



Jeannine Marie LeFebvre

November 4, 2022

Jeannine Marie (LaFlamme) LeFebvre, 89, passed away November 4, 2022.

Born in Québec, Canada, she was the daughter of the late Ovila and Marie Anne (Jacques) LaFlamme; wife of the late Esmond August LeFebvre; devoted mother of Daniel LeFebvre and his wife Susan (Szluck) Masi-LeFebvre and Linda (LeFebvre) Stuart and her husband Michael Stuart; cherished mémère of seven grandchildren, Justin LeFebvre, Andrew Civetti, Benjamin LeFebvre, Nicholas Civetti, Stephen Masi, Aiden Civetti, and Christopher Masi; and two great grandchildren, Nathan LeFebvre and Lucas LeFebvre. She also leaves many nieces and nephews.

As a young woman in Canada, Jeannine was a semi-professional tap dancer. She and her dance partner appeared in the local television spotlight. She was a hard-working woman who was employed in the textile industry. This is where she met the love of her life who was 25 years her senior. Esmond “Frenchy” LeFebvre was a traveling textile technician who lived in the United States but spent several months at a time working in the same textile mill as Jeannine. Esmond sent his marriage proposal via telegram inviting her to move to Richmond, Virginia. She immediately quit her job, sold all of her belongings, and got on a plane to meet Esmond. Jeannine did not speak English and trusted that he would be at the airport waiting for her. The rest is history. They were married on October 13, 1960. They bought their forever home in

Johnston, RI in 1965. They were married for 32 years.

Jeannine was a stay-at-home mom until her two children were teenagers. She worked at A&H Manufacturing for several years and retired at the age of 83. Jeannine enjoyed yardwork, watching sports on television, going out to dinner, creating puzzles on her iPad, and staying connected with family and friends on Facebook. Jeannine also loved animals. She owned cats and dogs for many years and enjoyed the animals of her family. She enjoyed the many foster dogs of her son and daughter-in-law over the years. Her family meant the world to her.

Visitation will be held Monday, November 14, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. in the Winfield & Sons Funeral Home, 571 West Greenville Road, Scituate, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial in Holy Cross Church, 118 King Phillip Street, Providence at 11:00 a.m. Burial will follow in Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, Johnston.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to Small Dog Rescue of New England, www.smalldogrescuene.org

Cemetery Details

Highland Memorial Park Cemetery

Rhode Island Avenue
Johnston, RI 02919

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 14. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Winfield & Sons Funeral Home and Crematory
571 West Greenville Road (Route 116)
Scituate, RI 02857
(401) 647-5421

Mass of Christian Burial

NOV 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Cross Church
118 King Phillip Street
Providence, RI 02909

Tribute Wall

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“ *I am just learning the death of our beloved aunt Jeannine. It was the first year that I did not receive a birthday card on November. We will keep lasting memories of her. Please accept my condolences. Her nephew Serge Daneault, Montreal*

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