



## Mrs. Christine L. Taikowski

December 5, 1949 - November 25, 2025

Christine L. Taikowski, of Pittsfield, passed away on Tuesday, November 25, 2025, just shy of celebrating her 76th birthday. Born in Pittsfield, MA on December 5, 1949, daughter of the late Peter and Phyllis Provost Krupka, she attended Pittsfield High School, was a volunteer Candy Striper and worked at Eaton Paper Mill. She was a member of St. Mark's Parish.

Christine was the "Heart and Soul of our family". She always made her family top priority, (especially her grandchildren!) She loved being by their side, seeing each of their needs were met with nothing but love and support.

Among many things, she enjoyed doing crafts of all sorts. Her passions were going to casinos and camping with family and friends. She loved cross-country adventures with family and cruising the Caribbean Islands with her best friends.

Christine is survived by her beloved husband (best friend) of 60 years Richard Taikowski whom she married on September 5th, 1965. She leaves behind her children, Richard Jr (Michelle) Gregory (Brenda), as well as her 5 grandchildren Joseph, Chad, Kira, TJ and Kylie, and 8 great grandchildren, Devin, Colton, Ace, Jackson, Eliana, Teddy, and Jordyn all of whom held a special place in her heart. Christine is also survived by 3 sisters, Donna, Debby, Sandy, a brother Peter and sister-in-law, Joan Mansen.

Besides her parents, she was predeceased by her sisters Angelina and Nancy, a brother-in-law Ed Taikowski, a grandson Sammy and great-grandson Gunner.

“Forever in our hearts”.

Funeral Notice:

A graveside service for Christine will be Friday, December 5, 2025, at 1pm at St. Joseph Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Christine’s memory can be made to St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital in care of the Dwyer Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Cemetery

222 Peck's Rd.  
Pittsfield, MA 01201

# Previous Events

## Service

DEC 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

CS

“ So sorry Greg , Rich and family for you loss. Sorry I did not see this in time to be there. You are all I. My thoughts and prayers. May your fondest memories carry you through this difficult time.

christine Schleicher - December 07, 2025 at 01:04 AM

EZ

“ Sincere condolences to all of you Chris was a lovely young lady always smiling and being there for all of her family RIP ..Eileen Zieba

eileen zieba - December 03, 2025 at 03:39 PM

HW

“ Dear Richard and family we were sorry to hear about Christine's passing. Years pass by families seem to lose touch with each other, but every time we did see each other she was always bubbly with a smile and a hug. Keeping all of you in our prayers.  
Harold and Gloria

Harold Williams - December 03, 2025 at 11:20 AM

LH

“ My sincere condolences to Dicky & family. I have many fond memories - going to campgrounds & other family events with my 2 kids. Thanks so much for the fun times. We will certainly miss you! God's peace & blessings.

Lynne S Dallmeyer Hartman - December 02, 2025 at 11:46 PM