



## Elinor Barbehenn Soons

May 28, 1935 - January 31, 2025

Elinor Barbehenn Soons passed away on January 31st, 2025. She was the wife of the late Theodore Soons. They shared 12 years of marriage. Born in Middletown, New York, she was the daughter of Clarence and Elinor Knapp. She was employed at ShopRite and worked as a baker.

Elinor will be remembered for her kindness towards others and her love for her family and friends. She is survived by her children Arlene (Gary) Eddy, Catherine (Joe) Olinski, Ed Barbehenn (Carol), Millie Lloyd, Carol (ED) Rodriguez, Mary (Joe) Paydon, her sister Betty Jane Moretti, her 16 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Elinor was predeceased by her husband Theodore Soons and 10 of her brothers and sisters.

The family would like to thank Amanda, Matt, and Haileigh Bentivoglio for the special care they were able to provide for Elinor.

A public visitation will be held on Wednesday, February 5th, 2025, from 4PM to 7PM at Martinez-Morse Funeral Home, located at 33 Railroad Avenue in Middletown New York. As per the family's wishes the burial will be private. In lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made to [Milessofhope.org](https://milessofhope.org) and messages of condolences may be left at [martinezfuneralhomes.com](https://martinezfuneralhomes.com).



# Cemetery Details

## **Pine Hill Cemetery**

Wawayanda, NY

# Previous Events

## **Public Visitation**

FEB 5. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Martinez-Morse Funeral Home  
33 Railroad Ave  
Middletown, NY 10940  
(845) 343-6918  
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<https://www.MartinezFuneralHomes.com/>

# Tribute Wall

KW

“ God bless you, Elinor. I just learned of your passing. I am so thankful that I was able to visit with you last year. I want to thank your family for making our visit happen. You are in my thoughts and prayers. May our precious Lord, Jesus, grant you eternal rest in his Holy presence. I will ask my children to pray for you. You are loved.

*Your cousin, Karl Wengenroth*

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**Karl Wengenroth** - February 07, 2025 at 09:02 PM

SB

“ Elinore (grandma) thank you for being the person you were you will forever be a beautiful angel. You will be forever missed

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**Sara B** - February 05, 2025 at 03:20 PM

AC

“ Alpin Haus Rv of Orange County purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Elinor Barbehenn Soons.



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**Alpin Haus Rv of Orange County** - February 05, 2025 at 08:34 AM

SP

“ So sorry for the loss of your mom, grandmother. She was a true friend to me. I have so many memories of her working at Shop-Rite. She made work fun. Sue Potter

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**Sue Potter** - February 04, 2025 at 09:20 AM