



## Patricia V. Leonard

August 20, 1938 - June 21, 2019

Albany-Patricia V. Leonard, 80, entered Eternal Life Friday, June 21, 2019 at the Highland Hospital, Rochester, NY surrounded by her six loving children. Born in Albany, she was the daughter of the late James and Dorothy Thomas Vogel.

Patricia graduated from Holy Names High School and The College of Saint Rose. She was the longtime Director of Community Relations at St. Anne Institute in Albany. Pat was a former Freelance Writer for local newspapers including the Times Union. She was a natural Entrepreneur, and ran a nursery school in Altamont, NY and started CareerPro, a resume building and writing firm.

Patricia was active throughout her life in community service including Guilderland Parent Teacher Association and the Holy Names Alumni Association. She will always be remembered for the love she had for family and friends, and the way she cared deeply about making others' lives better. She lived her life with a passion, wanting nothing for herself, but rather focused her time and attention to those in need.

She was the wife of the late James Leonard, her husband of 35 years; loving and cherished mother of Scott Leonard, Robin Prunty ( Peter), Keira Collins (Mike), Craig Leonard (Candice), Paige Cervero and Kevin Leonard (Kaitlin);

beloved grandmother of Shauna Leonard, Ryan Leonard, Matthew Leonard, Conor Prunty, Brian Prunty, Kevin Prunty, Kaila Collins, Morgan Collins, Lindsay Collins, Lily Leonard, Shane Leonard, Ben Leonard, Casey Leonard, Mark Cervero, Andrew Cervero, Justin Leonard, Maggie Leonard and Kenley Leonard; sister-in-law of JoAnne Vogel; many nieces, nephews, colleagues and friends survive Patricia.

Relatives and friends are invited to her Funeral Mass Thursday, June 27, 2019 at 10:30 am at Blessed Sacrament Church, 607 Central Ave., Albany, NY.

There will be no public visitation.

The Rite of Committal will be held at Our Lady Help of Christians Cemetery, Glenmont, NY.

Those wishing to remember Patricia V. Leonard in a special way may send a contribution to either St. Anne Institute, 160 N. Main Ave., Albany, NY or the Arthritis Foundation, <https://www.arthritis.org>

To leave a special message for the family, please visit [www.McveighFuneralHome.com](http://www.McveighFuneralHome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Our Lady Help of Christians Cemetery

Jolly Road  
Glenmont, NY 12077

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN 27. 10:30 AM (ET)

Blessed Sacrament Church  
607 Central Ave (Father John Bradley Way)  
Albany, NY 12206  
(518) 489-0188  
[info@mcveighfuneralhome.com](mailto:info@mcveighfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia V. Leonard*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Patricia V. Leonard.*



June 26, 2019 at 05:51 PM



“ *To the entire Leonard family, but in particular to Scott, Robin, Keira, Paige and Kevin: I had the opportunity to meet and spend time with your mother in her last days. And I feel that I am all the better for having had the chance to know her. Pat lived for her children and her grandchildren, but she was a friend to all that knew her. She had a special gift for making friends, and I hope to take a little bit of Pat with me in my work. My condolences to all of you, she will be missed; but she will be with always.*

*Mike Kearney*

**Mike Kearney** - June 26, 2019 at 04:50 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Patricia V. Leonard.*



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June 26, 2019 at 03:54 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Patricia V. Leonard.*



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June 26, 2019 at 11:06 AM



“ *I was friendly with your Mom when her children were were students at GCSD. She was an integral part of the PTA. She truly was a kind and giving spirit. She was so proud of her children.*  
*Pat Galvin Morales*

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**pat morales** - June 25, 2019 at 10:36 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss. I went to school with your Mom and she was always a joy to around*

*Catherine Harrison Fortin*

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**Catherine Fortin** - June 25, 2019 at 06:16 AM

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“ *Pat Leonard gave her knowledge away with enthusiasm! And she was a fountain of business acumen, resume and cover letter skills. She was a Godsend when I graduated college and helped me put together a professional image on paper and taught me the fundamental skills I would later fine tune and teach other graduating college kids. Her skills and passion for assisting others lives on through all of us whom she helped. I will miss her loving smile no matter her personal pain level. We were blessed to share time with her!*

*Deb Isom*

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**Debbie** - June 24, 2019 at 08:33 PM