



## Elizabeth "Betsy" Neerland Gattinella

May 18, 2025

Elizabeth "Betsy" J. Neerland Gattinella, 85, currently residing with her daughter in Woodstown, NJ, passed away on May 18, 2025. Born in Philadelphia, PA, she was the daughter of the late Joseph O'Niell and Elizabeth (nee Halfpenny) O'Niell. Betsy grew up in Upper Darby, PA and her family would eventually move to Haddonfield, NJ where she was a 1960 graduate of Haddonfield High School. She went on to earn her teacher's certification, graduating from Glassboro State College in 1963. Betsy taught 3rd Grade at the Sewell School, where she also served as Assistant Principal, for 26 years.

Betsy was a devout Catholic and was currently a parishioner of the Catholic Community of the Holy Spirit. Previously, she served as Director of Religious Education, Eucharistic Minister and Cursillo member at Our Lady of Hope R.C. Church in Port Orange, FL. Betsy will be remembered as a loving Wife, Mom, Grandmom and Friend with an adventurous spirit and a heart for volunteering.

Betsy is survived by her daughter Anita Conlon, her grandchildren Patrick Conlon (Juliet), Christopher Conlon and Genevieve Conlon (Wanner Ramos), her sister Patricia Bradley, her son in law Robert "Bob" Conlon, and her dog Rosie.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her husbands Robert George Neerland and Joseph Wallace Gattinella and her sisters Eileen Cavender and Violet M. Becker.

A memorial mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, May 27, 2025 at 10 AM at the Catholic Community of the Holy Spirit - St. Joseph's R.C. Church, 51 Broad Street, Woodstown, NJ 08098. There will be a visitation also on Tuesday, prior to mass from 9 to 9:45 at Adams Funeral Home, 64 Broad Street, Woodstown, NJ 08098.

In lieu of flowers, the family has asked that donations be made in memory of Bob and Betsy Neerland to Volusia County Intergroup, 1635 S. Ridgewood Avenue #107, South Daytona, FL 32119.

[www.adamsfuneralhome.org](http://www.adamsfuneralhome.org)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 27. 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM (ET)

Adams Funeral Home  
64 Broad St.  
Woodstown, NJ 08098  
adamsfuneralhome@comcast.net

## Mass

MAY 27. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph's RC Church  
51 Broad St.  
Woodstown, NJ 08098

# Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Elizabeth "Betsy" Neerland Gattinella.

May 27, 2025 at 05:24 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betsy" Neerland Gattinella.



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“ O Betsy, I'm so happy you got your go to heaven with your amazing family up there in the new and eternal Jerusalem! We'll miss you down here, but we'll be up to join you and others we love when God calls us home! I'm remembering all the great times you and Liz, and I had at OLOH IN Port Orange with our group of ladies! Our lunches & fashion shows, and Kentucky Derby parties! I love you, Betsy and Anita, and your grandchildren! God bless you, St. Peter, open those pearly gates wide for Betsy Neerland Gatinella is on her way inside!



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“ *Carol Molinari Monks lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Gattinella*



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**Carol Molinari Monks** - May 21, 2025 at 12:19 PM



“ *DES OPS purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Elizabeth "Betsy" Neerland Gattinella.*



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