



## Marcella "Marcie" Gill

September 5, 1950 - January 23, 2023

It is with deep sorrow that we share the passing of Marcella Philomena (Sherkness) Gill on January 23, 2023, after a long, hard fight with cancer.

Marcie was born to the late Vincent and Philomena (Chicanavage) Sherkness of Mahanoy City, Pennsylvania on September 5, 1950. She graduated from Marian Catholic High School in 1968 and attended Penn State University.

She then met the love of her life and rock William Albert Gill, Sr. They married in 1970 and shared over 52 wonderful years together. Her pride and joy were her family - she was the best wife, mom, nana, great grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend anyone could ever ask for. In addition to her husband Bill, Marcie is survived by her seven children DruAnn (Gill) Hill and her husband Marc, William Jr., Amanda (Gill) Kerdzaliev and her husband Roshaun, Francis and his wife Jessica (Sisak), Jesse and his fiancée Nikki Yost, Patrick and his wife Jessie (Harris), Stephen and his wife Taylor (O'Neill); her sister Marie (Sherkness) Ford and her husband Tony; 17 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; her mother-in-law Wilma (Dodds) Gill; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Marcie was devoted to her Catholic faith and was a member of St. Richard's Catholic Church in Barnesville, PA and St. Jude's Catholic Church in Pearce, AZ. She served the church in numerous capacities from playing the organ to

teaching religious education and volunteering with the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

A funeral mass will be celebrated Thursday, February 2, 2023, beginning at 10:30 am with a Rosary being offered at 10:00 am at St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church, Highway 191, Pearce, AZ with interment following on Friday, February 3, 2023, at Fort Bayard National Cemetery, 200 Cam De Paz, Fort Bayard, NM. A memorial service at St. Richard's Catholic Church will be planned at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made in her name to St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church, Highway 191, Pearce, AZ 85625.

# Cemetery Details

## Fort Bayard National Cemetery

Santa Clara, NM

# Previous Events

## Rosary

FEB 2. 10:00 AM (MT)

St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church  
Highway 191  
Sunsites, AZ

## Funeral Mass

FEB 2. 10:30 AM (MT)

St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church  
Highway 191  
Sunsites, AZ

## Interment

FEB 3. 1:00 PM (MT)

Fort Bayard National Cemetery  
Santa Clara, NM

# Tribute Wall

MS

“ My condolences to the Gill family.. I worked w Marcie ..We taught ccd St Richard.Marcie was devoted to her Catholic faith and was a member of St. Richard’s Catholic Church in Barnesville, PA She was my CCD instructor.directior Rip dear Marcie. May holy angels console your family..

*Margo Snyder*

Margo Snyder - January 26, 2024 at 09:53 AM

AS

“ We (Sherry & Annmarie Sherkness) send our condolences to you and your family . Victor passed away Jume 5, 2022 and Tyrone passed away December 26, 2017. Both were on kidney dialysis .

Annmarie Sherkness - July 16, 2023 at 06:08 PM

HE

“ Herman purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Marcella "Marcie" Gill.



Herman - January 31, 2023 at 04:48 PM

YF

“ Your Kenco Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Marcella "Marcie" Gill.



Your Kenco Family - January 30, 2023 at 01:17 PM



“ *Marcella "Marcie" Gill*

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *Wow, so very sorry to hear of your mom's passing. You all were such a big part of our world. Please send love to Bill, Marie and all of you. We lost our beloved mom, Joan, in August. It's an ugh. We know they are with the holy angels. I hope they meet soon.  
Love Angela Mammarella Nassar  
Gina and Georgie*

**Angela Nassar** - January 28, 2023 at 12:17 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marcella "Marcie" Gill.*



January 26, 2023 at 02:59 PM



“ *I worked with Marci at the Frackville McDonalds. She was such a kind, sweet and funny lady. I can still picture her coming to work after her school bus runs, she'd work for a couple hours and off again to get the kiddies home safely from school. The most pleasant person I ever met. RIP Marci and condolences to her family especially Amanda!  
Cindy Loughlin*

**cindy Loughlin** - January 26, 2023 at 08:30 AM

HD

*Rest in peace Marcie . Prayers for Bill and all the family , may God bless.*

Harry Devine - January 26, 2023 at 03:02 PM

AM

*So sorry to hear of Marcie's passing.Marcie and I grew up and went to the same elementary school(St.Joseph's) in Mahanoy City,Pa. Please remember all the good times spent with her.May God Bless you All!*

Anne Marie Mistishen - January 28, 2023 at 09:19 AM

HF

“ *Harris Family lit a candle in memory of Marcella "Marcie" Gill*



Harris Family - January 26, 2023 at 06:33 AM

HF

“ *We send our deepest condolences to you all. Our hearts feel the loss of our beautiful friend and she will be missed. GWG Marcie and continue to shower everyone with your love and laughter from above. 😊💕*

Harris Family - January 26, 2023 at 06:31 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Marcella "Marcie" Gill.*



January 25, 2023 at 09:13 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marcella "Marcie" Gill.*



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January 25, 2023 at 09:07 PM



“ *peggy jackson lit a candle in memory of Marcella "Marcie" Gill*



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**peggy jackson** - January 25, 2023 at 08:49 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Marcella "Marcie" Gill.*



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January 25, 2023 at 08:23 PM



“ *I love you, Mom! So much!! I miss you 🥹*

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**Bill Gill Jr.** - January 25, 2023 at 08:20 PM



“ *Rest in Peace special lady! I will miss the music you played and working together with you through St Vincent de Paul in Sunsites!*

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**LaDonna Burgess** - January 24, 2023 at 11:52 AM

DT

“ *Diane Tucker lit a candle in memory of  
Marcella "Marcie" Gill*



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**Diane Tucker** - January 23, 2023 at 09:22 PM

JS

*So very sorry for you're loss of a beautiful woman, know her long yime,  
she was the sweetest, always smiling, God Bless her Family!*

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**Janet Schroeder** - January 25, 2023 at 10:53 PM