



## Joan Mucciolo

June 25, 2023

Joan Mucciolo (December 18, 1954 - June 25, 2023)

Joan Mucciolo, a beloved mother, sister, aunt, cousin, colleague, and friend to all those who knew her, passed away on June 25, 2023, at the age of 68. She was a remarkable woman whose talents, accomplishments, and warm-hearted nature touched the lives of many.

Born on December 18, 1954, Joan embraced life with passion and a drive for success. She was a lifelong learner, earning a degree in Speech Communications, then studied Industrial Psychology, and later went on to a degree in Fashion Design, showcasing her diverse interests and commitment to personal growth. Joan's pursuit of knowledge and her creative spirit defined her character and influenced her career path.

After working in the Fashion Industry for a number of years, Joan's entrepreneurial journey began with a home craft business, where she poured her heart into creating beautiful vintage dolls, holiday wreaths, and other unique creations. Her keen eye for design and attention to detail garnered much praise and recognition. However, Joan's true breakthrough came when she combined her love for photography with her entrepreneurial spirit and launched [mucci360](#), a highly successful Real Estate Virtual Tour Company.

With her visionary ideas and unwavering dedication, she add the video production skills of her son Peter and together, the company quickly became one of the largest and most reputable virtual tour providers in New Jersey. Her ability to capture the essence of a space through the lens of her camera transported viewers to breathtaking places, allowing them to experience the world from the comfort of their homes. Joan's talent, creativity, and commitment to excellence earned her the respect and admiration of both her clients and peers.

Beyond her professional achievements, Joan's true joy in life came from her family. She shared a long marriage with her husband, Tom Mucciolo, and together they nurtured a beautiful bond that stood the test of time. Their son, Peter, brought immeasurable happiness to Joan's life, and she cherished every moment spent with him. As a mother, Joan was unwavering in her support, guidance, and encouragement, instilling in Peter the values of integrity, perseverance, and kindness.

Joan's warm and welcoming nature extended beyond her immediate family, and she touched the lives of countless relatives, friends, and colleagues. Her genuine interest in others, her compassionate heart, and her sense of fairness created an atmosphere of love and happiness wherever she went. Joan's nurturing spirit made her a trusted confidante, and her ability to connect with people on a deep level fostered lasting relationships.

In addition to her many talents and roles, Joan will be remembered for her generosity and willingness to lend a helping hand. She selflessly gave her time and resources to those who relied on her, making a positive impact on the lives she touched.

Joan's legacy will continue to live on through the memories and stories shared by those who were fortunate to know her. Her extraordinary journey, marked

by determination, creativity, and love, will forever inspire those who strive to make a difference in the world.

Joan is survived by Tom, and their son, Peter, and her loving dog Connery. She also leaves behind a large extended family, friends, colleagues, and a community of individuals whose lives she touched deeply. Her presence will be dearly missed, but her spirit will forever remain in the hearts of all who had the privilege of knowing her.

Rest in peace, Joan. May your soul find eternal tranquility, and may your light continue to shine upon us all.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

JUN **29**. 5:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Volk Leber Funeral Home  
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info@volkleber.com  
<http://www.volkleber.com>

## Chapel Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Volk Leber Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joan Mucciolo*



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**Volk Leber Funeral Home** - June 28, 2023 at 12:41 PM



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**Karyn Alberto** - June 28, 2023 at 04:06 PM



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**Karyn Alberto** - June 28, 2023 at 04:12 PM

MJ

*I truly have a heavy heart over a close friend. I am going to miss visiting you and staying for hours and hours talking and catching up. You taught me a lot about life and myself. Thank you for believing in me when I didn't believe in myself. You're truly one of kind, with my loss heaven gained an Angel. Send my condolences to Pete and Tom*

**Mary Jennings** - June 28, 2023 at 05:17 PM

MH

*Aunt Joan Cousin Joan Bubby I love you dearly and I can't believe I'm even writing this right now. You were like a second mother to me and you always took time out to help and listen. You took me under your roof when I needed a home and you fed me when I needed food. Whatever I needed you always went out of your way to make it happen no questions. I'm not much of a writer but you will always have a spot in my heart and I will NEVER forget you. Rest in peace Joan ill see you again some day.*

**Michael Hogan** - June 29, 2023 at 10:43 AM

LC

*I knew Joan from work and she was such a kind person. I remember when my dog passed away her sending me something. My deepest sympathy goes out to the family, rest in peace Joan*

**Lori Courtney** - June 29, 2023 at 01:40 PM



“ *Joan Mucciolo*

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ *Joan Mucciolo*

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ *Hi. I can't believe my childhood friend is gone. We got together for church and dinner last time I was in New York. Reminisced about seeing the Beatles in person when we were kids and how much we missed our parents. After years of losing touch, she found me on social media and we connected to find out we both had become Christians and she had found Jesus through a pastor affiliated with my church Calvary Chapel! Go see the movie about Pastor Greg Laurie "Jesus Revolution." That's the pastor who led her to the Lord at a Harvest Crusade in Madison Square Gardens. It's one of the last things we may have talked about. Joanie also loved The Chosen (available free on its app; also Prime, Netflix, CW, etc.) Now when I rewatch these shows, I'll think of my friend Joanie. A truly wonderful person! Blessings to her family and friends. Miss her! ☐*

Ali Kagamaster - August 01, 2023 at 01:33 AM

LN

“ Here is the picture from Gypsy. Doesnt look like it went through before...❤️



Lynn Nardi - July 03, 2023 at 09:55 AM

LN

“ I first met Joanie in Alan Schwartz Interpersonal communications class. One day, we each had to go around the circle and say what we thought of each other in the class.

I had been intimidated by Joanie's tough girl attitude, so I was more than a little nervous. When she got to me, she broke into a big smile and said 'I like you!' I was thrilled.

Then we all worked together in West Side Story in the first Iona Summer Theatre Festival ( that dance, Tom, we had at the 'Dance in the Gym'), she giggled at that, teased me, in a fun way, about falling asleep in the air conditioned prop room, which led to the strangest conversation with Rod...then of course, there was Gypsy, where I had the honor of performing 'Gotta Get a Gimmick' with Joanie and Kathy...so much fun practicing, and if I do say so myself, we sounded great! We practiced all the time. I'll also post a rehearsal picture with Joanie as Dressie Tessie Tura..I only wish it was in full costume

Tommy, my heart is with you and Pete, I know Joanie is watching over you both. I havent spoken to her in awhile, but we had reconnected through fb. I miss her ❤️ She was tough and strong and sweet and loving...no one will ever forget her!

Lynn Nardi - July 03, 2023 at 09:38 AM

TF

“Joan and I were in the same dormitory at CNR when Iona women lived there instead of shacking up with the Iona boys. She was the coolest. She's the person who told me to just let my hair be curly instead of straightening it all the time. She saved me countless, innumerable, endless hours with blow dryers and rollers. This, of course, is not my only memory of Joanie. She was incredibly talented and had a great eye. She was terrific as ANYBODYS in West Side Story and really fun to talk shit with. My old BF Tomm and I went to visit you guys in 1979ish? (Pic below). She made us a great dinner and it was just so lovely to see her and Tom. My condolences to the family. I, for one, will never forget Joanie.

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terry Finn - June 30, 2023 at 02:26 PM

AC

“Peter, we are saddened knowing about your mom Joan's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Your mom is a great and a wonderful lady always pleasant to talk to and a great neighbor. May her soul Rest in Peace in the house of the Lord.

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Arel & Lito Cruz - June 29, 2023 at 07:43 PM

TA

“Two of my fellow Iona Players united in Heaven  
Ray Eckerle and Joanie



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Ted William Amoruso - June 29, 2023 at 02:39 PM

MJ

“ *Mary Jennings lit a candle in memory of Joan Mucciolo*



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**Mary Jennings** - June 29, 2023 at 02:09 PM

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**Mary Jennings** - June 29, 2023 at 02:05 PM

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“ *Mary Jennings sent a virtual gift in memory of Joan Mucciolo*



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**Mary Jennings** - June 29, 2023 at 02:00 PM

MJ

“ *I am saddened by the news of your loss, going to miss you stopping by to visit which always ended in hours of conversation. You are truly going to be missed here on earth but I know heaven has gained an Angel. May you rest in peace, sending my condolences to Pete and Tom.*

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**Mary Jennings** - June 29, 2023 at 01:59 PM



JC

“ I was lucky enough to have become friends with Joan while doing theatre at Iona College. I especially remember when we were in *West Side Story* together. We were both Jets and Joanie was tough yet adorable. Goodbye Joan.

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**John Carrozza** - June 29, 2023 at 01:22 PM



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**Karyn Alberto** - June 29, 2023 at 11:55 AM

WB

“*Peter and Tom, I have so many wonderful memories of Joan. We were born two weeks apart, and we had such a close bond through the years. Her brother Artie was my best friend, and best man at my wedding. She was such a blessing to me as she was with my mother when my mother passed away. I was also blessed to be her pastor, and I know I will see her again. Praying for you, Cousin Walter*

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**Walter Buehler** - June 28, 2023 at 06:46 PM



“*Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan Mucciolo.*



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June 28, 2023 at 06:31 PM

JB

“ Peter and Tom, I felt so bad to hear of Joan's passing. She was such a big part of my life for many years, and I always loved talking to her, and being with her. It is comforting to know she is with Jesus, and I will see her again. Cousin Jeryl

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**JA Buehler** - June 28, 2023 at 06:14 PM

WF

“ Walter Buehler Jr. and family purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Joan Mucciolo.



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**Walter Buehler Jr. and family** - June 28, 2023 at 06:06 PM

KB

“ Tom we are so sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers ❤️🙏

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**Kathy Bennett** - June 28, 2023 at 04:30 PM

KB

“ I had received the tragic news on Tuesday about the passing of my Aunt Joan.

Aunt Joan was always there when you needed her. She never hesitated to help others in their time of needs. My self and my son became so close to my aunt and my favorite cuz Pete. Words at this moment can not even describe how beautiful she was. Our memories that we shared ( I can write a novel of all the good times lol ) and her spirit will always live and be cherished inside our hearts. God put Aunt Joan, Pete, and family in our lives and we are so blessed he did.

I'm sorry sorry for your loss we love you very much. ❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️  
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**Kathy Bennett** - June 28, 2023 at 04:18 PM



“ Joan was my "cousin-in-law". I'll always think of her as someone who, from the start, made me feel like I had known her all my life. She was a kind person with quite the artistic flair. I cherish the ordinary picture of me which she turned into a glamorous showgirl. She'll always remain in my loving thoughts. Barbara

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**Barbara Edelheit** - June 28, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Joan Mucciolo.



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June 28, 2023 at 12:49 PM



“ 93 files added to the album LifeTributes



Volk Leber Funeral Home - June 28, 2023 at 12:02 PM

MJ

*First of all my deepest condolences to Tom and Pete and all close family and friends who are experiencing this loss profoundly. As Tom requested I'm just leaving a memory of her from our college days together as members of the Iona Players. Joanie selflessly and competently not only worked the thankless job of putting costumes together for the actors but was AMAZING in her role of Anybody's in West Side Story during the first season of Summer Theatre. But more than that she was just always super cool, no BS, she called it like she saw it and you had to really earn her respect and love. She really liked my dad who taught Business Law at Iona and would tease him a lot which he loved but then that helped a little toward her attitude toward me (I think). I had to work a little harder with her to get her to think I was 'ok' but once you were in, you were in and I was so proud that she ultimately approved of me. lol. She was just a quiet force of nature and I'm sorry that we lost touch especially after reading some of these amazing tributes, but I'm so glad to have known her. She was unique. I will never forget her. Love and deepest sympathy to her family as you navigate this enormous loss. May her memory be a blessing. <3*

Madalyn Barbero Jordan - June 30, 2023 at 09:34 AM

CM

“ *Cousin Martie purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joan Mucciolo.*



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**Cousin Martie** - June 28, 2023 at 10:18 AM