



## Samantha P Finneran

March 1, 1946 - February 14, 2025

Samantha P. Finneran 78 of Glen Ridge NJ passed away on February 14, 2025. Samantha is survived by her beloved daughter Holly with her husband Joseph Landolfi. Samantha was predeceased by her husband Carl J. Finneran in 2021. Visitation: Tuesday, February 18, 4:00 PM -8:00 PM, Van Tassel Funeral Home, 337 Belleville Ave, Bloomfield, NJ 07003. Funeral Service: Wednesday, February 19 at 10:00 AM, Glen Ridge Congregational Church, 195 Ridgewood Ave, Glen Ridge, NJ 07028 followed by Interment at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 225 Ridgedale Ave, East Hanover, NJ 07936.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Van Tassel Funeral Home  
337 Belleville Avenue  
Bloomfield, NJ 07003  
(973) 743-1234 or (973) 743-1761  
<https://www.vantasselfuneralhome.com>

## Visitation

FEB 19. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

Van Tassel Funeral Home  
337 Belleville Avenue  
Bloomfield, NJ 07003  
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## Funeral Service

FEB 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Glen Ridge Congregational Church  
195 Ridgewood Ave  
Glen Ridge, NJ 07028

## Graveside Service

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FEB **19**. 11:45 AM - 12:15 PM (ET)

Gate of Heaven  
225 Ridgedale Ave  
East Hanover, NJ 07936

# Tribute Wall

AG

“ We shared plentiful meals and outings together and always had a good laugh. Thank you for the memories. You will be missed...”



Andrew Griffiths - February 19, 2025 at 10:23 AM

KG

“ Kiesha, Keanan & Andrew Griffiths purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Samantha P Finneran.



Kiesha, Keanan & Andrew Griffiths - February 19, 2025 at 09:29 AM

LB

“ Samantha and Carl, and then Sam have been neighbors and friends for 45 years. We couldn't have asked for anything better. We've shared meals, and family stories, and helped each other out with plants and newspaper care for years. Samantha was a terrific woman. Loving, kind and generous. We will miss her. Lynn and Tom

lynn benediktsson - February 17, 2025 at 09:23 PM

JW

“ *The Finnerans have been our next door neighbors for almost 34 years although we knew them for an additional 3 years because Holly and our oldest son, Will, were in nursery school together. Holly was always in and out of our house with our boys and she and Samantha shared family celebrations with us, getting to know our entire family. The Finnerans were invited to my sons' weddings and we celebrated with Holly and Joe when they married. Samantha was always there to help when I ran out of an important ingredient for something I was cooking. She was also my Women's Club pal who would accompany me to events at the club. I enjoyed sitting on her patio and talking at the end of the day or having tea in her kitchen. We will miss her terribly.*  
*Judy and John Weckenmann*

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**Judy Weckenmann** - February 17, 2025 at 04:28 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samantha P Finneran.*



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February 17, 2025 at 04:26 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Samantha P Finneran.*

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February 17, 2025 at 04:26 PM

LM

“ Love, Uncle Guy and Marianne planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Samantha P Finneran.

Love, Uncle Guy and Marianne - February 17, 2025 at 02:47 PM

LM

“ Love, Uncle Guy and Marianne purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Samantha P Finneran.



Love, Uncle Guy and Marianne - February 17, 2025 at 02:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Samantha P Finneran.

February 17, 2025 at 02:25 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samantha P Finneran.



February 17, 2025 at 02:25 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Samantha P Finneran.

February 17, 2025 at 12:59 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Samantha P Finneran.*



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February 17, 2025 at 11:07 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Lynne Oliver** - February 17, 2025 at 08:26 AM



“ *Sonia Walsh, Susan, Bill, and Families purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Samantha P Finneran.*



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**Sonia Walsh, Susan, Bill, and Families** - February 16, 2025 at 09:47 PM



“ *Sonia Walsh, Susan, Bill, and Families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Samantha P Finneran.*

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**Sonia Walsh, Susan, Bill, and Families** - February 16, 2025 at 09:47 PM

PD

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Pam Dawson - February 16, 2025 at 07:52 PM

PD

*I will always treasure the memories of the wonderful times we spent together filled with laughter and love. Your daughter's friendship was a precious gift.*

*With deepest sympathy and love,  
Pam Dawson*

Pam Dawson - February 16, 2025 at 08:02 PM

PD

“ Pam (&Art) Dawson purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Samantha P Finneran.



Pam (&Art) Dawson - February 16, 2025 at 07:38 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Samantha P Finneran.

February 16, 2025 at 04:14 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Samantha P Finneran.*



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February 16, 2025 at 04:14 PM



“ *Jean& Mike Vogel and Martha Lucenti planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Samantha P Finneran.*

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**Jean& Mike Vogel and Martha Lucenti** - February 16, 2025 at 02:25 PM



“ *Jean& Mike Vogel and Martha Lucenti purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Samantha P Finneran.*



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**Jean& Mike Vogel and Martha Lucenti** - February 16, 2025 at 02:25 PM

JV

“ Samantha was a dear and a very precious friend over many years. I first met her when we became neighbors in the fall of 1990. We were new to New Jersey and Samantha reached out a hand of friendship to welcome us and help us get acclimated. We shared many lovely times together. One that stands out was traveling to England with her and getting to know her family and the place she grew up in. We considered Samantha and her family to be an extension of our family and she will be sorely, sorely missed! May she rest in eternal peace..

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**Jean Vogel** - February 16, 2025 at 01:45 PM

LF

“ Love The Mascari Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Samantha P Finneran.



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**Love The Mascari Family** - February 16, 2025 at 07:25 AM

LG

“ RIP Samatha You will be missed 🙏🙏❤️

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**laura green** - February 15, 2025 at 11:29 PM

JM

“ My Dear friend Always good times lots of laughs! good food and wine I will miss you💕💕

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**Jeannette Mascari** - February 15, 2025 at 07:29 PM

EA

“ Farewell to a fine friend and a devoted mother and wife. You will be missed.

Eve Allen - February 15, 2025 at 06:57 PM

AC

Good bye to a good friend.A good kind and caring person.you will be missed.

Achamma Chacko - February 15, 2025 at 08:07 PM

CS

Warm and caring, welcoming to all—your smile lit up the room. I will miss you, dear friend.

Claudette Scutari - February 16, 2025 at 10:24 AM

TF

“ The Asaro & Murphy Families purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Samantha P Finneran.



The Asaro & Murphy Families - February 15, 2025 at 05:32 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Van Tassel Funeral Home - February 15, 2025 at 03:59 PM



“ 23 files added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Van Tassel Funeral Home** - February 15, 2025 at 02:49 PM