



Susan M. Nadeau

March 11, 2026

Susan M. Nadeau, 52, of Smithfield, RI, formally from Woonsocket, RI, passed away March 11, 2026 peacefully at home. She leaves behind her mother Robin Cote and husband Joseph Cote and father Donald Nadeau along with his wife Deborah Nadeau (Salerno).

Susan was a gentle and kind soul whose innocence and warm heart touched the lives of many people who knew her. She had a natural compassion for others and always tried to help those around her whenever she could. Her caring spirit and genuine kindness left a lasting impact on the people fortunate enough to know her.

Besides her parents, she leaves behind her siblings Donald Nadeau Jr, Kenneth Cote, Amy Cote, John Mansfield, Jason Guy, Mark Salerno and Michael Salerno, as well as her fiancé Al Ferreira, and many aunts, uncles, cousins, and goddaughters who loved her dearly.

After graduating from Ponaganset High School, She attended CCRI for data entry. She was then associated with Seven Hills and the former ark of Northern Rhode Island, where she spent time both as a client and later as a former employee. Susan volunteered for over a year at Zambarano Hospital, where she found great purpose in helping others and being there for people in need. Susan later worked as a supervisor in the Food service department for

the North Providence School District, where she continued to show the same kindness and warmth that defined her life. She was also a longtime member of a bowling league “Snow Leopards” in Woonsocket, Rhode Island.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, March 26th from 5–6 PM followed by a Memorial Service at 6PM in the Winfield & Sons Funeral Home, 571 West Greenville Road, Scituate, RI. In lieu of flowers, the family kindly asks that donations be made to the GoFundMe created to help support the family during this difficult time.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **26**. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

Memorial Service

MAR **26**. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CI

“ I'm in shock. I can't believe you're gone. When we were kids you bested me at everything. You were younger, but did everything first and better. Lol gonna miss you, coz. ❤️

Cindy - April 16 at 01:23 AM

PR

“ She may not have been my blood but she was my sister. We had a very close Bond even though the last few years things have changed but my love for her was always the same. I know my mom and her grandparents are up there with her taking good care of her. She wasn't perfect but to me she was. I'll always have the good memories that she left behind will be sadly missed it but always with us. Lots of love and missing her from me her cousins Lacey, Donia, Donald III, Fredrick, & Kaylee. Also second cousins Ernest, Brian IV & Mark. You may be gone but you'll never be forgotten. Stories of you will be told for generations to come of the love and laughter you had given this family

Patricia Richards - March 24 at 09:52 PM

RC

Thank you, you are always more than a daughter-in-law more than a sister-in-law you are a daughter and a sister to us. Thank you for your love.

Robin Cote - March 24 at 09:56 PM

PR

It was supposed to say nieces and nephews. But put cousins. Love you and dad so much. I'm sure Susie is hugging you tight and wiping your tears

Patricia Richards - March 24 at 10:18 PM

JS

“ *Joseph Santagata lit a candle in memory of Susan M. Nadeau*



Joseph Santagata - March 24 at 02:39 AM

JS

Susan was a great person with with a big heart I know all the good times we had together and we'll miss her dearly he was a great friend and she was like a sister to me he's always there when he was needed she had a good heart and is this the same that she was taking away from such a young age

Joseph Santagata - March 24 at 02:42 AM

CC

“ *Sue was a good person I didn't know her that well we passed by said hi from time to time in the building we both lived in always very kind caring and willing to help anyone that was in need of it she will be missed gone to soon but never forgotten may she RIP eternal peace god rest her soul Amen .*

Christopher Coughlin - March 21 at 09:36 AM

RC

Thank you for your sympathies

Robin Cote - March 21 at 11:33 AM

LM

“ Susie & I had...a long relationship as cousins...things like boating ,cookouts barn fires, babysitting my daughter kristen...Due to living far away..sending prayers to everyone in time of need....family & friends...when the news came to me...can't explain feeling don't know what it was...ALWAY IN OUR HEARTS...LOVE U R.I.P.keep reaching for the next goal...I BELIEVE IN U.. 4 ever cousin ❤️

Laurie metivier - March 20 at 08:33 PM

CH

“ I will always remember the good friendship me and Sue had God took you to soon may you r.i.p with God angels 🙏 up in heaven



Christine Henderson - March 20 at 02:53 PM

RC

Thank you for your sympathies thank you for being a friend that means a lot to me

Robin Cote - March 21 at 11:34 AM

MZ

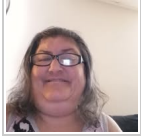
“ I didn't know her that well but she lived in the same apartments as me and Woonsocket.. she always had the most beautiful smile..I used to tell her that every time I saw her around the apartments .. she was a beautiful person

Melody zenker - March 20 at 02:46 PM

RC

Thank you for your sympathies and sharing her memories. That means a lot to me at this time with a lot of her mom.

Robin Cote - March 21 at 11:35 AM



“ *She was a very good friend almost like a sister and she will be missed by many, may she rest in eternal peace, till we meet again my friend love you so much 💖💖💖 RIP Suzie Q*

Patches Mam - March 20 at 02:08 PM

RC

Thank you for being a good friend to my daughter Susan may God bless you and thank you for your sympathies

Robin Cote - March 21 at 11:36 AM

GB

“ *Sue had a big heart and so many people who loved her. She will be missed very much with her smiling face 💔*



Gail Bourcier - March 19 at 11:21 PM

RC

Thank you for your beautiful comment as her mother I know how much a friendship meant to her

Robin Cote - March 21 at 11:37 AM

AM

“ *Sue was a wonderful person. I was on her bowling team. I was her Alice she would always say. Sue would call me when she needed a ride. Sometimes i would give her rides to work. She would call me all the time for info. I'll miss her, she was one of the good ones.*

Alice T Maynard - March 19 at 08:12 PM

GB

She was definitely one of the good ones 💜

Gail Bourcier - March 19 at 11:22 PM



I cannot remember when she didn't have a smile on her face. RiP sweet Susie. Karen White

Karen White - March 20 at 07:26 PM

RC

Thank you for the sympathies thank you all for being such a good friend so really enjoyed her bowling. I know she had been going bowling for over 20 years and her friends on the leagues a lot to her

Robin Cote - March 21 at 11:40 AM

RC

on the comment above it should have read that her friends meant a lot to her on the bowling team

Robin Cote - March 21 at 11:41 AM