



# Claire C. Richens

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# Claire C. Richens

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Claire C. Richens, 93, of Stafford Springs, CT, wife of the late John “Jack” Richens, Jr., passed away on Thursday, March 10, 2022. She was born in Rockville, CT, daughter of the late Howard and Edith (Ryan) Crandall. Claire worked for many years as a secretary at West Stafford School. She was a parishioner of the Second Congregational Church of Stafford at West Stafford, and enjoyed sewing, quilting, gardening, and bowling. Claire is survived by her two children, Mark Richens and Nancy Richens and her husband Al Kazokas, Jr.; a step grandson, Al Kazokas, III and his wife Melissa, and their son, Liam; her sister, Shirley Salisbury; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by two sisters, Jean Barton and Elaine Scussel. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, March 17, 2022 at 11 A.M. at the Second Congregational Church of Stafford at West Stafford, 197 West Stafford Rd., Stafford Springs, CT. Burial will be in West Stafford Cemetery, Stafford Springs, CT. Memorial donations may be made to the Second Congregational Church of Stafford at West Stafford, 197 West Stafford Rd., Stafford Springs, CT 06076. Introvigne Funeral Home, Inc., Stafford Springs, CT, has care of the arrangements. To leave a condolence online for the family, please visit: [www.introvignefuneralhome.com](http://www.introvignefuneralhome.com)



**Service**

📅 **Thursday**, March 17, 2022

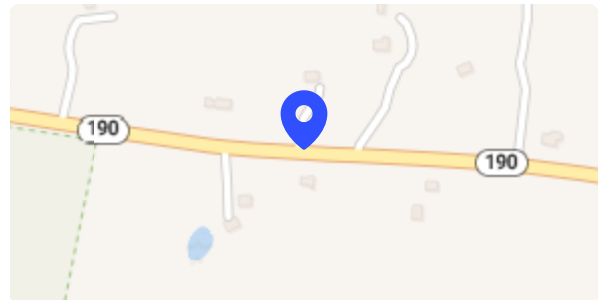
🕒 11:00 AM ET

📍 **Second Congregational Church of Stafford at West Stafford**  
197 West Stafford Rd., Stafford Springs CT 06076



**Cemetery Details**

📍 **West Stafford Cemetery**  
Chestnut Hill Rd., Stafford Springs CT 06076





# Tribute Wall

Claire C. Richens



**Mike Magrone** posted:

Nancy and Mark , So sorry to learn of Claire's passing, she was such a tremendous help to me when I was at the West Stafford School. You have my deepest sympathy. Sincerely, Mike Magrone

March 17 at 8:02 AM



**Lori & Steve Gianantoni** lit a candle in honor of Claire.

Thinking of you Mark and Nancy. Many fond memories growing up. A kind and wonderful woman and mother. May she Rest In Peace. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Lori & Steve



March 16 at 4:29 AM



**Bertha Mary** posted:

Nancy and Mark so, so sorry to hear about your mom's passing. My heart goes out to you both.

March 14 at 7:07 AM



**Lynnet Greene Pierce** posted:

So sorry to hear about her passing. Never a more pleasant and gracious person. God bless you all. Scott and Lynnet Pierce

March 14 at 6:46 AM



**Kathleen Hartley** lit a candle in honor of Claire.

Nancy Im so very sorry for the loss of your mom...Kathleen Hartley

March 12 at 7:17 PM



**Jeremy Gaulin** lit a candle in honor of Claire.

March 12 at 5:26 PM





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ND

**Nancy Ducharme** posted:

Nancy - I am sorry to hear about the loss of your Mom. I remember her from when you took piano lessons from my mother and she was always so friendly and kind. My sincere condolences to you and your family!

March 12 at 4:44 PM

GH

**Gary W Hatch** posted:

Brother Mark and Nancy...I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. Even as a little boy I felt like she was my favorite Sunday School teacher. When I think of her I always remember her wonderful disposition and beautiful smile. My most sincere condolences. Gary

March 12 at 12:50 PM

BS

**Burma Shaw** March 14 at 6:50 AM

Nancy and AI-I just heard of your mum's passing while speaking with a friend in Stafford who begged off on St Paddy's Day lunch, as they would be attending your mum's funeral, unaware that we had all worked together. They were quite surprised when I told them that Claire's daughter had been in my Pratt apprenticeship class. It's a serendipitous, small world. I hope your future days will still be bright, filled with poignant, loving memories of time spent with your mum.- Burma Shaw, AT 7

RT

**Ruthanne Talamini** March 13 at 1:43 PM

Mark, Nancy, & Shirley, Our heartfelt thoughts are with you in this time of sorrow. Claire was a wonderful person who always gave her time and talents for many. She will be missed.. May the sympathy of caring friends give you comfort.Love, Ruthanne & Michael

RC

**Ronnie Cercena** posted:

Mark and Nancy. Sorry to hear of the passing of your Mom.

March 12 at 12:14 PM

MB

**Michael Burnell** posted:

Sorry for your loss Mark and NancyMike and Sheryl

March 12 at 11:51 AM



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LE

**Lisa Greene Everett** posted:

Sorry for your loss. May she rest in peace.

March 12 at 4:49 AM

TO

**Tony Ostrowski** posted:

Mark, Nancy and family I am very sorry to hear of your loss, May Claire Rest In Peace.

March 12 at 4:26 AM

BN

**Becky Zelonka Nash** lit a candle in honor of Claire.



March 11 at 2:30 PM

DG

**Dede Greaves** posted:

Never in my entire life, have I ever witnessed love, like what she and Jack shared. I loved Claire like a mom. In fact, she was born within days of my own mom, in the same year. She and Carl Reynolds were the references, for my first apartment, in Wilmington Vermont in 2014. She gave me so much to be grateful for, since the day I first met her in 1984. I love you Claire ❤️ Mark and Nancy, and all who loved this amazing woman, are in my thoughts right now. DeDe Greaves Guilford Vermont

March 11 at 11:54 AM

IB

**Inge Barton** March 15 at 6:00 AM

Mark and Nancy. Sorry to hear of the passing of your Mom.

AB

**Arlene Bedard** March 12 at 9:46 AM

So Sorry for your lost. Nancy & Mark, I know I only meet her for a short time. My sympathies are with you. God Bless her.

DG

**Dede Greaves** March 11 at 12:11 PM

All who "Love" this amazing woman. Love like that, lasts forever. ❤️



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