



Josephine Furino

March 22, 1933 - December 8, 2025

The Villages — It is with deep love and profound sadness that we announce the passing of Josephine “Jo” Furino, who died peacefully on December 8, 2025, at the age of 92, surrounded by her children. Jo was born in Queens, New York, and moved to The Villages in 1999 from Amityville, NY. A former paralegal, she was an extraordinary mother, wife, and friend. For 26 years she was an active and cherished member of The Villages community, where she lived her life with joy, gratitude, and an open heart. Jo was the beloved wife of the late Ralph Furino, with whom she shared a lifetime of devotion, partnership, and treasured memories. She was a dedicated and loving mother and is survived by her children: Phyllis Horak, Ralph and Debbie Furino, Lucille Schoales, and Trish and John Furino. Her family was her greatest joy, and she took immense pride in each of her children. She was also the proud grandmother of 11 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren, all of whom brought her immeasurable happiness. Jo never forgot a birthday, anniversary, or milestone, and her thoughtfulness and love touched every member of her family. A woman of deep faith, Jo was a devoted parishioner of St. Timothy Catholic Church, where she served joyfully in many ministries, including as a reader, Eucharistic Minister, and member of the Women’s Guild. Her passion for her faith and her love of Jesus Christ were profound and unwavering. To those who knew her, Jo will be remembered as a warm, generous, and kind-hearted woman whose presence brought comfort and joy. She will be deeply missed by her family, friends, and all who were blessed to know her. A Mass

of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, December 18, 2025, at St. Timothy Catholic Church. Friends may visit with the family between 2-4pm on Wednesday, December 17, at Beyers Funeral Home, where a prayer vigil will be held at the conclusion of the visitation. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in Jo's memory to St. Timothy Catholic Church, 1351 Paige Place, Lady Lake, FL 32159.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 17. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Beyers Funeral Home & Crematory - Lady Lake
134 N US Highway 441
Lady Lake, FL 32159
(352) 753-4444

Catholic Mass

DEC 18. 8:30 AM (ET)

St. Timothy Catholic Church
1351 Paige Pl
Lady Lake, FL 32159

Tribute Wall



“ *Beyers Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Josephine Furino*



Beyers Funeral Home - December 12, 2025 at 06:31 PM

SM

We shared a lot of good memories with Jo and Ralph in our Avila neighborhood for so many years. We are saddened by her passing. Keith and Sandy Maffitt

Sandy Maffitt - December 15, 2025 at 11:04 AM

CS

I met Jo at St Timothy's. She was always kind to myself and my Mom. She will be remembered for her smile, enthusiasm and her kind heart. She is now looking down on her family who will carry the memories she made with them in their hearts forever. May she rest peacefully.

cathy snyder - December 15, 2025 at 08:46 PM

LD

Beautiful family memories cherish them forever and that keeps her Spirit alive within yourselves. I will cherish my memories and time spent with my Aunt Jo. She was a very loving person to one and all. Our visits were full of wonderful memories and lots of laughs. She's now with her dad, mom, husband, and all other family members that have passed. May she rest in peace, she is in my heart forever.

Lorraine Defrancisco - December 16, 2025 at 11:32 AM

AC

“ Gary and I will miss seeing your mom walking around our neighborhood. We absolutely loved her. She was truly our friend. RIP now Jo. Gary and Annie Clymer.

annie clymer - December 14, 2025 at 04:14 PM

NM

“ I was fortunate to visit "Aunt Jo" with her niece, Lorraine, my cousin, and I felt like her niece as well. Our visits were so enjoyable and she was a gracious hostess.



Nancy Martin - December 13, 2025 at 06:22 PM

KW

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Kristine Williams - December 13, 2025 at 03:44 PM

SL

“ 9 files added to the tribute wall



Schoales Lucille - December 12, 2025 at 08:15 PM

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“ 8 files added to the tribute wall



Schoales Lucille - December 12, 2025 at 01:34 PM

LH

“ Jo was a great friend and neighbor. No matter what she had going on in her own life, she always found room in her heart to take interest in ours. Jo was someone that truly looked out for us and made us feel cared for. I will always cherish the many times that we spent talking over coffee.
It was clear that she was proud of and loved her family very dearly.

We will miss Jo deeply!

Mike & Laurie Hill

Laurie Hill - December 12, 2025 at 08:56 AM

JF

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John furino - December 11, 2025 at 06:41 PM

NF

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



nicole furino - December 11, 2025 at 04:36 PM

PH

Lord, Johnny, you look so muchnlike Dad and Nicole looks and is such a reflection of you. Great picture of the 3 of you.

Phyllis Horak - December 11, 2025 at 09:26 PM