



Carolyn J. Rees

October 16, 1935 - August 16, 2025

Carolyn J (Couts) Rees 10/16/1935 – 8/16/2025

With deep love and quiet sorrow, we share the passing of Carolyn J. Rees, age 89, who departed peacefully on August 16, 2025, with family by her side. Born to the late Charles and Mathilda Coutts. Preceded in death by her beloved husband, Edward L. Rees and sons, Perry (Wendy) Rees and Mark Rees and sisters Joan Coutts and Janet Gazzo.

Survived by children, Michael (Tina) Rees, Patricia (Rees) Gonano, Thomas (Renee) Rees, Kelly Rees, and Coleen (Joe) Woods.

Devoted to her 15 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren. Special aunt to Dave and Chrissy Gazzo. Cherished by many friends throughout the years.

To many she was simply, NANA, a name that carried warmth, joy, and unconditional love. Her gentle spirit and calm peace touched all who knew her. Her life was a testament to her deep Catholic faith, her devotion to the Blessed Mother and her quiet grace.

A funeral mass will be held at Holy Family Parish St. Joseph Church, Verona, PA 15147 at 11:00 am on Saturday, August 23, 2025. Friends and family are welcome.

Previous Events

Mass

AUG **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Church
825 2nd Street
Verona, PA 15147

Tribute Wall

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“ Had my Christmas card returned and just learned Caki, passed RIP
A sweet family friend that was a joy to be around, Hugs to the family

Sue - January 09 at 07:59 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Carolyn J. Rees.



August 20, 2025 at 03:03 PM

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“ Colleen,
Im so sorry to hear of your Moms passing.
I often thought of her over the years. How kind she was when we
were young. Going to Mass with her and trying not to laugh at
things. Going to Islays after for sky scraper ice cream cones. Going
to Gold Circle and she bought me a beautiful pink satin
nightgown.she had the kindest heart and the warmest soul.
My prayers are with you for comfort my friend.
Love,
Debra (Harrington) Ovington

Debra Ovington - August 19, 2025 at 07:35 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Carolyn J. Rees.*



August 19, 2025 at 07:26 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Carolyn J. Rees.

August 19, 2025 at 07:26 PM



“ *Nunna may u rest in peace and dance in heaven...u held such a special place in my heart. U opened ur arms and took care of my Baley like she was family I will be forever grateful for the love that u showed the both of us. U truly will be missed. Forever grateful for u...sending condolences and hugs to the family. Love Laurie*

Laurie Boggess - August 19, 2025 at 11:28 AM



“ *May Carolyn rest in peace. What a sweet person. Such a dear friend of mom's. May her soul rest in peace. 🙏*

Debbie (Capuano) McClain

Debbie McClain - August 19, 2025 at 10:41 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Carolyn J. Rees.*



August 19, 2025 at 09:06 AM



“ *Long Family purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Carolyn J. Rees.*



Long Family - August 19, 2025 at 07:59 AM