



## Elaine M. Kiscaden

August 22, 1945 - February 11, 2026

Elaine M. Kiscaden, 80 of Conestoga, formerly of Lancaster City passed away at Hamilton Arms Nursing and Rehab Center on Wednesday evening, February 11, 2026. Born in Lancaster on August 22, 1945, she was the daughter of the late Paul Ritchy and Rose Musser Ritchy. She was the wife of James D. Kiscaden, Sr., who preceded her in death.

Elaine attended Lancaster Catholic High School and attended St. Mary's Catholic Church. She enjoyed shopping, soap operas and game shows. She worked earlier in life for Schick and helped her daughter with her cleaning business.

Elaine loved her grandchildren and especially loved and adored babies.

Elaine will be missed by her sons, Thomas P. Kiscaden and James D., Jr., husband of Lisa Kiscaden, both of Lancaster, Matthew R. and Brian A. Kiscaden, both of Florida and her daughters, Jamie M., wife of Craig Groff of Conestoga and Desiree, wife of David Malles of Lancaster. She is also survived by her grandchildren, Kristen, Thomas, Jr., Tyler, Nicholas, Hailey, Jackson, Evalise, Donata, Heather and Katie and 21 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her grandson, James D., III, granddaughter, Allison Elaine, great granddaughter, Olivia, brother, George and sister, Mary.

Private casket burial will be held in the Riverview Memorial Park, Lancaster.

# Cemetery Details

**Riverview Burial Park**

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Elaine M. Kiscaden.*



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February 16 at 12:58 PM



“ *"Dear Jamie, Brian, Matthew, and the Kiscaden Family, Elaine Kiscaden was a remarkable woman, full of life, surprises, and an unwavering love for her children. Her vibrant spirit and caring nature left an indelible mark on everyone fortunate enough to know her. I feel truly lucky to have met Elaine through her son, Brian, and to have shared meaningful moments and stories with her. Her warmth and zest for life will be deeply missed but fondly remembered by all who had the privilege of being part of her journey." You were Loved,*

*With heartfelt sympathy,  
Marie Sarich*

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**Marie Sarich** - February 16 at 11:16 AM

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“ Dear Jamie, Craig, and Family, as well as the entire Kiscaden family,

*I am so deeply sorry for your loss. I will always remember your mother's kindness, her warmth, and the way she made everyone feel at home. She was such a cool and inspiring mom, and I will miss her SMILE. :)*

*I pray for your strength and comfort during this difficult time, and that you feel surrounded by love and support as you navigate this loss.*

*With heartfelt sympathy,*

*Connie & Dave Burkholder and Family*

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**Connie** - February 15 at 04:04 PM