



## Josephine Cavone

March 19, 1962 - August 15, 2018

ALBANY Josephine Cavone, 56 years old and a lifelong resident of Albany, entered into Heaven on August 15, 2018, on the Feast of the Assumption. Born in Albany, she was the daughter of Maria (Calaveri) Cavone and the late Guido Cavone.

Josephine graduated from Albany Public School #24, Hackett Middle School, Albany High School, and Albany College of Pharmacy. She worked at the Madison Avenue Price Chopper for 11 years, while in high school and college.

She was a professional Pharmacist at CVS, spanning three decades at multiple Capital District locations. Josephine had an engaging smile that lit up the room and will be missed by all. Her genuine kindness and ability to see the good in all, was an inspiration to all who knew her. She was a humble woman who was more interested in serving others more than being served herself. She always "brought the snacks." She loved gardening and decorating her home, both inside and out. She was an avid fan of rock music, and enjoyed going to concerts with her sister Vinnie, and later, with nieces and nephews.

Josephine was a Mets fan, an enthusiasm she shared with her family. She enjoyed travel, to Italy; especially a trip to Venice on her birthday in 1998 and a pilgrimage for the canonization of Kateri Tekakwitha in 2012. She was cared

for during her final illness by Dr. Colman and associates, nurses, and aides of the Hospice Inn at St. Peter's Hospital. In addition to her mother, she is survived by her brothers and sisters, Angelo Cavone (Carol Klouse), AnnMarie Banks (Matthew), Frank Cavone (Karen), Anthony Cavone (Annette Pope) and Vincenzina Farry; her devoted friend and spouse Maureen Fay Harmon; her brothers and sisters-in-law, Mary Ellen O'Connell, (late James), Thomas Harmon (Loretta Dowling), Karen Law, William Harmon, John Harmon (Maureen Larkin), Phyllis Blow (Steven) and the late Michael Harmon, David Harmon, and James Harmon. Also survived by numerous loving, nieces and nephews and a host of longtime friends.

Josephine was a communicant of The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. She also regularly attended Blessed Sacrament, St. Francis of Assisi, All Saints, Mater Christi, and the VA Chapel. In preparation for daily Mass, she would research and reflect upon the daily scriptures. Josephine relied on her sister, AnnMarie, for guidance, medical advice, and matters of the heart.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Josephine's family on Tuesday, August 21, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception Church, Albany. A funeral Mass, officiated by Father William Pape, will immediately follow at 12 p.m.

The Rite of Interment will be held in St. Agnes Cemetery, Menands.

Donations, in lieu of flowers, may be made to the Cathedral Food Pantry (or any local food pantry).

To leave Josephine's family a message on their guest-book, light a candle, obtain directions, or view other helpful services, please visit [mcveighfuneralhome.com](http://mcveighfuneralhome.com)



# Cemetery Details

## St. Agnes Cemetery

48 Cemetery Ave  
Menands, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 21. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception  
Corner of Eagle Street and Madison Avenue  
Albany, NY 12202  
(518) 463-4447

## Service

AUG 21. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Josephine Cavone*

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October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



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**Maureen Harmon** - September 07, 2018 at 10:18 AM



“ *Josephine did not know me, but I knew her as the calm and caring pharmacist at the CVS in Delmar. She answered my questions patiently and with an attentive ear. Peace to her family and friends.*

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**Kathleen E.** - August 23, 2018 at 06:58 AM

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“ When I think of Josie I am reminded most of her kind spirit and selfless ways. She was always attentive to the feelings of others and stood right there with you in a moment of need. My tears flow knowing that I may not laugh again with her, but my heart is full remembering the times we once did. Her dedication to her profession and commitment to family was inspiring. Josie showed me what one may achieve through hard work and left me after each shift with a reminder " hey...be good to yourself". Her smile, always welcoming and contagious has left an imprint on me. I am grateful to have ever had the opportunity to know someone as special as her.

-Aprill L.

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**Aprill L.** - August 22, 2018 at 12:20 AM

MR

“ Dear Tony and Family,  
Our sincere regrets for your loss. She was always a help to me when I need advise at CVS and was a asset to being a pharmacist. God Bless her and your family at this time!

Sincerely,  
Mary and Mark Russo

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**Mary and Mark Russo** - August 20, 2018 at 09:43 PM



“ I just learned of Josephine aka Pinas' passing, she was such a sweet and giving person! So humble yet so smart....I'm so sorry for your loss. Marilyn Von Dollen

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**Marilyn von Dollen** - August 20, 2018 at 07:20 PM

FL

“ *For Josephine's beloved family, please know of my close prayers for each of you and your dear Josephine; may the Lord Jesus receive her into the heavenly kingdom and may you be at peace knowing of her intimate union with Jesus Christ. May your sadness at her death be soothed and consoled.*

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**Fr. David LeFort** - August 20, 2018 at 10:21 AM

DK

“ Dear Maureen (Harmon),  
No words of sympathy can ease your pain..  
But in these verses I'll try...

*to give a small amount of comfort , during this difficult time.*

*Take solace that Dear Josephine is always by your side .  
Always living within your heart and sweet memories in your mind.*

*Bringing you together was surely a gift from GOD.  
Soul mates standing Boldly against all kinds of odds!*

*God Blessed your precious union, a forever LOVE was bestowed!  
Its resilient, beautiful, and more precious than Gold!*

*Dearest friend,  
Josephine is at Peace and wants you to take Care.  
Wishes you limit your sadness, crying and despair.  
Instead CHERISH her dazzling smile, her laughter and wit.  
She knows those memories will help you to get through some of  
this!*

*REMEMBER,  
a gentle breeze on your cheek, a sudden burst of rain...  
is Josephine way of saying " Honey I'm ok. "  
" So my Beloved Maureen please be ok too. as always you know, I  
want what's best for you. "  
"Know my Angel wings will enfold you, to keep you warm and safe."  
" Till we greet each other again In God's loving EMBRACE. "  
Sincerely and with love,  
Darlana (Dolly) and Sally Kipper*

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**Darlana (Dolly) and Sally Kipper** - August 20, 2018 at 09:17 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Josephine Cavone.*



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August 20, 2018 at 08:53 AM



“ *I was a long time customer of Josephine at CVS Delmar. She always had a smile, even in the early morning hours, and inquired about my overall health. She was a joy. God Bless and my sincere condolences. Michael Smith.*

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**Michael J. Smith** - August 19, 2018 at 09:52 AM



“ *Josephine was the kindest, most caring and generous soul. I remember her paying copays at CVS for patients who couldn't afford it. I know her family and her faith were her priorities. She always had a smile for you, despite what she was going through. She will be deeply missed but it is comforting to know her suffering is over and she'll be welcomed into heaven with open arms. My condolences to all.*

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**Shannon Foglia** - August 19, 2018 at 09:15 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Josephine Cavone.*



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August 19, 2018 at 04:00 AM

JK

“ I met Josephine when she first came to work at CVS. She was a wonderful lady who always worked hard and went the extra mile. Always early to work and late to leave the Pharmacy. She was loved by all her patients.

Josephine you are in a better place now, but you leave behind a multitude of friends who miss you.

Jim Kitts

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James Kitts - August 18, 2018 at 09:19 PM

MO

“ Marilyn O'dell lit a candle in memory of Josephine Cavone



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marilynn o'dell - August 18, 2018 at 04:52 PM

MO

Thank you for the memories of when we would pass the time away talking together on our 8-8 overnight shifts. I will never forget those times. You were always a good friend and thanks again for the smiles and laughs. I know you are in God's arms. God bless you Josie

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marilynn o'dell - August 18, 2018 at 04:56 PM

AF

“ I only New her as the pharmacist in Delmar but she was memorable in that she took the time to remember me and to give me information I didn't even know I neede.i am so sorry for your loss.She will be missed by people outside her immediate family and friends

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anne furman - August 18, 2018 at 02:01 PM

KS

“ *Maureen and family,  
I am so sorry for your loss. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Kathy Schongar** - August 18, 2018 at 12:21 PM

AR

“ *Maureen & Family: Had the privilege to be Josephine's mailman for some 12 years. Truly a sweet, humble, caring woman. She was usually gardening or walking back from work. Enjoyed our small talk. You were blessed by her caring personality. Don't forget your wonderful memories of Josephine , for they will keep a permanent place in your hearts and a smile on your faces.  
May she rest in peace, Amen! Thank you Josephine for embellishing what a sweet good hearted person should be like on this earth.*

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**Andrew Rudzinski** - August 18, 2018 at 11:00 AM

NS

*Maureen,  
We are so sorry for your loss. May all the good memories that you have be a blessing upon you.  
Larry and Nanci Saltwell*

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**Nanci Saltwell** - August 23, 2018 at 04:12 PM