



## Mary E. Farrell

March 4, 1929 - June 19, 2021

FARRELL, Mary E.

Age 92, passed away peacefully on June 19, 2021. Daughter of the late Mary and Andrew Farrell; niece of the late Nora and Patrick Leonard; sister of the late Anne Gibbons and Vincent and Robert Farrell; ; aunt of Lisa (David) Wnuck, the late Lee Anne (Bill) McClymont, Linda (Charlie) Trenowith, Stephen (Geraldine) Farrell, the late Andrew Farrell, and Drew (the late Susan) Gibbons; cousin of Regis (Barbara), Roger (Pam), Robert Leonard, William (the late Gerry) Wiseman, Larry and Jim Wiseman, Nancy (Phil) Conway, and the late Ethel and Dr. Regis J. Leonard.

Dr. Farrell retired after 38 years of service with the Pittsburgh Public Schools and also taught at Duquesne University. Friends will be received at D'ALESSANDRO FUNERAL HOME and CREMATORY, Ltd., Butler at 46th Sts., on Monday, from 5 PM - 8 PM, where friends will gather Tuesday at 9 AM, followed by Mass of Christian Burial at St. Jude Parish, St. Raphael Church at 10AM. Burial at Calvary Cemetery. [www.dalessandro ltd.com](http://www.dalessandro ltd.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

718 Hazelwood Avenue  
Pittsburgh, PA 15217

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **21**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

D'Alessandro Funeral Home and Crematory Ltd.  
4522 Butler St.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15201

## Mass

JUN **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Saint Raphael Church  
1118 Chislett Street  
Pittsburgh, PA 15206

# Tribute Wall



“ Miss Farrell was the consummate teacher. She taught me in first grade at Fulton School and I have never forgotten her. She was inspiring and kind and nurturing. I have been a college professor now for 54 years and I take much of her teaching DNA with me. I just came across my report card from her and regret beyond belief that I did not reconnect with her before she passed say. Her heritage lives on both as a brilliant teacher and as the most caring person possible. I pray she rests in peace now. “Bobby” Anservitz

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**Bob Anservitz** - July 31, 2025 at 10:38 PM



“ Mary E. Farrell

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January 13, 2023 at 04:43 PM



“ Dr. Farrell was my favourite teacher, ever, and I too studied long and hard for my PhD, so I had many teachers; but she was the best. We found each other on email a few years back and have been corresponding up until a few weeks ago...what a gift. May her dear soul Rest In Peace, her memory is a blessing.  
JOELLE CAPLAN  
June 21, 2021

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**Joey Cap** - June 21, 2021 at 08:38 PM

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“ I believe when Miss Farrell was my second grade teacher at Fulton School she was right out of college. I am now 78 years old and I have never forgotten her. She remains my all time favorite teacher. I remember her short blond hair and blouses with Peter Pan collars. I remember her math flash cards to teach us addition. I was terrified that I would run out of fingers if she would call on me. I remember crawling around on the floor and she asked my mother if I didn't like her. My mom said I loved her but was probably bored in class so Miss Farrell gave me extra work to keep me occupied. She was a wonderful teacher and person. Several years ago I had the opportunity to meet with her and I took her to lunch in Oakland. I don't know if she remembered me but I surely remembered her and still do to this day. If the weather permits, I will pay my respects on Monday. I would love to meet Miss Farrell's family.



Diane (Friedman) Otto - June 21, 2021 at 03:06 PM



“ Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Mary E. Farrell.



June 21, 2021 at 07:49 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mary E. Farrell.



June 20, 2021 at 05:22 PM



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June 20, 2021 at 04:35 PM