Gloucester City News Obituaries
September 2025

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Candace G. Gaskill (Sept. 4th)

Candace G. "Candy" Gaskill, 74, of Berlin, formerly of Mount Laurel, passed away on August 21, 2025.

Born in Moorestown, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Phyllis (nee Ely) Gaskill. She is survived by her beloved son, Charles Finnegan (Kari); cherished grandchildren, Rylee, Kassidy, Jovan, Zachary (Ashlee) and Evan; and great-grandchildren, Violet and Nave. Candy was also predeceased by her daughter, Shellie Finnegan.

Family and friends of Candy gathered for her Funeral Services at the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City. Her interment was held privately.

Dolores E. Capobianco (Sept. 4th)

On August 23, 2025, at the age of 93, Dolores E. Capobianco passed peacefully and was reunited in heaven with her late husband, Daniel "Chick" Capobianco.

Born in Gloucester City to the late Bernard and Edna Griffin, Dolores was a longtime resident of Bellmawr since 1957. She married Chick in 1954 and together they raised their children in Bellmawr.

Loving wife of the late Daniel "Chick" Capobianco. Loving mother of Denise Best (late John), Daniel M. Capobianco Jr. (Carol), Dolores Christinzio (Edward), David Capobianco (Debbie), Dawn Zurinski (Stanley) and Donna Sandrock. Cherished grandmother of John, Danny, Danny (Jeannine), TJ (Joclyn), Kimberly, Jillian (Dan), Joseph, Michael, Derik (Georgi), Tyler, Eddie (Gina), Chelsea (Dave), Frankie (Anna), Victoria (Zach) and Luke. Great-grandmother of 19 with one on the way and great-great grandmother of three. Beloved sister of Ronald Welsh, the late Richard Griffin and the late Bill Griffin.

Dolores lived for her family and they were her greatest joy in life. She loved spending time with her four-legged friend, Daisy.

Relatives and friends attended her viewing in the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City, where her Funeral Service was celebrated. Interment was at New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

Condolences and memories may be shared at www.mccannhealey.com under the obituary of Dolores E. Capobianco.

Juanita E. Reader (Sept. 4th)

Surrounded by her loving family, Juanita E. Reader of Mantua, formerly of Gloucester City and Brooklawn, passed peacefully at home on August 24, 2025, at the age of 68.

Cherished daughter of the late John "Jack" L. Reader Jr. and the late Dorothy "Dot" Reader. Beloved sister of John L. Reader, III and the late Roberta A. Mogar. Beloved aunt of Jacquelyn Collins (Ron), Stefanie Kalitz, John L. Reader IV (Mackenzie) and Jessica Meehan (Jared). Also survived by many loving cherished great-nieces and nephews.

At her request, graveside services were be private at Eglington Cemetery, Clarksboro.

Condolences and Memories may be shared at www.mccannhealey.com under the obituary of Juanita E. Reader. Funeral arrangements entrusted to the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City.

Ruth Ann Murphy (Sept. 4th)

Surrounded by family, Ruth Ann Murphy, 88, of Westville, formerly of Brooklawn and Gloucester City, embraced eternal peace on August 27, 2025.

Ruth will be lovingly remembered by her children, Stacey Murphy and Thomas Murphy (Ceil); and grandchildren Casandra P. Murphy-Betham (Ian) and Zachary T. Murphy (Natalie). She is also survived by her brother William Tourtual and Diane Goley.

She was born on May 1, 1937, to the late Charles and Edna Tourtual, in Verga. She was a graduate of Gloucester High School Class of 1955. Ruth will always be remembered for her enduring commitment to her family and friends, and will be continuously cherished by those influenced by her generosity, benevolence, and enthusiastic passion for life. She demonstrated a magical ability to make people laugh, feel thoroughly loved and welcomed.

She was predeceased by the "Love of her Life" Thomas "Choo Choo" Murphy for 68 years; her beloved granddaughter Casandra P. Murphy-Betham; and siblings Charles, Edna and Shirley.

Ruth lived life to the fullest, laughing and loving unconditionally. Ruth retired from the Camden County Board of Social Services and was a diehard fan of the Philadelphia Phillies.

Relatives and friends are invited to meet Friday, Sept. 5, from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m. in St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth St., Gloucester City, where her Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11:30 a.m. Interment will follow in New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, please remember Ruth with a donation to St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth St., Gloucester City, NJ 08030. Please write in memo, Ruth Ann Murphy.

Condolences and memories may be shared at www.mccannhealey.com under the obituary of Ruth Ann Murphy. Funeral arrangements entrusted to the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City.

Viola B. Kennedy (Sept. 4th)

Viola Beulah Kennedy, 69, of Swedesboro passed away peacefully on August 21, 2025. Born in Jersey City, she was the beloved daughter of the late Frank and Fairy Bell (nee Williams) Kennedy.

Viola is survived by her devoted sister, Diane Kennedy, and her Pancoast family at Bancroft, whose lives she touched with her warmth, kindness, and unwavering joy. Her presence was a blessing to many, especially her cherished friends and extended family at Bancroft, where she will be deeply missed.

Viola was a woman of deep faith who found joy in serving Christ, singing her favorite hymns especially "Blessed Assurance" and lifting the spirits of those around her. With a heart full of compassion and a contagious sense of humor, she brought light and laughter to everyone she met. She loved giving everyone a nickname, making each person feel special in her own unique way.

Some of her favorite pastimes included long phone conversations with her sister, their monthly dinner dates, playing board games, watching her favorite TV shows, singing and dancing. She was an avid shopper who loved getting her hair and nails done, especially with her signature red hair dye. Viola delighted in sharing her "winning numbers" for the lottery, always asking her favorite phrase: "Did you win?"

Relatives and friends celebrated Viola's life in the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City, with a visitation prior to the Funeral Service. Interment was at Waterford Memorial Park Cemetery, Waterford.

Donna M. Schultz (Sept. 11th)

At the age of 69, Donna M. Schultz of Gloucester City embraced eternal peace on September 2, 2025.

Born on October 15, 1955, in Camden to Rita (nee Hunt) Schultz and the late William Schultz Jr., Donna was a proud graduate of Gloucester High School, Class of 1974.

Donna will be lovingly remembered by her siblings, William Schultz III, Kimberly Mecchella, and Lisa O'Sullivan (Daniel). She was predeceased by her beloved daughter, Jaime Marie Gorczynski, and her brother, Thomas Schultz. Donna dedicated over 40 years of her life to Abilities Solutions in Westville, where she worked as a line production worker. Her commitment and work ethic left a lasting impact on all who knew her there.

A lover of nature, animals, and children, Donna found joy in gardening and spending time with her many nieces and nephews. She excelled in field hockey in school and enjoyed watching her nieces play the sport in later years.

Family and friends celebrated Donna's life during her viewing at the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City, followed by Funeral Service. Interment was at New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

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John A. Leadbeater (Sept. 11th)

John A. Leadbeater, 86, of Bellmawr, formerly of Bellmawr, passed away on August 26, 2025.

He was the son of the late Charles and Edith Leadbeater. John is survived by his children, Cheryl Meyers (John), Diane Leadbeater (Bennie), Charles Leadbeater and Craig Leadbeater. He was also predeceased by his son, Johnny. John was a retired truck driver, who drove for John Landolfi Trucking for many years. He served his community as a member of the Deptford Fire Department.

He loved his vegetable garden, taking rides to Lancaster, PA, and making his cherished 11 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren laugh. He will be truly missed.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: www.samaritannj.org or Samaritan Center @ Voohees, 265 Rt. 73, Voorhees, NJ 08043. Please write John Leadbeater in the memo.

At the request of John's family, services were held privately.

Condolences and memories may be shared at www.mccannhealey.com . Funeral arrangements entrusted to the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City.

Terrance P. Anderson Sr. (Sept. 18th)

Terrence P. "Terry" Anderson Sr., 74, of Mount Ephraim, formerly of Morgan Village, Camden, passed away September 7, 2025.

Terry was the beloved husband of 52 years to Linda Anderson (nee Lee). Devoted father of Terrence P. Anderson Jr and William Anderson. Loving pop pop of Dakota and Trevor. Dear brother of Catherine Brown, Marianne Sparta, and the late Irene Cristinzio, James, Joseph, Edward, Kevin, Karen and Timothy Anderson. Brother-in-law of George Sparta, John Cristinzio, Jackie Force, Colleen Lee and the late Sharon Luciana. He is also survived by his faithful companion Tuli and many nieces and nephews.

A graduate of Camden High School, Terry loved his country and served with the U.S. Army in Vietnam from 1968 to 1971 and was a proud Veteran. His love for his family ran deep and he would do anything for anyone. He enjoyed talking about sports and had strong opinions about all aspects of life. He had a great sense of humor and was a pleasure to be with at a social gathering. He will be sadly missed.

Before he retired Terry worked 45 years for Pathmark at many of their locations as Dairy Manager and finished his career in Deptford, he loved doing what he did and helping people. In retirement, he was also a driver for Del Buono's Bakery for a few years. Terry enjoyed sports of any kind, he was involved with Mt. Ephraim Basketball and Little League; then went on to referee high school baseball games for many years. He was proud of his garden and loved barbecuing and spending time out on his deck listening to a Phillies game or the Allman Brothers on is radio. He was a very big sports fan loved his Phillies, Eagles and was a huge Penn State fan.

Terry leaves behind many great friends he grew up with and a lot he played softball for Martin's Bar, from the Mt Ephraim Democrat Club and The Spread Eagle, along with great neighbors on Lincoln Ave. He along with his brother Jimmy were owners of TJ's Pool Hall for a few years and met a lot of nice people.

Relatives and friends attended his visitation at the Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede, where his Memorial Service was celebrated. Inurnment was in St. Joseph Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Terry's memory to Vietnam Veterans of America, 8719 Colesville Rd, Suite 100, Silver Spring, MD 20910 https://vva.org/.

Jeanne Marie Law (Sept. 25th)

Jeanne Marie Law, 73, of Gloucester City passed away on September 3, 2025.

She is predeceased by her parents, Francis and Theresa Law (nee Buch), and her siblings, Frances Rose Law, Stephen Louis Law and Daniel Christopher Law. Jeanne Marie is survived by her brother, Timothy Patrick Law and his wife, Dawn, as well as her nephews and nieces, Kevin Everhart, Jeffrey Everhart, Isabella Law and Nicholas Law.

Jeanne was a graduate of Cathedral Academy in Camden, NJ. She worked many years at Stone & Webster Engineering in Cherry Hill.

Relatives and friends attended her viewing in the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St. Gloucester City, where her Funeral Service was celebrated. Interment was in New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, please remember Jeanne with a donation to the Animal Welfare Association, 509 Centennial Blvd., Voorhees, NJ 08043 or online at https://give.awanj.org/. Please write in memo, Jeanne M. Law.

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