



Rose Larocque

May 22, 2025

Rose A. Larocque (Biastre), 80, passed away peacefully on May 22, 2025, surrounded by her loving family. Born on March 27, 1945, to Agnes and Jacques Biastre, Rose grew up in Newport, Rhode Island, and later settled in Wakefield, where she raised her family with devotion and care.

She was the beloved wife of the late Raymond P. Larocque and was predeceased by her daughter Christine Larocque, her sister Virginia Hinson, and her brother Edward Biastre.

Rose is survived by her daughter Andrea Gardiner and son-in-law Alfred Gardiner; her cherished grandchildren Melissa Morenzoni and husband Andrew, Katie Gardiner, and CJ Gardiner. She also leaves behind her cousin Edward Gardner, who was like a brother to her, as well as her beloved dogs, Max and Cooper.

Rose dedicated over 30 years of her life to caring for others as a Certified Nursing Assistant—a role she held with compassion and pride. She also had a special talent and passion for decorating, always bringing warmth and beauty to the spaces she touched.

She leaves behind a legacy of love, generosity, and quiet strength. Rose will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

Love you always, Mom.