



## Jean Q. Arpine

April 17, 1927 - February 11, 2021

Jean Quinn Arpine, 93, of Woodbridge entered peacefully into eternal rest, on February 11, 2021. She was born on April 17, 1927, the daughter of William and Frances Doolittle Quinn. Jean was the wife of 60 years to the late Joseph Carl Arpine. She was predeceased by an infant daughter, Kathy, and her sister Harriette Lynch of Mebane, North Carolina. Jean was the beloved mother of Mona (Louis) Criscuolo of North Haven, William (Benelyn) Arpine of Hamden, Christopher Arpine of New Windsor, NY, and Daria (John) Howard of Hamden. She is survived by five grandchildren: Jessica Criscuolo (Gary Biros), Brett (Genevieve) Criscuolo, Jackson Arpine, Stefanie Howard (Cat Macari), Francesca (Demetrius) Macias, along with five great-grandchildren: Jacob Biros, Lucyanna, Mia Rae and Teddie Criscuolo, and Evangeline Macias. Jean is also survived by her nieces, Debbie Lynch of Mebane, North Carolina and Karen Lynch of New York City.

Jean retired from the administrative department of Yale University Dining Services. After retirement she worked alongside her husband, Joe, in his electrical contracting business.

Jean was an amazing wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and a generous friend to all who knew her. Her talents were plentiful. Jean could knock down a wall, rebuild it, wallpaper it, and refinish and reupholster every piece of furniture in the room. Her skills went outside the home, too - Jean was extremely proud of her beautiful gardens. Her energy had no limits.

Funeral services will be private. A memorial service for Jean will be held at a

later date when social gathering will be safe for everyone. Sisk Brothers Funeral Home, 3105 Whitney Ave., Hamden is in charge of arrangements. To leave an online condolence, please visit: [www.siskbrothers.com](http://www.siskbrothers.com).

# Tribute Wall

JA

“ To the Arpine Family. I am so sorry for the loss of your mom. I worked with her in Dining Hall Accounting for 10 years. We sat right next to each other. Jean was very helpful to me and the whole office. With her smile and personality, she always was a friend to all. Heaven has gained a wonderful angel with her new wings. Rest easy my dear friend.

*Janice Agostini  
Dining Hall Accounting.*

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**Janice Agostini** - February 20, 2021 at 08:02 PM

CP

“ Very sad to read of Jean's passing. I met her when Joe did electrical work at my home in Woodbridge. In fact, he and Jean were the first people we met in town - they were our local contacts for the home security system. I remember Jean bringing Joe lunch and sweeping up after him as he drilled holes in our walls during various repair and upgrade projects. We brought our kids to the Arpine home for many years for Halloween and always got the red carpet treatment. My kids loved the Arpines! The world is short one very nice person day. Enjoy heaven Jean.

*Chuck Pyne*

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**Chuck Pyne** - February 16, 2021 at 04:34 PM

DH

“ Mona and family, I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this sad time.

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**Donna Halten** - February 14, 2021 at 09:32 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jean Q. Arpine.*



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February 14, 2021 at 03:40 PM



“ *Dear Arpine family, Words alone cannot begin to express my deepest sympathy for your loss. I worked with your mom for fifteen years in Dining Hall Accounting at Yale University. Her smile, good nature and caring ways is something I always treasured daily working with Jean. She was always there to add a helping hand which was just one of her many outstanding qualities. Your mother, leaves behind many wonderful memories which you will recall over the next few days in the company of family and friends. She still walks by your side every day and every time you think of her, she will always be there in your heart. Just know she is at peace with your dad and family of angels, for Heaven is now her home. She will always be in my prayers. Rest in God's peace Jean.*

*With Deepest Sympathy,  
Sal Garibaldi*

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**Sal Garibaldi** - February 14, 2021 at 10:53 AM



“ *my condolences to Daria and the whole Arpine family. may your memories be a comfort in the days ahead.  
sue pursell*

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**susan e pursell** - February 13, 2021 at 11:05 AM

BP

“ Condolences to the entire family. Mrs. Arpine never seemed to raise her voice when the local band of kids crashed through her yard and I'm sure prized gardens on West Rock Ave. I have many fond memories of that neighborhood and she helped make it a tight community.

*Bill Pursell*

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**Bill Pursell** - February 13, 2021 at 09:34 AM

JB

“ It's been many years since I've seen Jean. I worked for her husband Joe part time back in the 1960's and was always aware that they were a close team. Condolences to the family. John Bellmore

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**john bellmore** - February 12, 2021 at 05:23 PM

GF

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Keeping your family in our prayers at this difficult time. Nick & Geri Fanelli

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**geri fanelli** - February 12, 2021 at 03:06 PM

JA

*Dear Arpine Family, I worked with Jean for 10 Years in Dining Hall Accountng. We sat next to each other. She was a wonderful person. She helped me a lot at work. I will never her kindness her smile and wonderful personality. May she rest easy and she is at peace with her parents and your dad. Peace to you my dear friend*

*Janice Agostini Yale University*

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**Janice Agostini** - February 20, 2021 at 06:56 PM