



## Dorothea Ann "Dottie" Pecoraro

August 14, 1955 - October 30, 2021

Dorothea Ann "Dottie" Pecoraro 66, of Bonita Springs FL, passed away peacefully in her sleep on Saturday, October 30, 2021, following a valiant four-month battle with pancreatic cancer. Dottie was born on August 14, 1955, the daughter of Joseph and Marie (née Longihitano) Canino in Queens, NY, and grew up in the Whitestone section of the borough. She had been a resident of Bonita Springs since 2015 after previously residing in Henderson NV, Manalapan NJ, and Canarsie Brooklyn.

Dottie attended St. Mel's grammar school in Whitestone Queens and graduated from Flushing High School in 1973. After high school, Dottie worked as a paralegal and an administrative assistant for various companies in Manhattan, retiring in 2009.

While working at Bristol Myers Squibb, she met the love of her life, John Pecoraro. In 1986 they married and remained happy and blissfully in love until her passing.

She was a member of St. Leo the Great Catholic Church.

Dottie loved to travel and visited many wonderful destinations around the world with her husband. She was also an avid reader and often she would read up to four books a week. A tremendous joy of Dottie's life was the

relationships she had with her siblings, in-laws, and nieces and nephews and touched all of their lives in numerous ways.

She is survived by her husband, John Pecoraro of Bonita Springs, FL; two brothers, James Canino and his wife, Cabrina of California, Joseph Canino and his wife, Nancy of Huntington Long Island; her sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Frances and Anthony Lovarco; three nieces, Laura Lovarco Bove, Kaprice Vargas, and Gina Canino; five nephews, Joseph Lovarco, Anthony Lovarco, Joseph Canino, Anthony Canino, and Matthew Truskiewicz; two great-nephews, Anthony Lovarco and Maverick Canino and three great-nieces, Ava Lovarco, Chloe Canino and Olivia Canino.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, November 7, 2021, from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home 28300 S. Tamiami Tr., Bonita Springs. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, November 8, 2021, at 10:00 AM St. Leo the Great Catholic Church 28300 Beaumont Rd., Bonita Springs, FL.

To sign her guest register or to leave online condolences please visit [www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com](http://www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com).

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home Family Owned and Operated Since 1978.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 7. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home  
28300 Tamiami Trail So.  
Bonita Springs, FL 34134  
(239) 992-4982  
bonitafhbill@comcast.net

## Mass of Christian Burial

NOV 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Leo the Great Catholic Church  
28300 Beaumont Road  
Bonita Springs, FL 34134

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothea Ann "Dottie" Pecoraro*

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October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Ringbearer T-pot & Flower Girl Laura  
@ Dottie & John's wedding 1986*



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**Tao Borgia** - November 07, 2021 at 02:12 PM

Andrea  
Borgia-  
Rosario

“ Back in the early 80s, I was the head secretary at a CPA firm in Manhattan and we couldn't seem to keep a temporary secretary at the desk next to me until Dottie came along and I beg them to hire her because she was the Best. We have been close friends ever since, in fact, I was her matron of honor when she and John got married and she was my witness when I got married. We haven't seen each other for many years because of the distance between us where we live but we've always remained friends. Just recently I spent three weeks with her and it was the most wonderful three weeks I've had in many many years. I'm going to miss you my Dottie...you will always be in my memory and in my heart forever...until we meet again in paradise dear friend...I love you!!  
"Ang" Andrea Borgia-Rosario



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Andrea Borgia-Rosario - November 07, 2021 at 02:07 PM



“ Remember the fun times we had a the sky walk never forget you  
Dottie  
Meryl and Aldo



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**Aldo Del Console** - November 06, 2021 at 07:32 PM



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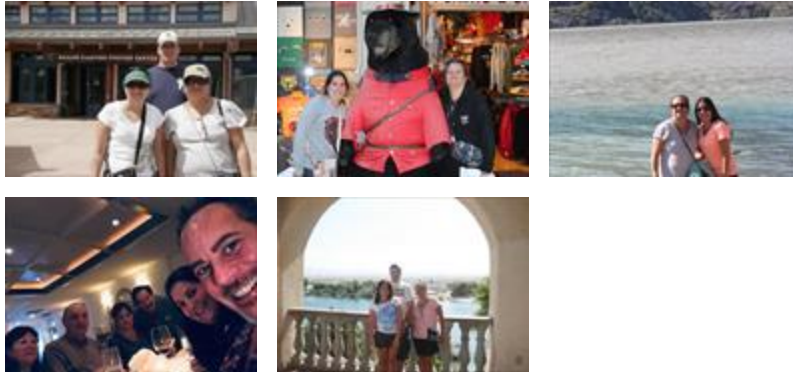


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**laura** - November 06, 2021 at 05:17 PM

LA

“ I will always cherish our memories ... flower girl, mondavi, the train in Reno, Vegas, Florida, Seattle, Alaska and more.. you were the best aunt I could had asked for you were one of a kind I miss you and was so happy to see you before God called you home may you rest in eternal peace with all the rest that we loved ❤️



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**laura** - November 06, 2021 at 04:03 PM

JC

“ Dottie you were the greatest sister any brother can wish for. We had so much fun when we were younger. Traveling together, double dating with you and John. You helped everyone.

*You will always be in my heart. I love you sis, will miss you very much.*



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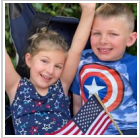
**James Canino** - November 05, 2021 at 04:04 PM



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Anthony - November 05, 2021 at 01:53 PM



“ Dottie was very friendly, warm, funny, & kind. I am so sad about her suffering & passing. I am praying for John and everyone in her family. I know she loved her family, animals, & plants and they will all miss her too. May Dottie rest peacefully in eternal rest with her parents.

Alissa Dunleavy - November 04, 2021 at 10:06 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dorothea Ann "Dottie" Pecoraro.



November 04, 2021 at 05:55 PM



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Joe Canino - November 04, 2021 at 12:37 PM



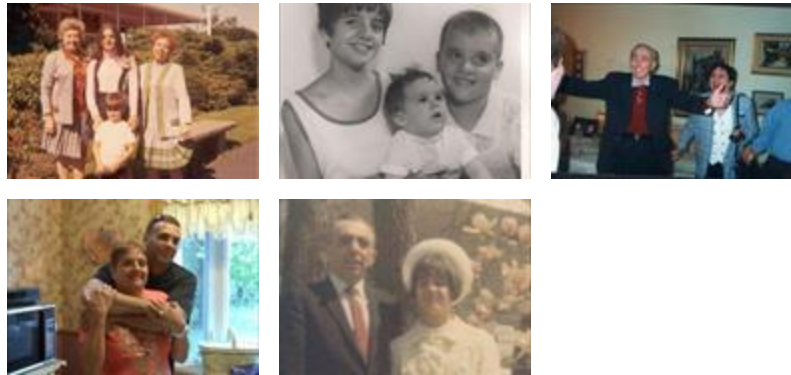
“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dorothea Ann "Dottie" Pecoraro.*



November 04, 2021 at 09:43 AM



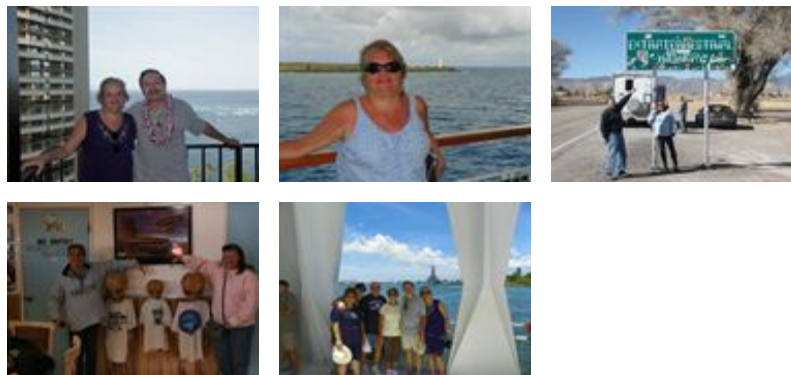
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**Joe Canino** - November 03, 2021 at 07:58 PM



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**Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home** - November 03, 2021 at 07:13 PM



“ *Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Dorothea Ann "Dottie" Pecoraro.*



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