



Claire Golaszewski

May 13, 1959 - March 8, 2026

Claire Golaszewski passed away on March 8th, 2026. She leaves behind a legacy of love, strength, and devotion to Christ. She was a cherished wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend whose kindness and warmth touched everyone who knew her.

Claire was born in May of 1959 in Philadelphia, PA to William and Katherine Gorman. She is the beloved wife of the late Donald Golaszewski, with whom she shared a lifetime of love and marriage. Together they built a family rooted in care, laughter, and unwavering support.

She is survived by her six sons, Daniel, Timothy, Thomas (Mary), Matthew (Lisette), John and Luke (Isabel) who were the pride and joy of her life, as well as six cherished grandchildren, Devin, Cian, Elliott, Penelope, Odette, and Beatrice, who all brought her immense happiness. Claire also leaves behind her loving siblings, William and Margaret, along with many extended family members and friends who will forever remember her generosity and gentle spirit.

We pray that Claire will be reunited in heaven with Donald and their unborn children, Mary Kate and Paul.

Claire will be remembered for her deep devotion to Christ, love of her family, her compassionate heart, and the many ways she made those around her feel loved and welcomed. Her memory will live on in the lives she touched and in the family she held so dear.

She will be deeply missed and forever remembered.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. Amen.

In lieu of flowers, family requests Mass Cards.

Cemetery Details

Quantico National Cemetery

18424 Joplin Road
Triangle, VA 22172

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 17. 10:30 AM (ET)

All Saints Catholic Church
9300 Stonewall Rd
Manassas, VA 20110-2566
(703) 368-4500

Burial

MAR 17. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JH

“ I remember Claire as generous and kind with a great sense of humor and a bit of a rebel spirit that I appreciated very much. When I was a young mother, she gave me some great homeschooling advice that has stayed with me over the years. Observing some of her then teenage sons at daily Mass and how their schooling at home allowed them to be their original selves convinced me to homeschool my own children when I was first considering the matter. May dear Claire rest in peace and may her sons and family be much comforted. She definitely impacted our family and we remember her fondly.

Jenny Hall - March 17 at 10:03 AM

BC

“ Bill, Teri, Andrew and Victoria Cira purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Claire Golaszewski.



Bill, Teri, Andrew and Victoria Cira - March 15 at 06:17 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Claire Golaszewski.



March 14 at 02:12 PM

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“ Claire was a real Christian, a loving wife, and a true mother. From the moment Dan was born she was devoted to him, and as his brothers came along, the love and devotion grew. I have known Claire for over 50 years. Her husband, Don, and my husband Bob served as corpsmen in the Coast Guard, and they served in NJ and VA together. Claire was loving and generous. She was also witty and sometimes snarky- which was endearing and always made me laugh. I miss her and I grieve and pray for her family as they grieve this huge loss.

Nancy OLiver - March 11 at 04:22 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Claire Golaszewski.* ”



March 11 at 12:59 PM