



Claire Lee Schofield

January 16, 2026

Claire Lee Schofield, 81, of Scenic View Drive, Smithfield, peacefully passed away on Friday, January 16, 2026, at Rhode Island Hospital with family and friends by her side. She and her recently deceased husband, Arthur J. Schofield (June 3, 2025), had been married for 60 years.

Born in Providence, she was the daughter of the late Tom and Gladys Buckley. She resided in Smithfield since 1978, previously in Coventry and Providence. Claire was a natural caregiver and provider for so many, family and friends alike, who will be greatly missed but who will live on forever in the hearts of those she touched. She traveled often to Florida in her later years enjoying the weather and giving her time unselfishly to those in need.

She is survived by her children: Arthur Schofield of West Palm Beach, Florida, Paul Schofield of Smithfield and Timothy Schofield of Smithfield; seven grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and her six brothers: Tim, Dennis, Billy, Danny, Michael and Brian Buckley.

A Mass will be held on January 31, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. in St. Michael's Church, 80 Farnum Pike, Smithfield to which all are invited.

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 31. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Michael's Church
80 Farnum Pike
Smithfield, RI 02917

Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to Timmy and his family for your loss. Thoughts and prayers are going to you. Bud and Kathy

Kathy Balfour - January 27 at 02:17 PM