



Mrs. Dorothy "Dottie" Amuso

February 2, 1930 - September 8, 2022

Mrs. Dorothy "Dottie" Amuso, 92, of Pittsfield, passed away peacefully at her home on Thursday, September 8, 2022. Born in Pittsfield, MA, on February 2, 1930, the daughter of the late Thomas and Beatrice Andrews Londergan, she graduated from the former St. Joseph High School.

Dorothy's greatest joy in life was her family. She took pride in providing for each and every one of their needs and did so with nothing but love.

Among many things, she enjoyed cooking holiday meals for her large family and, of course, making her famous Italian cookie platters for family weddings. Dorothy loved knitting, especially hats, mittens, and sweaters for her grandchildren and great grandchildren, whom she adored.

Dottie was one of the first female members of the Lions Club in Hinsdale, MA, where she enjoyed volunteering alongside her husband, Joe.

Dorothy was predeceased by her beloved husband of 68 years, Joseph A. Amuso, whom she married on April 10, 1948. Joe passed away on October 15, 2016. She is survived by her children, Daniel D. Amuso (Joyce) and Marjorie Amuso Wigglesworth (Peter), as well as her daughters-in-law, Jo-Ann and Genny. Dottie is survived by her 14 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren.

Besides her husband, Dorothy was predeceased by her children, Joseph Amuso and Peter Amuso, as well as her grandson, Michael Amuso. Additionally, she was preceded in death by her siblings, Marilyn Barton, Shirley Marden, Thomas Londergan, and Richard Londergan.

Dottie's family would like to thank the caring staff at Windgate Residences at Melbourne Place, as well as the professional and caring staff at HospiceCare in the Berkshires.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mrs. Dorothy "Dottie" Amuso will be Wednesday, September 14, 2022 with a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 11 am at St. Charles Church, celebrated by the Rev. A. Peter Gregory, Pastor Emeritus of St. Charles. Burial will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery. Calling hours will be Tuesday, September 13, 2022, from 4 pm to 6 pm at the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North Street, Pittsfield MA 01201. In lieu of flowers, donations in Dorothy's memory can be made to the Salvation Army of Pittsfield or HospiceCare in the Berkshires in care of the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery

222 Peck's Rd.
Pittsfield, MA 01201

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **13.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Dwyer Family Funeral Home
776 North Street
Pittsfield, MA 01201
(413) 442-5094
info@dwyerfuneral.com
<https://www.dwyerfuneral.com/>

Service

SEP **14.** 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Charles Church
89 Briggs Ave.
Pittsfield, MA 01201
<http://stcharlespittsfield.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ 51 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Dwyer Funeral Home Inc. - September 13, 2022 at 09:00 AM

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“ Dear Amuso Family, How can we thank you all for so many wonderful memories we have of years of summertime fun at the Amuso Family Farm on Churchill Street. From The Fireman Muster during the Fourth of July birthday celebrations, to the country dancing at The Balancing Rock Cafe, to Hunting for eggs around the barn, to churning fresh milk into butter, to sitting around the porch at the big house singing songs, to the Amuso boys playing their guitars, and the Long Dining Room Table laden with piles of home-made Italian meatballs and spaghetti. Wow! Most of all, it was such fun having long talks with Dottie about life, love, family, growing up, and eternity! We will miss her and her loving philosophy about the really important things in this world. We are confident she had a grand welcoming committee as she recently entered Heaven to continue to guide us from the other side.

Love,

All the Cronins (Marie, Margaret, and Marilyn) including the about to-be born Leo (Cronin) Trudell!

Marie Cronin Reilly - September 12, 2022 at 04:25 PM

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“ *Katherine Kerin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy "Dottie" Amuso*



Katherine Kerin - September 11, 2022 at 12:49 PM

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“ *To the Amuso family;
Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May Dorothy rest in peace.
God bless you,
Louie & Mimi Meunier*

Louis Meunier - September 10, 2022 at 09:29 PM