



## Joan R. Ambrose

November 5, 1941 - November 9, 2023

Joan R. Ambrose, age 82, a longtime Solon resident, most recently of Mentor, passed away peacefully and returned home to our Lord on November 9, 2023.

Joan was born November 5, 1941 in Cleveland, Ohio and was a 1959 graduate of Hoban Dominican High School.

Joan was an abundant sparkle of light to all who knew her. She loved fiercely and laughed hard, was a devoted friend, and unconditionally loved and valued family above all else. There are no words to express how deeply she will be missed.

Survivors include her children, John (Trisha) Ambrose, Jackie (Mike) Baird, and Jennifer (Anthony) Staltari; grandchildren, Matteo Staltari, Mia Staltari, Gabriel Ambrose, and Ian Baird; sisters, Annette Barone, and Lee Ottenbreit; and her childhood group of friends from grade school St. Henry's & Hoban Dominican.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Salvatore and Rosalie Barone.

The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. – 12 noon on Wednesday, November 22, 2023 at Our Lady Chapel at Gilmour Academy, 2045 SOM Center Road, Gates Mills, OH 44040. A Memorial Mass to honor Joan's life

will begin in the chapel at 12 noon.

Following the Memorial Mass, a luncheon gathering for friends and family will be held at Generations Event Center, next to Guido's Restaurant, 12809 Chillicothe Rd, Chesterland, OH 44026 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Private family inurnment will be held in All Souls Cemetery at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made in Joan's memory to Gilmour Academy Lower School, 34001 Cedar Rd., Gates Mills, OH 44040. [gilmour.org/giving](http://gilmour.org/giving) (Note Comments – GA Lower School, Tribute – Joan Ambrose)

Please offer condolences at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **22**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Our Lady Chapel at Gilmour Academy  
2045 SOM Center Road  
Gates Mills, OH 44040

## Memorial Mass

NOV **22**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *My condolences to the entire family.*

*From  
Larry*

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**Larry Musarra** - November 22, 2023 at 08:26 AM



“ *Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Joan R. Ambrose.*



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November 21, 2023 at 08:55 AM



“ *Joan was a kind soul who I have known since I was a little girl. She was always so fashionable and always looked so nice. She was pleasant and I always enjoyed talking to her. I will miss her very much and she will be missed by anyone who knew her but most of all by her family. Love you Joan my heart hurts but I know your in paradise. Reen*

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**Reen Staltari** - November 21, 2023 at 07:10 AM