



Janet L. Tomasko

July 12, 1943 - May 17, 2026

Janet Lee Tomasko, 82, of Macungie, passed away peacefully on Sunday, May 17, 2026. Born July 12, 1943 in Northampton, she was the daughter of the late Paul E. and Lillian S. (Leh) Heiney. She enjoyed a long career of 25 years at Air Products and Chemicals in Trexlertown.

Janet was an amazing, loving mother and grandmother, always putting others before herself. She loved her grandchildren dearly and prioritized attending all their major events. Over the years, she cheered at their numerous sporting events - lacrosse, track, soccer, cross-country, and baseball. She was the ultimate supporter. She adored and was incredibly proud of every one of them.

Later in life during summers, she enjoyed relaxing in Avalon, NJ, where Janet celebrated many of her July birthdays alongside her family. You would often find her relaxing by the pool, having her favorite crumb buns, or enjoying her pinot grigio on special occasions.

Every September, she started preparing for the year-end holidays just to ensure everything was perfect. Her special stuffing recipe was a Thanksgiving staple, and her chocolate chip cookies were a hot commodity during Christmas. She had a great love of the arts, such as going to plays, musicals, and concerts, and during her spare time, it wouldn't be a surprise to find her

playing cards with friends or family.

Early this year, her malignancy was diagnosed. It was fast and aggressive, yet she was brave and tough, fighting as she had fought all adversity during her life. Her children, grandchildren, and close friends will miss her immensely. Her steadfast loving presence will be forever missed, but she will never be forgotten.

She is survived by her daughter Lisa Tomasko Dooley (Brian) of St. Davids, PA, son Ronald T. Tomasko (Joyce) of Naples, FL, and five grandchildren Jackson, Maxwell and Margaret Dooley, Alexander and Nicholas Tomasko. She was predeceased by her brother Gilbert F., and sisters Irene F. Bartholomew, Geraldine L. Muhr, Louise A. Heiney.

A church service to celebrate her life will be held at Jerusalem Western Salisbury Church, 3441 Devonshire Rd., Allentown, on May 29 at 1pm. A luncheon to follow at Lehigh Country Club, 2319 S Cedar Crest Blvd, Allentown, PA 18103.

Memorial contributions can be considered in her memory to: Neuroendocrine Tumor Research Foundation (NETRF.org)

Arrangements by Trexler Funeral Home, Allentown.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY **29**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Jerusalem Western Salisbury Church
3441 Devonshire Rd.
Allentown, PA 18103

Tribute Wall

JK

“*Sad to hear this. Janet was a good person. I enjoyed her laugh. We worked together at Air Products. One of my favorite people there. God bless her.*

Jim Kessack

Jim Kessack - June 07 at 05:29 PM

RH

“*My heartfelt condolences to Janet's family! My name is Robyn Hines and every few months I would meet Janet for lunch at different places around the Lehigh Valley. Many times my son Cameron would join us, if he had a break from his studies at Cornell, and she loved hearing about his endeavors as we enjoyed hearing about her grandchildren's attainments as well. The last time we spent time with her was a lunch on December 18, 2025 at the Hotel Bethlehem. We had a wonderful time together and remarked that this should become our yearly tradition with the shopping afterwards at their nostalgic gift shop!*

Janet will always have a special place in my heart. She was a lovely woman and friend and I pray that you as a family find peace with her passing.

Robyn Hines - May 28 at 09:14 PM

NH

“*My deepest condolences to Janet's family. Janet was always so proud of her family and grandchildren. She would also share how much she enjoyed going to Avalon and spending time with her family. May her warm smile and fond memories sustain you through this difficult time. Nancy H.*

Nancy H - May 28 at 12:49 PM

CF

“ Colleen and Peter Dooley and family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Janet L. Tomasko.



Colleen and Peter Dooley and family - May 28 at 09:25 AM

CF

“ Colleen and Peter Dooley and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janet L. Tomasko.

Colleen and Peter Dooley and family - May 28 at 09:25 AM

GM

“ I am so saddened to hear of Janet's passing. I have many fond memories of visits to Musikfest and other fun times shared. She was so very proud of her family and always welcomed a chance to swap stories and updates about our grandchildren! I will always remember her for her warm, glowing smile! My condolences to her family.

Gail McMakin - May 27 at 09:19 PM

AL

“ I was heartbroken to hear the news that my friend, Jane passed away. She always brought joy to our gatherings. She was a kind and thoughtful person. She enjoyed sharing the achievements of all her children and grandchildren. I will always keep the friendship we shared in my heart. My deepest sympathy to the family. Ann Lee

ann lee - May 27 at 08:42 PM

MH

“ Matt and Elaine Hoffman purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Janet L. Tomasko.



Matt and Elaine Hoffman - May 27 at 11:24 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Janet L. Tomasko.



May 26 at 04:52 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Janet L. Tomasko.

May 26 at 04:52 PM

BI

“ .i worked with Janet for a few years. She always kept her private life to herself. The obituary is very nice and well written. Condolences to the family.

Bill - May 23 at 08:31 AM

SP

“ *Sally (Holz) Pyne lit a candle in memory of Janet L. Tomasko*



sally (Holz) Pyne - May 22 at 01:31 PM