



## Irene C. Gutowski

January 15, 1925 - April 15, 2026

Irene C. Gutowski (nee Carlo), of North Tonawanda, age 101, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by her family, while under the care of Niagara Hospice on Wednesday April 15, 2026. Irene was born in North Tonawanda on January 15, 1925, daughter of the late Paul and Ella Carlo.

She is predeceased by her beloved husband Leo Gutowski and her siblings; Margaret Vona, Richard Carlo and Helen Pendolino.

Loving mother of Paula (late Zig) Knowle, Nancy (Mark) Failing and Marty (Susan) Gutowski; devoted grandmother of Amy (Skip) Haley, Keri (Lenny) Anderson, Andrew (Maura) Failing, Emily Knowle, Becky (Byron) Hamilton and Rachel Gutowski; great grandmother of Sophia, Jeanette, Josie and Bain. Also survived by her special friend, Barb Bakowski, nieces and nephews.

The family will greet relatives and friends on Monday April 20, 2016 from 4 to 8 PM at the Wattengel Funeral Home, 533 Meadow Drive in North Tonawanda. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Tuesday April 21, 2026 at 9:30 AM from Our Lady of Czestochowa Church, 626 Oliver Street North Tonawanda, please assemble at church. Entombment will follow at Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Tonawanda NY.

If desired memorials may be made to Niagara Hospice in Irene's memory.

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Olivet Cemetery

4000 Elmwood Ave  
Kenmore, NY 14217

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 20. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)  
533 Meadow Drive  
North Tonawanda, NY 14120  
(716) 693-0440  
wattengelfh@gmail.com  
<https://www.wattengel.com>

## Mass of Christian Burial

APR 21. 9:30 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Czestochowa Church  
626 Oliver Street  
North Tonawanda, NY 14120  
(716) 693-3822

# Tribute Wall

RS

“ I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. She and my mother were great friends and neighbors. She was kind and let me use her sewing machine to make button holes for my sewing projects. And, I still use her recipe for peanut blossoms every Christmas. I like to think that your mother, my mother Marion Schebell, Mrs. Spitzer and Mrs. DiMatteo are in heaven and enjoying daily coffee parties!  
In sympathy, Rachael Schebell

Rachael Schebell - April 21 at 09:53 PM

LB

“ My deepest condolences. Mrs. Gutowski was always so kind and friendly. She never seemed to change, and certainly lived a long life! May she rest in peace. Linda (Spitzer) Belz

Linda Belz - April 19 at 02:09 PM



“ 131 files added to the album LifeTributes



Wattengel Funeral Home - April 18 at 01:10 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Irene C. Gutowski.

April 17 at 07:21 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Irene C. Gutowski.



April 17 at 07:21 PM



“ Dearest Aunt Irene- I can't believe you are no longer in this world. But I am so happy that you are with your Leo parents sisters & brother. I don't have words to tell you how much I loved you & felt so blessed to love & be loved by you & your family. Heaven sure did gain another angel. I'll miss you always...❤️

**Shirley Vona** - April 17 at 05:28 PM



PS -give my Hoe a hug and tell him I miss him more than I ever imagined was possible. He loved you so much too❤�

**Shirley Vona** - April 17 at 05:30 PM