



Audrey F. Volpe

November 22, 2015

Audrey Flemke Volpe, 78, of Bloomfield, CT passed away peacefully surrounded by the light of her life, Robert Volpe, husband of 54 years, and her family on Sunday, November 22, 2015. Raised in Wethersfield, she was the daughter of the late Karl and Catherine Flemke. She was predeceased by her adored brother, Karl Flemke. She was a 1955 graduate of Wethersfield High School and earned her teaching degree at Central Connecticut College in New Britain in 1959.

Audrey was an amazing wife and mother. She was an unusually positive, friendly, cheerful, adventuresome, and expansive person who fully enjoyed every aspect of life. Her family and friends will remember her for her loving presence, keen ability to listen, spirituality, and her ability to share her love of God. She was an active member of St. Timothy's parish in West Hartford for over 50 years where she was a Eucharistic Minister. She was active in the Cursillo Movement, provided spiritual guidance under the direction of the Spiritual Life Center, and was instrumental in creating a Spiritual Life program at the Loomis Chaffee School. Audrey had a broad range of interests including travel, family camping, and love of the outdoors, especially Lake Winnepesaukee. Her innate curiosity made her a lifelong learner and a passionate teacher. That same passion was seen in her unlimited devotion to family. To be with Audrey was a wonderful experience and those who were able to share that with her were always better for it.

She is survived by her husband, Robert Volpe, his brother Paul Volpe, his

sister Corinne and her husband Matthew Spinale, and her sister-in-law, Mary Flemke. Audrey is also survived by her children: Marie and her husband Tony Malloy; Michelle Volpe; John and his wife Susan Volpe; Carolyn and her husband Phillip Cunningham; Danielle and her husband Robert Caldwell, along with 15 cherished grandchildren and 7 nieces and nephews.

Calling hours are Tuesday, November 24 from 3-6 pm, at the Molloy Funeral Home, 906 Farmington Avenue, West Hartford, CT. A funeral procession will start at 9:30 am from the funeral home with visitation from 8:30 to 9:30 am on Wednesday, November 25. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 10:00 am at the Church of St. Timothy, 1116 North Main Street, West Hartford, CT.

Entombment will be at Mt. St. Benedict Cemetery, 1 Cottage Grove Road, Bloomfield, CT immediately following. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in memory of Audrey may be made to Alzheimer's Association at www.alz.org or a charity of the donor's choice. Online expressions of sympathy may be made at www.molloyfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Mt. St. Benedict Cemetery

1 Cottage Grove Rd
Bloomfield, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hours

NOV **24.** 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Molloy Funeral Home
906 Farmington Ave
West Hartford, CT 06119
(860) 232-1322

Calling Hours

NOV **25.** 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

Molloy Funeral Home
906 Farmington Ave
West Hartford, CT 06119
(860) 232-1322

Mass of Christian Burial

NOV 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of St. Timothy
1116 North Main St
West Hartford, CT 06117
(860) 233-5131

Entombment

NOV 25. 11:30 AM (ET)

Mt. St. Benedict Cemetery
1 Cottage Grove Rd.
Bloomfield, CT

Tribute Wall



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Audrey F. Volpe.*



November 24, 2015 at 05:59 PM



“ *Derek and Athena Madeiros purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Audrey F. Volpe.*



Derek and Athena Madeiros - November 24, 2015 at 03:17 PM



“ *Sending my heartfelt condolences to the family. Audrey was such a sweet lady. She always had a smile! Liz Nadolny*



Liz Nadolny - November 24, 2015 at 03:15 PM



“ *Brian and I were deeply saddened to learn of Audrey's passing on Sunday. We wish we could be at the services in support of Bob and the entire family, but we are traveling outside the country presently. Please know that our warmest thoughts and heartfelt sympathies are with you all. - Nicole Baummer*

Nicole - November 24, 2015 at 08:12 AM

TD

“ I am very sorry for your loss. She was a second mother on Fairfield road . The Dillon Children.

Tim Dillon - November 24, 2015 at 06:32 AM

LW

“ I was deeply saddened to hear of Audrey's passing. I have such warm memories of her and of good times spent together in our Cursillo weekly sharing group. I can still see her smile and hear her laughter! What a gift she was.

Unfortunately, my own health issues prohibit my presence at either her Wake or funeral. But my prayers will be with you Bob, and with all your family during this difficult time.

linda wowak - November 23, 2015 at 01:23 PM

RC

“ Robert and Jennifer Carlock purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Audrey F. Volpe.



Robert and Jennifer Carlock - November 23, 2015 at 12:09 PM

JR

“ Audrey and her wonderful family are much in my thoughts. She was a lovely and inspiring person whose legacy will endure in the lives of her family and in those of us who were fortunate to have experienced her graciousness and kindness. I send my condolences to Audrey's family and to her many admiring friends. I am so sorry to learn of Audrey's passing.

*James Rugen
(Loomis Chaffee faculty, ret.)
Windsor*

James S. Rugen - November 23, 2015 at 11:49 AM

RC

“ Roger and Marty Carlock purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Audrey F. Volpe.



Roger and Marty Carlock - November 23, 2015 at 10:55 AM

MM

“ Mary, Ann, Ron, Ned, Tammy, Ellen and Mitch purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Audrey F. Volpe.



Mary, Ann, Ron, Ned, Tammy, Ellen and Mitch - November 23, 2015 at 10:22 AM

EC

“ Beloved Volpes. We are so sad about Aud's passing. She was so kind, so positive, so smart, so encouraging. She was an Angel. Know that she and Dad are having so much fun together in heaven! May God bless you all. Sending you love and prayers. Ellen Clark

Ellen Clark - November 23, 2015 at 09:41 AM

PC

“ We are also saddened by the loss of your mother. She must have been an wonderful person, her accomplishments were many, and though we only know John, and his family, her personality, shines through in his. Our condolences, and prayers for your entire family. Preben & Mary Christensen

Preben Christensen - November 23, 2015 at 07:13 AM

MM

“ I am very saddened by Audrey's passing, but it is comforting to know that she was surrounded by her amazing family and loved ones. She was a lovely person, who always extended incredible kindness to me and my family. Rest in peace Audrey.

Matt Malloy

Matthew Malloy - November 23, 2015 at 06:49 AM