

ALINE LAWRENSON

October 25, 1938 – March 1, 2025



With deep sorrow, we announce the passing of Aline Lawrenson, age 86, who passed away peacefully in the early hours of Saturday, March 1, 2025, at Samaritan Hospital in Troy, NY.

Aline was born on October 25, 1938, in Lacolle, Quebec, and immigrated to the United States with her family in 1947. In December 1964, she proudly became an American citizen, a moment she cherished. A dedicated and

hardworking woman, Aline built a career at Tek Hughes in Watervliet, NY, where she worked for 40 years before retiring in July 2000. She was a parishioner of St. Augustine parish, Troy NY.

Aline had a zest for life and a love for adventure. She traveled extensively, enjoying many cruises, excursions, and trips across the United States. Whether she was remodeling, swimming, boating, or indulging in one of her favorite outings to the casino, Aline embraced every experience with joy. She had a special fondness for Ted's Fish Fry, and her keen fashion sense ensured she always stepped out in style. Her infectious laugh and beautiful smile could light up any room, and her warmth and generosity touched the lives of everyone who knew her. Aline lived life to the fullest and loved wholly.

She is survived by her loving brother, Real Pinsonneault of Champlain, NY, and her dear sisters, Fran Facteau of Troy, NY, Giselle Belrose of Plattsburgh, NY, and Doris Dubray of Florida.

She leaves behind her son, John C. Lawrenson, and his wife, Nina (DeVito) of Troy, NY, along with their children, John C. Lawrenson III and wife Erika (Arroyo), and their son, Wyatt, Joseph Lawrenson and Grit Tunsakul of Chicago, IL and Alyssa Lawrenson and her fiancé Noah Sanders of Troy, NY. Her daughter, Giselle McHargue (Lawrenson) of Pittsburgh, PA, carries on her legacy, along with her children: William B. McHargue III and his wife, Daisy (Brennan) of Meadville, PA, and their four children, Ari, Ira, Ada, and Ian; Carrie (McHargue) and Travis Chaney of Columbus, OH; and Jesse McHargue and his wife, Jessica (Poland) of Youngstown, OH, and their five children, Alexander, Charlotte, Gabriel, Isabel, and Isaac. Also survived by her nieces and nephews.

Aline was preceded in death by her beloved parents, May Gauthier Pinsonneault and Adelard Pinsonneault, as well as her sisters, Theresa Garceau, and Ughettes Dubuque. Her first husband Arthur A. Hillebrandt III and her second husband John C. Lawrenson.

She will be remembered for her unwavering dedication to her family, and her work, and her joyful approach to life. A viewing will be held at **MCDONALD'S FUNERAL HOME**, 870 Second Ave. in Lansingburgh on Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 am. The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at Saint Augustine's Church in Lansingburgh on Friday at 12 noon, with burial to follow at Memory Gardens Cemetery and Memorial Park in Albany, NY. In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations be made in her honor to the American Cancer Society.

Aline's legacy of love, laughter, and adventure will live on in the hearts of all who knew her. She is at eternal rest with her love William (Bill) Gamble.

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