



# Pauline Ann (Dardeno) Baird

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**P**auline Ann (Dardeno) Baird, 79, of Syracuse, passed away on July 2, 2024, at Francis House. She was surrounded by family and is now at peace with the Lord. Pauline was born in Syracuse, NY, to Rosario and Rosalie (Finochio) Dardeno. She had a strong faith, a gentle soul that radiated kindness, and a smile that lit up the room. Pauline loved baking Italian cookies, laughing at silly jokes, and sharing her positive outlook on life. However, she was happiest while spending time with family and friends.

Pauline is survived by her four children, Elizabeth, Andrea, John Douglas III (Shannon), and Michael (Celine) Baird; five grandchildren, John Douglas IV, Levi, Ezra, Michael Jr., and AJ Baird; two sisters, Victoria Quigley and Rosanne (Daniel) Wisniewski; sister-in-law, Marylyn Dardeno; along with several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Pauline is predeceased by her husband, John Douglas Baird, Jr.; her parents; her brother, Rosario Dardeno; and her brother-in-law, Cornelius Quigley.

There will be no funeral services at this time. A celebration of Pauline's life will be held at a later date.

Donations may be made in her name to Francis House, 108 Michaels Ave., Syracuse, NY 13208.



## Tribute Wall

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MS

**Mary Jo Stevens** posted:

Dear Pauline was such an important part of our Girls Night Out for many, many years. We all loved her beautiful heart and kind soul. She was always so sweet and friendly to all of us, and even to people she just met.. Please know that Dorothy D. and I would appreciate being able to attend the memorial when the time is right for family and friends to gather to share memories. Please know your loss is also our loss. Sent with sincere love: mary-jo 480-1812.

July 14 at 8:29 AM

KR

**Kathy Russo** posted:

So sorry for your loss. Precious memories from Delhi St.

July 10 at 1:18 PM

SS

**Sharon Souva** posted:

Pauline was a neighbor for many years. Her loving spirit and generous nature made the neighborhood special. She took really good care of my kids when they were young, and extended that same caring and love to my grandson when he came to visit. (there may have even been a cookie involved.)You will be missed Pauline....Sharon Souva

July 7 at 1:54 PM

SP

**Stephanie Johnson Pirro** lit a candle in honor of Pauline.

Beth, Ani, Doug and Mike, I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I worked with her at Pullano's for a number of years. She was a wonderful person with such a caring heart. I remember her laugh and heartily jokes she would tell in the office. When she would share stories of her children, her face beamed with love and pride for each of you. I pray that you will find peace in the memories you have of her. Keeping you all in my thoughts. Stephanie Johnson Pirro



July 5 at 3:54 PM



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**Michele Wilmot** posted:

I would like to express my sincere condolences for the loss of a very special lady. Aunt Pauline was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, sister-in-law and aunt who was loved by all. Words cannot begin to express how much she meant to us and how much she will be missed. Pauline was one of my late father's (Rosario / Russell) sisters. We shared many special memories over the years including the famous Christmas holiday festivities. The holiday's consisted of the making of Italian cookies weeks in advance and then the famous Christmas Eve dinner's that seemed to grow bigger & bigger each year. Those holidays were some of the best memories our family shared together. My favorite memory though or my Aunt Pauline was her birthday cakes she made for all of us every year. We were always given the choice of a store made cake our Aunt Pauline's cake. Of course, we always chose her cakes. They were delicious and not store made cake could ever top them. Beth, Ani, Doug, Mike, I hope that you will be able to gain comfort knowing that she is now at peace and with Uncle Doug, Uncle Neal, Grandma & Grampa, and my dad. I know they are all watching over us and one day we will see them all again. Love you guys Michele.

July 5 at 11:07 AM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Pauline by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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