



Anita L Pedro

May 23, 1938 - December 14, 2022

A gentle soul is at rest, in the early morning of December 14, 2022 the gates of Heaven opened and the angels rejoiced upon the arrival of the Blessed soul of Anita L. Pedro, 84, of Luther's Mills, Pennsylvania due to stage 4 stomach cancer.

Anita was born on May 23, 1938, at her grandmother's home in Wysox Township to F. Loren Tuttle and Enda R. Dyer Tuttle. She was a graduate of Northeast Bradford School class of 1956. She married shortly after graduation and moved to Towanda. She became a loving mother to her three children Jeffery Lynn, Jo Lorraine, and Jon Loren.

After years of being a stay-at-home mother and wife, Anita took a job at Newberry's in the material department being an accomplished sewer this position was a labor of love. She then changed jobs and worked at the sewing factory in Standing Stone for several years until it closed. Then moving on to the sewing factory at the Marie Antoinette look out for a while. Then she was employed at Dupont Corporation from March of 1982 to August of 2004 becoming a technical specialist in the research and development department. In 1990 Anita met Sam Manley and it was an instant love, she and Sam were soulmates and spent the next twenty-seven years together until Sam's passing.

Anita was a Boy Scout Leader, Girl Scout Leader, a member of the Sylvania Lions Club and a member of TOPS in Towanda. She was a talented artistic person, she could knit, crochet, needle point, counted cross stich, sew, quilt,

paint, woodwork, and masonry work. To get a gift from her was always exciting to find out what she had made for you.

For several years she was a Creative Memories Consultant and hosted monthly workshops in her home. She loved having the girls in and watching and helping them create albums that told the story of some event that they were working on. One of the highlights of the workshop was what was she going to serve for the snack, it always had to be something special and themed around a holiday. She had many friends and treasured them all. Anita also enjoyed traveling, attending the Rose Bowl parade in Pasadena, California twice and enjoyed a memorable Rose Bowl football game between the University of Michigan vs. the University of Texas Longhorns in 2005 with the Longhorns winning in the last 13 seconds of the game. Her many travels included trips to Ireland, Austria to see the Oberammergau Passion Play, Germany, Switzerland, China, Italy, Alaska, Hawaii, and many trips in the United States

She is survived by Daughter Jo (Roger) Sollick of East Liverpool, OH, Son Jon Pedro of Bradenton FL, Grandchildren Brandee (Keith) Gorsline of Ulster, Joe (Jamie) Bowen of Liberty Corners, Darci (Jason) Watkins of Ulster, Billy Shaw of New York City, Lyndsey (Matt) Comment of Warrenton, VA Alisha (John) Kennedy of Houston TX, R Blaine (Kally) Sollick of Dayton OH, Thad Sollick, Zayra Ramiez of Enid OK. Great Grandchildren Riley, Lizzie, Seija, Avery, Cecelia and Miriam Gorsline, Joey, Will, Gracie, Tommy, Allison, Rebecca, Able and Jack Bowen, Jason, Wyatt and Henry Watkins, Ben Comment, John, Connor and Evelyn Kennedy, Blaine and Holden Sollick, and Emberli, Exton and Rafe Sollick, one Great Great Grandson Kason, and a sister Shirley (Gene) Anderson of Ulster. Brother-in-law Joe Pedro of Muncy, PA and Betty Pedro of New Albany, PA. Her two cats Pepper and CC.

She was predeceased by her parents, sister and brother-in-law Helen and Bill VanOrden, son Jeff, her soul mate Sam, Brother-in-laws and sister-in-law Alfred and Loretta Wood, Tony Pedro, and Albert Pedro.

The family will receive friends Sunday December 18 from 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM

at the Maryott-Bowen

Funeral Home, 217 York Avenue, Towanda, Pa. The Funeral will be held on
Monday December 19

At 11:00 AM. Interment will be in the Bradford County Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to Bradford County Human Society Ulster

Memories and Condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfunerhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Bradford County Memorial Park

20452 Route 6
Towanda, PA 18848

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 18. 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home
217 York Ave.
Towanda, PA 18848
(570) 265-2272
info@bowenfuneralhomes.com

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Anita L Pedro*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Anita L Pedro*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Anita L Pedro*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Anita L Pedro*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *Anita L Pedro*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *Anita was one of the kindest people I have known. I met her at DuPont and knew many people she knew and/or was related to. She loved people and treated everyone like she had known them forever and was loved so by Sam and others. She was a beautiful and very talented lady who shared her talents with many. She will be missed.*

Kevin and Sally Allis - January 03, 2023 at 03:48 PM

BA

“ We were so sorry to hear of Anita's passing. Sam Manley was my mother's cousin, and Mom was so happy that he and Anita found each other. They came to visit Mom and her husband Frank in Phoenixville a couple of times. It was always a pleasure chatting with Anita and we admired her adventurous spirit. She was a beautiful, thoughtful lady who will be greatly missed. With love, Barbara Arnold (writing on behalf of Sue (Manley) Rechner)

Barbara Arnold - December 19, 2022 at 01:07 PM



“ Sending prayers..Richard & Antoinette Pedro Jr

Antoinette Pedro - December 19, 2022 at 11:52 AM

CC

“ Craig Celestino purchased the Simply Elegant Sp athiphyllum for the family of Anita L Pedro.



Craig Celestino - December 19, 2022 at 10:10 AM

CH

“ Claire Holton-Lizon lit a candle in memory of Anita Pedro



Claire Holton-Lizon - December 18, 2022 at 11:22 AM

AB

“ Anita was a wonderful friend to my late Mom. She was a multi-talented all around nice person. My condolences to her family. She will be missed. Anita Bennett

Anita Bennett - December 18, 2022 at 08:56 AM

JP

“ We were lucky to have gotten meet Anita a few years ago when she was visiting with Jo and Roger.
It was clear she was fun loving and independent. She would make the long drive and be ready to go with her daughter and family. Her funny remarks about “not cooking” because of the mess, were hilarious.
I wish I had the opportunity to have known her for a long time.

Jim and Peggy - December 17, 2022 at 04:41 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Anita L Pedro.



December 17, 2022 at 12:48 PM

RS

“ *Some of my fondest memories with Anita include all the times she hosted Creative Memories classes at her home. Everything was so warm and inviting. And she always made a special snack for the group. She would share her latest sewing project and was a kind and comforting soul. I loved hearing about her travels, which inspired me to do the same.*

Renee Sparrow - December 17, 2022 at 10:16 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Anita L Pedro.*



December 17, 2022 at 10:02 AM