



Rose Marie Cote

March 17, 1927 - December 28, 2025

Rose Marie (Paczok) Cote, age 98, wife of the late Paul J. Cote, Sr., of Phoenixville, PA, passed away on Sunday, December 28, 2025 in the Fieldstone at Chester Springs. Born on March 17, 1927 in Phoenixville, she was a daughter of the late Rose (Beregi) and Louis Paczok.

Mrs. Cote was a 1944 graduate of Phoenixville High School. She was a devoted wife and mother, primarily focusing her attention on her home and children. As her children grew, she went to work at the West Company in Phoenixville, a job she held to support the children through college and higher education. She was immensely proud of her family, as she sacrificed so much of herself to ensure their success.

Proud of her Hungarian heritage, she grew up in and around the Hungarian Reformed Church in Phoenixville, now known as Parkside United Church of Christ, where she served as girl scout leader. She was also a member of the Hungarian Club in Phoenixville. Following marriage, she has been a faithful member of St. Ann Church in Phoenixville for almost 75 years.

Affectionately known as "Tootsie", Mrs. Cote was crowned Miss Liberty in the Court of the Phoenixville Centennial Celebration of 1949. She was a volunteer and supporter of the Phoenixville Hospital Thrift Store for many years, as well as Compassionate Friends. She enjoyed walking, running, and jogging. She

was an active member of the Phoenixville YMCA, even serving as an ambassador into her 80s.

Most of all, however, she loved being a grandmother and a great-grandmother. She cherished the memories she shared with her family, and she will be sorely missed.

Mrs. Cote is survived by five children, Paul Cote, Jr., Jamie Cote, Lisa Hnatin, David Cote, and Danielle Cote; seven grandchildren, Raina, Rhiannon, Jada, Moriah, Cody, Candace, and Sarah; and ten great-grandchildren, Lily, Jude, Alec, Patrick, Hannah, Elodie, Roland, Rosa, Welles, and Silas. She was preceded in death by one son, Mark J. Cote; and six siblings, Louis, Elizabeth, Julia, Robert, Alexander, and Elvie.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend her funeral service in the St. Ann Chapel, 604 S. Main Street, Phoenixville, PA on Monday, January 5, 2026 at 11:00 AM. Officiating will be Rev. John Newns. Burial will follow in the St. Ann Cemetery, Phoenixville, PA. Friends will be received from 9:30 AM-10:45 AM in the Chapel on Monday morning. In lieu of flowers, Stop Soldier Suicide by visiting stopsoldiersuicide.org/donate. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville, PA. Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Ann Cemetery

300 W. Pothouse Road
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

St. Ann Chapel
604 S. Main Street
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Mass

JAN 5. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Rose Marie Cote*



Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - January 02 at 03:24 PM

RC

Beautiful, Grandmom (Biff) so loving 🥰 always cleaning and giving ! You don't need lots of money to get by . It was the little things , that make you happy 😊 The times spend with spend with her were inspiring with love and sharing !

Rachelle Cote - January 04 at 11:36 AM

JK

"Some people shine too brightly to ever be forgotten", Rose was a beautiful lady, always shared love, sunshine and kindness. God bless all her family, prayers and thoughts are with you. Joani Kolar

Joan Kolar - May 17 at 04:27 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rose Marie Cote.*



January 02 at 11:29 PM

JW

“ *John & Deb Wright purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Rose Marie Cote.*



John & Deb Wright - January 02 at 10:18 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rose Marie Cote.*



January 02 at 03:45 PM

MV

“ *Dear Cote family,
Please accept my sincere condolences on the passing of your mother Rose Marie (Tootsie). We were neighbors on East Morgan St. For many years. She was such a lovely person and she will be missed.*

Marie Vargo - January 02 at 08:45 AM

JC

Thank you for your kind words of remembrance. East Morgan St holds so many memories.

Jamie Cote - January 02 at 04:49 PM

UA

“ UVA Nurse Anesthetist's purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Rose Marie Cote.



UVA Nurse Anesthetist's - January 02 at 08:43 AM

CB

“ Extending my prayers and deepest sympathy to Rose's family on the death of your Mom. Such an intelligent and lovely lady, who always dressed to look her best! It was a blessing for me to get to know her these last few years. Now she will have a place at the Lord's eternal banquet in heaven!

Connie Busovsky - January 01 at 12:13 AM

JC

Thank you so much. Your prayers and support during the past few years we're invaluable. You helped keep her pointed in the direction of Heaven.

Jamie Cote - January 02 at 06:38 PM

MC

“ My deepest condolences to the Cote family. I will always remember chatting with her when she got her hair done @ Nutt's About Hair. As my daughter Nikki worked. Cute note that Rose & my mom; also named Rose Marie hung out in school where they were classmates. RIP my Hungarian kinsman. 💔🙏

Mark Ceschan - December 31, 2025 at 06:15 AM

JP

“ My favorite memory of Dave's Mom, Rose, was pictures of her with Dave. She was this tiny little thing, and Dave towered over her. But if you looked closely, you could see the glee in her eye that she could flatten him out, if she wanted to. Lol.
I know she will be greatly missed. You guys are in our thoughts and prayers.

Janet and Al Parker

Janet Parker - December 30, 2025 at 11:38 PM