Commons for the last 5 years, where she even beat COVID. She was well loved and known for her bubbly personality by the staff, residents and visitors. The family would like to extend a sincere thank you to the staff at Williamstown Commons, Hospice Care in the Berkshires and to Dr. Allen Joslin.

A graveside service will be held on Tuesday, February 2nd at 2:00 P.M. in Bellevue Cemetery, Adams. Per current restrictions, all attending must wear a face covering and practice social distancing.

There are no calling hours.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Berkshire Humane Society, 214 Barker Rd., Pittsfield, MA 01201 or to the Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave. Floor 17 Chicago, IL 60601.

# Cemetery Details

## **Bellevue Cemetery**

Bellevue Ave.  
Adams, MA 01220

# Previous Events

## **Graveside Service**

FEB 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bellevue Cemetery  
Bellevue Ave.  
Adams, MA 01220

# Tribute Wall

JT

“ *Carmen was a very special lady that I have the privilege of knowing. I would see her everyday in the Dinning Room of Williamstown Commons. It was always a great time having Carmen and Carmen' sister the Bingo games. Her favorite expression to me was " Go find a toy!" Carmen will be sorely missed!*

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**John Treski** - February 05, 2021 at 04:37 AM

DN

“ *So sorry to hear about Aunt Carmen!! My thoughts and prayers are with her and the family!!*

*Dale Noel*

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**Dale Noel** - February 02, 2021 at 11:57 AM

SM

“ *To the family - Your mother blessed so many people with her faith and kindness. Praying that you'll find comfort in your memories of her and in the knowledge that others are missing her, too."*

*With Deepest Sympathy, Sollena Morginn*

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**sollena Morginn** - February 02, 2021 at 11:23 AM

KW

“ Chris, Sue and Family. So sorry to hear of your mother's passing. May your memories of her bring you comfort and peace at this difficult time. Take care.

Our Sincere Sympathy and Best Wishes,

Kevin & Diane Whalen

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Kevin Whalen - February 01, 2021 at 12:31 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Carmen Lemanski.



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January 31, 2021 at 12:56 PM

JC

“ So sorry to learn of Aunt Carmen's passing. I remember the 4th of July picnics she had at her house, way back when we were kids - has to be close to 50 years ago now. The families would get together, swim and cookout - I always looked forward to those. May she Rest in Peace, Joe Calderella and Family

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Joseph Calderella - January 31, 2021 at 11:14 AM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Carmen Lemanski.



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January 31, 2021 at 11:03 AM

CB

“ Toni, I am so sorry for your loss. I remember stopping to see Carmen and Larry when they lived on Elm Street. You and I were being chased by a man in a trench coat so we ran up Temple Street and then over to Carmen's. Larry drove us around to see if we could find the man but we didn't. I also remember sitting with you in school when you got the news that Carmen had her baby. I think we were in Mr. Whalen's class. I've lost my brother and sister. Let your fond memories bring you joy and peace.

Sincerely,

Carol Chenail Beauregard

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**Carol Beauregard** - January 30, 2021 at 01:44 PM

BF

Toni I am so sorry to hear about Carmen. I know you were always close to her. Whenever we would stop at her house she was always great to me. I don't think I ever saw her without a smile. She always had a great sense of humor. If you ever saw her on the street or wherever, after you left her, you always felt better. She had such a great positive effect on people. I know you will miss her but she will always be with you in your heart. Take care of yourself and my prayers and thoughts are with you. Your old friend, Barb

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**Barbara Lanier Fillio** - January 30, 2021 at 06:13 PM

DM

“ Chris, Sue, and Family, Carmen sure was a special woman. She was one of the first I met when my mother and father became residents of Wmst Commons. Carmen was funny and feisty and always made meals there interesting. I shall never forget her and how absolutely devoted you were to your Mom. Ed and I send our sincerest condolences. I know you all have many wonderful memories that will help a little in time. Thinking of you. Rest in Peace special lady.

Diane Mirante

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**Diane Mirante** - January 30, 2021 at 10:35 AM

TK

“ *To Carmen’s Family, May this lovely lady,  
Rest In Peace. My prayers are with you.  
Sincerely, Theresa Kennedy*



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**Theresa Kennedy** - January 29, 2021 at 03:02 AM

TM

“ *To the entire Lemanski family, please accept my heartfelt  
condolences.*

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**Tom Molloy** - January 28, 2021 at 11:34 AM