



Andrea Corsillo

October 4, 1944 - October 16, 2023

Andrea Corsillo, of Alexandria, VA, peacefully gained her wings and was summoned to be in God's Presence on Monday, October 16, 2023, after a fight with a rare Central Nervous System (CNS) Lymphoma type of Cancer. She is the beloved wife of Paul, devoted and loving mother of Vince and Catherine, and grandmother of Julie Stephens.

Andrea was born in Dunbar Township, PA on October 4, 1944, to John and Wanda Walchesky. She graduated from Dunbar High School as the Salutatorian. She married Paul Corsillo on August 7, 1965, in Alexandria, VA. Andrea is survived by her husband Paul, her two children, Vince and Catherine, her granddaughter Julie Stephens, and her siblings Lawrence and Bernadette. The late Victoria, Edward and Elizabeth were also her siblings. Andrea had numerous Godchildren, and lots of nieces and nephews. She also had many wonderful friends she cherished. She will truly be missed by many.

Andrea was an active leader in her community. She loved helping and giving back in many ways. She was active in St. Louis Church with the Eucharistic Ministry for the homebound, Catholic Council of Women (CCW), Bereavement Committee, St. Lucy Guild, Poor Clair Nuns, and Chapel Adoration. She also led many activities in the Lions Club - sold many Football mania tickets and Virginia Nuts, organized the Peace Poster project for various local schools, white cane, Seeing and Hearing booths and collections and more! She visited

the sick, volunteered at Mt. Eagle School by reading, library assistance, classroom help, and other tasks. She loved doing yoga and had a knack with her wonderful plants! She loved sending heartfelt letters and remembering everyone's birthdays and used fun postage stamps! She had fun taking her chances with scratch tickets and at the casino. It was difficult to keep up with all her energy!

We will miss her fun, quick wit, her humor and her loving smile!

Family and friends are welcome to a Celebration of Andrea's life, to include a closed viewing at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Dr., Alexandria, VA 22315, Sunday, October 22, 2023, 5PM-8:30PM. Prayers at 5:15PM. Funeral Services, including a closed viewing and Holy Mass, Monday, October 23, 2023, 10:00AM, St. Louis Catholic Church, 2907 Popkins Lane, Alexandria, VA 22306. Burial at Mt. Comfort Cemetery, Alexandria, VA 22306, with a reception following immediately at the St. Louis Catholic Church - Little Way Cafe (far white building to the right in the church parking lot). In lieu of flowers, donations in her honor may be made to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (<https://lls.org>) or the Dementia Society of America (<https://www.dementiasociety.org>). Please sign the family guestbook at <https://www.jeffersonfuneralchapel.com>.

Family is encouraging guests to bring photos of Andrea to the funeral home to share on their memory board.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **22**. 5:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel
5755 Castlewellan Dr
Alexandria, VA 22315-5516
(703) 971-7400

Prayers at 5:15 PM by Father Keith O'Hare

Viewing

OCT **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Louis Catholic Church
2907 Popkins Lane
Alexandria, VA 22306

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Louis Catholic Church
2907 Popkins Ln
Alexandria, VA 22306
(703) 765-4421

Livestream available at <https://boxcast.tv/view/funeral-mass-of-andrea-corsillo-b8fnfv8wpe0xyhcgmf02>

Graveside Service

OCT **23**. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Mt. Comfort Cemetery
6600 South Kings Highway
Alexandria, VA 22306

Reception

OCT **23**. 1:30 PM (ET)

St. Louis Catholic Church
2907 Popkins Ln
Alexandria, VA 22306
(703) 765-4421

Reception at Little Way Cafe (far white building to the right in the church parking lot)

Tribute Wall



“ *Jefferson Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Andrea Corsillo*



Jefferson Funeral Chapel - October 20, 2023 at 04:18 PM

JB

“ *My brothers and I grew up with Vincent and Catherine and got to know Mrs. Corsillo over the years. She was a beloved member of our community and treated us like we were part of the family. I'm saddened by her loss and send all of my love and prayers to Paul, Vincent, and Catherine. Love, Jenn Ennis Bollen*

Jennifer Ennis Bollen - October 23, 2023 at 08:10 PM

DS

“ *I have known Andrea for over 30 years. Our friendship started when my children went to Mt Eagle ES. She was my mentor. Aside from volunteering, she also taught me life's lessons. She was so kind and very helpful to everyone. Her legacy will always remain in my heart. Until we meet again my friend! May your soul rest in peace. We will miss you.*

Dolores Spencer - October 19, 2023 at 06:53 PM

MH

“ Andrea was a neighbor for over 20 years, and she inducted me into the Lions Club. She was marvelous volunteer, always full of energy and optimism. She cared deeply about the community. I wish her and her family peace.

Mike Huffman - October 19, 2023 at 09:55 AM

JS

“ I lived in Jefferson Manor for 19 years and saw Andrea frequently. She was such a positive force in the neighborhood. My sympathies to her family on this great loss.

Julie Sibbing - October 18, 2023 at 01:28 PM

CH

“ The Hunter family sends our condolences to Andrea's family. Andrea was a lovely woman, and I am so thankful I had the chance to get to know her more personally through a Lenten study group this spring. She was such a dedicated servant - involved in so many church ministries and in caring for her family and friends. Her loss will be felt by many.

Cate Hunter - October 18, 2023 at 01:01 AM

JM

Have worked along side Andrea at many receptions at St. Louis Church. She was a hard worker and an amazing volunteer. Andrea would always go "the extra mile"-- visiting the sick, helping those in need and always being there for others. She will be missed by many in our church community. The McCracken Family

JoAnn McCracken - October 19, 2023 at 09:27 AM

SF

I met Andrea through the Lions club, She was a dear friend to us and the Mason Neck Lions Club. She will be dearly missed.

sharon fussell - October 19, 2023 at 10:17 PM

CH

Andrea was my parents friend in Jefferson Manor. They had many "GameNights" and my mom, Sandy Snyder and dad, Al, enjoyed those nights with Andrea and Paul and other friends. I extend my sincere condolences to Paul and the rest of the family. Christine Snyder Huff

Christine Huff - October 20, 2023 at 03:30 PM

MB

I received the gift of meeting Andrea through the Eucharist Ministry at St Louis Catholic Church. Andrea brought holy communion to my Mom for 5 years and I know my Mom enjoyed her visits very much. We became friends and I became a big fan of Andrea's. She was reserved yet persuasive in her quiet way and devoted so much of her time to service for others. I will miss her very much as will her whole church community. May Andrea's soul rest in peace and God bless Paul and all her family.

Mary Jane R Blodgett - October 20, 2023 at 08:46 PM