



## Elinor "Ellie" R. Caine

September 5, 1941 - June 29, 2019

Wantage - Elinor "Ellie" R. Caine, age 77, peacefully passed away on Saturday, June 29, 2019 at Karen Ann Quinlan Home for Hospice while surrounded by her loving family. Born and raised in Manhattan, New York to the late Joseph and Katherine (Bjornsen) Vik, Ellie lived in Franklin before moving to the Lake Neepaulin section of Wantage in 1999. When younger, Ellie summered in the Lake Wallkill section of Vernon, where she was a life guard and met her late husband, Robert. She was a life guard at the Franklin Pond in the 1970's, was a seamstress for the former Morley's Shirt Company in Franklin, and worked at North Country Pharmacy in Franklin. Ellie and her husband ran Bob and Ellie's Bar in Hamburg together since 1989. She sold the business in 1998 after her husband passed away. She joined the Sussex United Methodist Church in 2008 and became a very active member. She was a member of their Barn Crew, the Woman's Group, and attended the Sunday and Tuesday Bible Study Group. Ellie also volunteered with Meals on Wheels from 2005 to 2018. She was predeceased by her husband, Robert Caine in 1997; her son, Mark Caine in 1998; and her brother, Robert Vik in 2012. She is survived by her son, Matthew Caine and his wife Barbara Ann of Wantage; her two daughters, Linda Lewallen and her husband Terry of California and Irene Trywusch and her husband Darrin of Wantage; her brother, Lester Vik and his wife Anne of Long Island, New York; her daughter-in-law, Moira Caine of Wantage; her sister-in-law, Mary Vik of Landing; 10 grandchildren; and 12 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 5 p.m. on Wednesday,

July 3, 2019 at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Friends may pay their respects to the family from 2 p.m. to 5 .m. at the funeral home. Private cremation services will be held at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations may be made Karen Ann Quinlan Center of Hope Hospice, 99 Sparta Avenue, Newton, NJ 07860. Online condolences may be offered to the family at [www.pinkelfuneralhome.com](http://www.pinkelfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Private Cremation Services**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

**JUL 3.** 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Pinkel Funeral Home, Inc.  
31 Bank Street (Route 23)  
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### Service

**JUL 3.** 5:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

LL

“ 2 files added to the album Mom and her girls



Linda Lewallen - August 08, 2019 at 05:00 PM

DC

“ I never met Ellie but my step Dad John Nold (who also passed) would tell me how nice she was. She bought his parents' house in Lake Neepaulin and fixed it up darling.... it was right next door to my childhood home. I did speak with her on the phone once. So sorry to learn of her passing. Donna Caponigro

Donna Caponigro - July 08, 2019 at 02:39 PM

LL

Thank you Donna, I liked that story very much. I am Linda, Ellie's oldest daughter. :)

Linda Lewallen - August 08, 2019 at 04:53 PM

TB

“ My deepest condolences to all the Caine family. She will be missed.. Hugs and prayers



Tammy Brands - July 08, 2019 at 12:03 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Elinor "Ellie" R. Caine.*



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July 02, 2019 at 05:07 PM



“ *Ellie, who I called my "Little Weegen", was a quiet, strong woman who set an example for us all to follow. Although she helped so many people she never sought recognition and went on quietly always helping others. God Bless You My Friend and know Your Legacy will Live On. Till we meet again, Love Audrey and Jerry Magnus*

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**Jerry Magnus** - July 01, 2019 at 08:24 PM



*That is so beautiful, thank you so very much Jerry!!! You are so right, she was quiet, yet strong and never sought recognition. If only I can be half the woman my mother was... Thank you!*

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**Linda Lewallen** - August 08, 2019 at 04:54 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elinor "Ellie" R. Caine.*



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July 01, 2019 at 06:30 PM

JC

“ I remember her in Bible study with Jerry, they always joke with one another and we had good times at our Bible Study and she always was there for others lending a help hand. I will always remember Ellie for her tenderness and kind and wonderful heart. RIP Ellie Gone but not forgotten. Heaven got another angel . RIP Ellie. Fly high with the angels Ellie fly high with the angels. My thoughts and prayers go out to the Caine Family in this difficult time on the loss of Ellie.

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**Jean Crowell** - June 30, 2019 at 10:09 PM

CV

*RIP Ellie Love Bill & Carolann*

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**Carolann Varcadipane** - July 01, 2019 at 09:14 AM

SD

*Such a strong and beautiful woman! You will be missed by so many.*

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**Stacy Dale** - July 01, 2019 at 09:23 AM

CS

*Ellie was a lovely, giving and caring woman. She will be missed. My condolences to her family. ~Carol Ann, Church Secretary of Sussex United Methodist Church*

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**Carol Ann, Church Secretary** - July 01, 2019 at 11:34 AM

PK

*As I remember Ellie, she was a fine and quiet woman with a great sense of humor. It was my privilege to know her as her pastor 10 years ago. My heartfelt sympathy to the family.*

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**Pastor Jane Verstoep Koss** - July 01, 2019 at 12:03 PM



*My heartfelt condolences to the Caine family. I will always have fond memories of Mrs Caine. Again my deepest sympathy.*

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**Rosa Downey** - July 01, 2019 at 11:13 PM

PC

*Mrs. Caine was always such a strong lady. I have so many wonderful memories of her. My condolences to the entire Caine family during this difficult time. Sending lots of love to you all.*

**Patty Coronado** - July 02, 2019 at 12:01 AM

 Jane Stillings

*Ellie was such a special person. So caring and always ready to lend a hand. We have great memories of bringing her along to our kid's performances. We always talked about how she won the 50/50 raffle for their Highland Stage performance when John Wetzel let her step in front of him to buy her ticket and she won. RIP Ellie. You will be missed.*

**Jane Stillings** - July 03, 2019 at 06:57 AM

LL

*Thank you all for the kind words and wonderful memories. It truly means the world to us. Linda (Caine) Lewallen xo*

**Linda Lewallen** - August 08, 2019 at 04:58 PM