



## Deanna Marie Badik

December 27, 1937 - February 5, 2025

Deanna M. Badik, 87, of Pearl River, NY passed away on February 5, 2025. Deanna is predeceased in death by her husband, Joseph Badik (Pearl River, NY) and sons, Joseph L. Badik (Tobyhanna, PA) and John T. Badik (Stony Point, NY). She is survived by her son Marc and daughter-in-law Denise (Southport, NC) and daughter-in-law Maria (of Tobyhanna PA).

Deanna is the beloved Grandma to Deanna Katsock and her husband David, Kristin Badik, Joseph Badik and wife Casey, Brandon Badik and Morgan Badik. She is a Great Grandma to DJ, Evan and Joey who know her as Nanny.

Deanna was born on December 27, 1937 in the Bronx, NY where she spent her formative years, completed her education, and was married. She later moved to Pearl River, NY where she started a family and raised her children. Working as a Dental Assistant for a periodontist in New City, NY Deanna was known for her hard work and dedication and was loved by her patients for her warm and calming presence. After retiring in 2006 Deanna moved to Woodbridge, NJ, and spent time traveling between NJ and PA to spend time with her family.

Deanna lived a very physically active life. In her younger days she was an avid dancer with many stories of dancing until the wee hours of the morning. She was a dedicated runner, who would run 5 miles a day rain or shine, through the hilly streets of Rockland County, and achieved a brown belt in karate in her late forties. In her later years, she loved her Zumba classes,

dance fitness and ballroom dancing at the local senior center. Until recently, she was still doing Zumba and working out with weights at home. Those who knew her know it was difficult for Deanna to sit still unless she was doing word searches, watching a movie (action or a classic), or watching a game show like Wheel of Fortune or Jeopardy.

Deanna spent the last two years living near family in Southport, NC but will be laid to rest in Rockland County, NY where a funeral mass is being planned.

# Tribute Wall

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“ I will always remember Aunt Deanna for her big smile and laugh. We called her Aunt out of respect because that's what us Italians do, though she was my Mother's 1st Cousin. I will always remember visiting her home in Pearl River, as a kid, her and Aunt Jenny were always welcoming with good food and good cheer. I hope she is enjoying some wine with my Mother, Maureen, her mother, Aunt Jenny, and the rest of the family up beyond the pearly gates.

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**Christopher Leone** - February 08, 2025 at 10:07 PM

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“ My deepest sympathy goes out the Badik family at this difficult time. May happy memories of mom comfort you all during this sad time. I have fond memories of Aunt Deanna growing up. 💕🙏

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**Christine & John Silango & family** - February 07, 2025 at 10:32 PM

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“ Dear Marc and Denise And the whole Badik family. Our prayers go to all of you at this difficult time. Your mom is now at peace.  
Debbie and Bob Davison, Southport, NC

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**Debbie Davison** - February 07, 2025 at 07:22 PM