



## Ann M. Vining

February 3, 1930 - May 3, 2016

At her home May 3, 2016 Ann Molloy Vining 86, of Hamden. Wife of the late Russell E. Vining. Loving mother of Christy Vining Russell (Dennis) of Southington, Peter Vining (Mary) of Stratford, Thomas Vining of Hamden, Phyllis Vining of Hamden, Andrew Vining of New Haven and Judi Vining of Stamford, sister of Margaret (Midge) Molloy Fitch of Hamden, MaryJane (Jane) Molloy Cannon of Hamden and Peter S. Molloy, Jr. of Bridgeport. Also survived by her grandchildren Colleen Russell Guertin (David) of S. Windsor, Aaron Russell (Shreya) of Seattle, Michael Russell of Farmington, Michael Slimak Vining of Stratford and great grandchildren Caylee and Graham Guertin of S. Windsor and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a sister Phyllis Molloy, a brother Richard Molloy and her grandson Kevin Vining. Ann was born in New Haven February 3, 1930, daughter of the late Gertrude (Wallace) and Peter S. Molloy, Sr. Mrs. Vining graduated from Hillhouse High School in 1947. Following high school, Ann attended Hartt School of Music, Hartford and Larson Business College. Prior to her marriage, she worked at New Haven Savings Bank and New Haven Tobacco Co, both in New Haven. For over 20 years, she owned and operated Vining's Package Store and Vining's This 'n That Shoppe with her husband in Hamden. After they closed their business, she continued working, first at Centerville Card and Candy then Stop & Shop both in Hamden. Ann loved traveling. She traveled around the world with her daughters, Phyllis and Judi. Ann loved music and was known for her beautiful voice.

Funeral from Sisk Brothers Funeral Home 3105 Whitney Ave. Hamden,  
Monday at 9:30 a.m., Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. in Our Lady of Mt.  
Carmel Church. Burial in St. Mary's Cemetery. Calling hours are Sunday from  
3 - 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers contributions to the Leukemia & Lymphoma  
Society, 3 Landmark Square, Suite 330, Stamford, CT. 06901. [www.siskbrothers.com](http://www.siskbrothers.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Mary Cemetery

3102 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling hours

MAY 8. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Sisk Brothers Funeral Home  
3105 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT 06518  
(203) 288-7114  
siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net

## Funeral service

MAY 9. 10:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church  
2819 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Christy Russell lit a candle in memory of Ann M. Vining*



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**Christy Russell** - May 10, 2016 at 08:55 AM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ann M. Vining.*



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May 08, 2016 at 11:44 AM

BR

“ *Brian and Rob purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Ann M. Vining.*



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**Brian and Rob** - May 07, 2016 at 01:30 PM

IS

“ *In Deepest sympathy, Kim and Michael Slimak purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Ann M. Vining.*



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**In Deepest sympathy, Kim and Michael Slimak** - May 07, 2016 at 09:50 AM

KS

“ On Christmas 2014 we had the pleasure of spending that special day with Ann and all of her wonderful "kids" at son Pete's and his wife Mary's home. I spoke with Ann and after an interesting and thoughtful conversation we enjoyed all that was going on in the warm and bright home. I expressed my concern about her recent hospital stays. She smiled and said with a twinkle in her eye, "Well, I like to take a little vacation occasionally.... plus it keeps my kids on their toes." What a great and brave way to think of a hospital stay! Ann was so charming, and joyful! ... a great, lovely lady, I never forgot that. She will be missed by many. With Love and deepest sympathy, Kim and Michael J Slimak

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**Kimberly Slimak** - May 07, 2016 at 08:35 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ann M. Vining.



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May 07, 2016 at 03:16 AM

JG

“ Jeff Galloway purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ann M. Vining.



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**Jeff Galloway** - May 07, 2016 at 01:51 AM

VW

“ Dear Vinning Family  
Another angel has risen to the ranks to protect you all. My mom went to school with her. She raised beautiful caring children and supported her husband through thick and thin. Mrs. Vinning will be missed greatly. I wish you all strength and courage during this tough transition. God speed to all the Vinnings.  
Valerie Wunderlin-Luedee

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**Valerie Wunderlin-Luedee** - May 06, 2016 at 11:24 AM

MF

“ Phyllis, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your whole family. Your mother was a great person and whenever I ran into her in Stop & Shop, she would always ask how my family was. She was always thinking of others! She always made your friends feel like one of the family. She will be truly missed and just remember, she is there watching over you.

Mary Nolan Foster

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**Mary Foster** - May 06, 2016 at 08:04 AM

MJ

“ My deepest sympathy to all the Vining family.

Meg Atzbach Jenkins

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**Meg Atzbach Jenkins** - May 06, 2016 at 07:35 AM

KB

“ I have such great memories of the Vining family. Ann always welcome you into her home. We were like her own children and she loved having us. She raised great kids and I feel blessed to know them and call them family. Much love Katie Brady

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**kathleen brady** - May 05, 2016 at 11:51 PM

TA

“ Ann, you were an extraordinary person and I'm thankful I got to meet you and know you. I will never forget the first time I came to Hamden and had the honor of working in the Vining's This and That. Oh what fun I had! I will always cherish those moments and the countless other times we spent together when I visited or you came to St. Louis. May you rest in peace. My thoughts and prayers to all the family. Sending you all hugs and my love. Tamyra

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**Tamyra** - May 05, 2016 at 10:53 PM

JG

“ Our lives have so intertwined...I will always have wonderful memories of Ann. My deepest sympathies to you all and especially my dear friend Christy.

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**Jane Colwell Glynn** - May 05, 2016 at 08:57 PM