



## Jeanne Riedel

May 25, 2023

Jeanne Anne Riedel, born Jeanne Anne Horton, age 101, of River Edge, NJ died Thursday, May 25, 2023. Jeanne graduated from Dwight Morrow High School and earned a teaching degree from New York University. During World War II she supported the war effort working at Bendix Corp in the machine shop and then in the drafting department. Jeanne was a founding member of the Women's Auxiliary of the Oradell VFW. She married Harold John "Jack" Riedel in 1953 and they were happily married for 50 years until his death in 2003.

She had a distinguished career as an elementary school teacher in the New York City education system. She was active in the NYC teachers union, serving as her schools Chapter Chairperson for many years. Inspired by her parents, George and May Horton of Oradell, Jeanne worked passionately her whole life for civil rights and racial justice, most recently with the Martin Luther King Birthday Observance Committee. She was a devoted member of Central Unitarian Church in Paramus.

Jeanne is survived by her three children, Gay Elizabeth Riedel of Teaneck, NJ, Steven John Riedel of Tewksbury, NJ and Guy Harold Riedel of Westlake Village, CA and two grandchildren, James Hunter Riedel and Jesse Steven Riedel of Los Angeles, CA.

Family and friends are invited to visit Friday, June 2, 2023 from 5-8 PM at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 268 Kinderkamack Rd., Oradell, NJ. Funeral service to be held at 10:00AM on Saturday, June 3, 2023 at the funeral home. Interment to follow at George Washington Memorial Park, Paramus, NJ. For more information or to visit Jeanne's tribute page, please visit [www.volkleber.com](http://www.volkleber.com).

# Cemetery Details

## George Washington Memorial Park

234 Paramus Road  
Paramus, NJ 07652

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Volk Leber Funeral Home  
268 Kinderkamack Road  
Oradell, NJ 07649  
info@volkleber.com  
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## Service

JUN 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

Volk Leber Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Jeanne Riedel*

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ *Jeanne Riedel*

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jeanne Riedel.*



June 01, 2023 at 12:57 PM