



## Eileen Gibbons

February 4, 1942 - June 1, 2026

Eileen Mary Gibbons (Coyne), 84, of Wadsworth, Illinois passed away peacefully June 1, 2026.

Eileen was born February 4, 1942 in Chicago, Illinois. Daughter of John and Catherine Coyne (Higgins) and the youngest of 8 children. She was married to her loving husband, James Gibbons, of 63 years where they were residents of Downers Grove, IL and in retirement Wadsworth, IL. In her time, she enjoyed sewing, traveling, camping, golfing, and devoting her life to her family and Christ. She was best described by her loved ones as a supportive wife, encouraging mother, and doting grandmother. Eileen will best be remembered for her love of her family, generosity, warm embrace, and infectious laugh.

She is survived by her husband James Gibbons; siblings Thresea Petty (Coyne), Betty Ann Bialk (Coyne); children Sheila (Tommy) Skweres, Noreen (Tim) Millins, and Thresea (Wade) Meyer; grandchildren Brian (Sarah) Skweres, Jennifer Skweres, Katie Meyer, Christine Millins, Kelly Millins, Ryan Meyer, James Millins, and Sara Meyer; great grandchildren Ava Skweres and James Skweres

A visitation will be held from 9-10 a.m. on June 5th, 2026 at St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church, 6401 Gages Lake Rd, Gurnee IL. Mass will follow begin at 10 a.m. Following Mass Eileen will be laid to rest at All Saints

Cemetery located in Des Plaines, IL.

# Cemetery Details

## All Saints Cemetery

700 N. River Rd  
Des Plaines, IL 60016

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 5. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul the Apostle  
6401 Gages Lake Rd  
Gurnee, IL 60031

## Funeral Mass

JUN 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul the Apostle  
6401 Gages Lake Rd  
Gurnee, IL 60031

# Tribute Wall

RM

“ *Such a good memory of Eileen when I came back from Vietnam, and saw her hanging out a window in my neighborhood in an Apartment Building, she yelled at we are having a party, can you get some more guys to attend, I said sure and went an got some. At that time she was dating my cousin Jim Gibbons, but she didn't realize who I was until I came back to the party. We both laughed a lot about that over the years. To Jim and your families so very sorry for your loss of a wonder wife, mother, and grandmother. May she rest in Peace, she will be missed by all. God Bless her.*

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**Roger McGill** - June 05 at 09:34 AM

LF

“ *Love-The Smith & Chialdikas Families purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Eileen Gibbons.*



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**Love-The Smith & Chialdikas Families** - June 04 at 03:07 PM

YG

“ *Your friends at GLM purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Eileen Gibbons.*



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**Your friends at GLM** - June 04 at 11:55 AM

YG

“ Your friends at GLM planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eileen Gibbons.

Your friends at GLM - June 04 at 11:55 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Eileen Gibbons.



June 03 at 05:51 PM

BK

“ Bob and Jackie Knudsen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eileen Gibbons.

Bob and Jackie Knudsen - June 03 at 05:01 PM

BK

“ Bob and Jackie Knudsen purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Eileen Gibbons.



Bob and Jackie Knudsen - June 03 at 05:01 PM

SA

“ Just wanted to express our condolences on the loss of Eileen, wife, mom, grandma, sister, aunt and dear friend. Another good one to watch over her family from Heaven. Words cannot express what you are all going through. Sue (Bialk) and Lex Alexander

Susan Bialk Alexander - June 03 at 05:00 PM

TM

“ *The Millers purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Eileen Gibbons.*



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**The Millers** - June 03 at 03:19 PM

TF

“ *The Matwij Family purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Eileen Gibbons.*



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**The Matwij Family** - June 03 at 01:25 PM

MF

“ *Margaret Sampey and the Sampey Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Eileen Gibbons.*



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**Margaret Sampey and the Sampey Family** - June 03 at 09:25 AM