



Bonnilyn Ann "Bonnie" Costa

September 2, 1937 - June 7, 2020

BONNILYN ANN LOGAN "Bonnie" COSTA, 82, of Eau Claire passed away at 1:07 AM Sunday morning (06-07-20) at Parker Personal Care Home in Parker where she had resided due to a period of declining health.

She was born on Sept. 2, 1937 in Youngstown, Ohio to Bernice Stalker and Merle Logan.

Bonnie married Thomas Costa on Dec. 3, 1955 at Bethel U. M. Church in Eau Claire, and he survives.

She was employed over twenty years at J.M. Beatty Furniture in Eau Claire. She then served as caregiver to the late Vivian Beatty during her final years of illness. Mrs. Costa was then employed at the cafeteria at Moniteau School District. at the former Washington Building where she was known as "Lunch Lady".

A graduate of the former Concord High School at Hooker, she was a member of Order of Eastern Star, Chapter #60 of Parker.

Bonnie was a lifelong member of Bethel United Methodist Church of Eau Claire where she served as Sunday School teacher and treasurer, assisted the acolytes and church nursery, and taught Vacation Bible School. Bonnie took delight in making certain the Church had fresh flowers on the Altar for years. She was a longtime delegate to Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church. As health permitted, she assisted with all church dinners. She was known for her sending cards to shut-ins, looking out for a child in need and surprising them with gifts, and loved to travel.

She looked forward to time spent with family, as well as caring for “granddog” Belle and “grandparent” Buddy.

The family of Bonnie would like to express a sincere “Thank-You” to all personnel at Parker Personal Care Home for the outstanding dedication and loving care shown to Bonnie during her illness as well as courtesy to Bonnie’s family.

Surviving in addition to devoted husband Tom, are daughters Crystal (Larry) Stewart of Butler and Tammy (Dennis) Conn of West Sunbury and son John (Pam) Costa of West Sunbury. She is also survived by grandchildren Kristi (Adam) Wilson, Joseph Costa, Anthony (Lori) Conn, and Alex Conn and great-grandson Hudson Wilson. She is survived by step-grandchildren Heather (Shamus) Young, Nick (Melanie) Stewart, and James (Katie) Stewart as well as step-greatgrandchildren Isaac, Bai, and Peter Young and Rori Stewart. Bonnie is also survived by childhood and lifelong friend Helen Byers Hindman.

Visitation 2-4 and 6-8 Wednesday at H. Jack Buzard Funeral Home, 201 So. Washington St., Eau Claire. Funeral and committal service will be held at 11:00 AM Thursday at Bethel United Methodist Church, No. Washington St., Eau Claire with Burial to follow at Eau Claire Cemetery.

Following CDC and Pa. Dept. of Health Guidelines per Covid-19 virus, the use of masks and social distancing is requested.

Cemetery Details

Eau Claire

Eau Claire, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 10. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

H. Jack Buzard Funeral Homes, Inc. Eau Claire
201 S. Washington St
PO Box 182
Eau Claire, PA 16030
(724) 791-2484

Visitation

JUN 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

H. Jack Buzard Funeral Homes, Inc. Eau Claire
201 S. Washington St
PO Box 182
Eau Claire, PA 16030
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Service

JUN 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Eau Claire United Methodist Church
Eau Claire, PA

Tribute Wall

VE

“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. We pray you find comfort, peace, and strength through God's love. In Sympathy, Ken & Marsha and Renee Verostek



Verostek - June 15, 2020 at 08:06 PM

LT

“ Sincere sympathy to Tom and the Family in the loss of your beloved Bonnie. May God bless and keep you all and grant you peace.

Leann and Bob Trimbur, and Bernie.

Leann Trimbur - June 11, 2020 at 10:17 PM

BG

“ Tom and Family. May the thoughts of sympathy help to ease your pain at this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Barb and Yvonne Gerwick - June 10, 2020 at 08:25 PM

MP

“ I was in high school when our family lived in Eau Claire. My father, Roger Cramer, was the pastor of the Bethel United Methodist Church for five years. I remember well how active Bonnie was in the life of the church, demonstrating love for the people and God. She and my Mom, Dorothy, remained friends even after Mom and Dad left the area.

My sincere condolences are with Tom and the family. Celebrate Bonnie's life by sharing the many wonderful memories that you have.

Miriam (Cramer) Perriello

Miriam Perriello - June 10, 2020 at 03:50 PM

KT

“ Bonnie was a great lady I remember from my elementary days, never was a kinder sweeter lady. My condolences.

Kelly Timco - June 10, 2020 at 12:40 PM

PD

“ Prayers and sympathy to the family.



Patty Double - June 09, 2020 at 09:50 PM

Kathy
Soltis

“ So sorry to hear of Bonnie's passing. I remember all the help she was to me at the church; the way she and Tom always welcomed me into their home. Most of all, I remember and give thanks to God for her loving heart and her beautiful smile. May our Lord be with and comfort Tom and all the family. Blessings to all...Pastor Kathy Soltis

Kathy Soltis - June 09, 2020 at 03:02 PM

RY

“ Ruby Younker lit a candle in memory of Bonnilyn Ann "Bonnie" Costa



Ruby Younker - June 09, 2020 at 01:44 PM

JB

“ I remember Bonnie working in the cafeteria at Washington Elementary School for many years. She always had a smile for everyone and I enjoyed talking to her about her grandkids, Kristi and Joey, whom she adored. Bonnie also showed compassion for the students at Washington. She was a nice person and I considered her a friend. My sincere condolences to the family.

Joyce Brosnahan - June 09, 2020 at 11:58 AM

LS

“ I'm so sad to read of Bonnie's passing. I have wonderful memories of her from the school and from walking or riding my bike by her house in Eau Claire. My heart is with Tom and the many others who will miss her so much.
♥️ Lindsey Shuty (Stevens)



Lindsey Shuty - June 08, 2020 at 06:42 PM

CP

“ Tom and family. We were sorry to hear of the loss of your wife and mother. OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYS ARE WITH YOU. GOD BLESS .

clarence pennington - June 08, 2020 at 03:27 PM

MB

“ Very sorry to see this news. I enjoyed working with Bonnie during the years I worked at the schools in the area. My deepest sympathy to her entire family.



Mary Lou Bean - June 08, 2020 at 12:30 PM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bonnilyn Ann "Bonnie" Costa.



June 08, 2020 at 11:06 AM