



## Kathleen C. Zawalich

June 29, 1945 - March 17, 2025

Kathleen C. Zawalich, 79, of Hamden, beloved wife of Walter Zawalich, loving mother of Rebecca (and Michael) Donegan of Wallingford, Matthew (and Kala) Zawalich of Cheshire and Mark Zawalich of Hamden passed into eternal peace at her home on Monday, March 17. She is survived by her cherished grandchildren Owen, Molly, Maggie Donegan, and Daniel and Kira Zawalich. She is also survived by loving sister-in-laws Ellen Peloquin of Millbury, Massachusetts and Barbara Lemoine of Auburn, Massachusetts. Also surviving are her dear nieces, Patty Burke-Wey and Christine Bizinkauskas, and nephews, Tim Burke and Anthony Lemoine. She was predeceased by a sister Joan Burke and brother-in-laws Roger Peloquin, Alfred Lemoine, and Michael Burke. Kathleen was born in Worcester, Massachusetts on June 29, 1945, daughter of the late Francis and Marie Cote Crimmin. Kathleen graduated from St. Peters Central Catholic High School in 1963 and from Florida State University in 1973 with a bachelor's degree in Math Education. She retired after 32 years as a Research Associate for the Yale School of Medicine and the Yale School of Nursing. Final respects can be paid at the Sisk Brothers Funeral Home 3105 Whitney Ave in Hamden, on Monday, March 24. The family will receive friends from 9 am - 10:30 am. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 11 am at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church 2819 Whitney Ave in Hamden. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to Connecticut Hospice in Branford ([www.hospice.com](http://www.hospice.com)) or the Clelian Center in Hamden ([www.cleliancenter.org](http://www.cleliancenter.org)).



# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **24**. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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

## Funeral Mass

MAR **24**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall

MG

“ *Zeke. Many years since St Peter's HS. Kathy was unique and special. Sorry for your loss. Mike Garvey.* ”

Michael P Garvey - March 26, 2025 at 01:40 PM

BD

“ *Barbara Dlouhy lit a candle in memory of Kathleen Zawalich* ”



Barbara Dlouhy - March 21, 2025 at 03:35 PM

BD

“ *Dearest Mark and family. My sincere and deepest condolences over the loss of your beautiful mother. May God comfort you and your family during this time of grief and mourning. Barbara Dlouhy* ”

Barbara Dlouhy - March 21, 2025 at 03:32 PM

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“ *DTS - Patient Experience and Care Teams purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Kathleen C. Zawalich.* ”



DTS - Patient Experience and Care Teams - March 21, 2025 at 12:19 PM

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“ DTS Leadership Team purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Kathleen C. Zawalich.



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**DTS Leadership Team** - March 21, 2025 at 10:59 AM

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“ DTS Leadership Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kathleen C. Zawalich.

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**DTS Leadership Team** - March 21, 2025 at 10:59 AM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Kathleen C. Zawalich.



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March 21, 2025 at 10:58 AM

NG

“ Walt and family, I'm so sorry for your loss. I liked Kathy a lot. She always had a smile when I'd meet her.

-Neal Greene

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**Neal Greene** - March 20, 2025 at 07:32 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Kathleen C. Zawalich.*



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March 20, 2025 at 12:56 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kathleen C. Zawalich.

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March 20, 2025 at 12:56 PM