



Cecilia A. Pilc (nee Strong)

April 28, 1947 - April 24, 2026

April 24, 2026 of Lancaster, NY.

Beloved wife of the late James J. Pilc; loving mother of Sheila Pilc, James D. Pilc (Frank Carnavale) and Jennifer (William) Pilc-Benzin; cherished grandmother of Grace (Zachary), Cecilia "Cece", George James, Matthew James, Benjamin Peter, Noah James, TessaMae and the late Faith Marie; great-grandmother of Maximus, Aurelius and Theodore Strong; daughter of the late George and Jean Strong; dear sister of Ambrose (Ellie) Strong, Ronald Strong and the late Fran, Jack, and George Strong; sister-in-law of Sue (Tom) Jakubowicz; also survived by nieces and nephews. No prior visitation. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Monday, May 18th at 10AM in Immaculate Conception R.C. Church, 520 Oakwood Ave, East Aurora. Interment in St Matthews Cemetery. Flowers gratefully declined. Donations may be made in Cecilia's name to Hospice Buffalo, 225 Como Park Blvd., Cheektowaga, NY 14227. Please leave condolences online at www.SmolarekCares.com

Cemetery Details

St. Matthew's Cemetery

180 French Road
West Seneca, NY 14224

Upcoming Events

Mass of Christian Burial

MAY 18. 10:00 AM (ET)

Immaculate Conception RC Church
520 Oakwood Ave
East Aurora, NY 14052

Please Assemble at Church

Tribute Wall



“ *My sincere condolences to her children & grandchildren, who she loved dearly! Soft spoken but with the prettiest smile and the sweetest little laugh, always laughing! Such a beautiful lady! I will remember her kindness always.*

Diane DeJoseph

Diane DeJoseph - May 12 at 09:23 AM

HJ

My deepest sympathy to Jim, Frank, Ben, Noah, and to all Ceil's family and loved ones. "The life that she lived will always be remembered, The way she touched hearts cannot be erased. The smiles and laughter she created will live on forever. Even in this time of grief, may her memory carry you on to brighter days."

Henry Joseph

Henry Joseph - 46 minutes ago

KH

“ *My sincere condolences to all of Ceil's family. May many cherished memories bring comfort in the days ahead. I have been blessed with Ceil's friendship for over thirty years.*

So many fond memories to recall! Fly high with the angels Ceil. Rest In Peace my dear friend. Will miss you 💕💕 Kathy

Kathleen Harrigan - May 11 at 08:09 AM

SK

My Sincerest Condolences to the Family of my Dearest Friend Ceil Pilc ! How Blessed I always felt to be in her life , her presence and in the loving memories we shared !

Your Smile and Gentle and Sweetest Attitude will live on in our Hearts Forever !

Rest In Peace Loving Friend ! I treasure our times together ! 🙏❤️

Susan Kavanaugh - 13 hours ago

DR

“ Sending Our Sincerest Sympathies, Condolences. Prayers, and Heart felt Hugs, to Sheila, Jim, Jenny and your Families 🌸
Your Mom & Dad will always be in Our Hearts and with many Fond Memories.
They were both very Awesome and Loving.
I can remember as a kid first seeing them together in your Dad's 1965 Mustang convertible on the farm. We always had lots of fun at your family parties, shooting pool and going snowmobiling. I remember going to their first apartment on Neoga St. in Depew, then later at your brand new home in Orchard Park.
Your Mom was always so Gracious and now she is back with your Dad where they belong!
Maybe having fun driving a '65 Mustang and looking over all of You! 💖
Your Cuz,
Dave and Jesse Randall
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David J Randall - April 26 at 05:58 PM

KQ

“ Oh,my cousin(sister)Ceil. The past year we have been remembering our childhood and laughing and sharing many stories. Ceil babysat for us and I babysat for her kids. Ambrose and I stood up for their wedding. I am so glad she has a big happy family, that she loves very much. Wishing you peace and comfort during this difficult time. Love. Karen and Skip Quale 🙏❤️

Karen Quale - April 24 at 09:22 PM