



## Mrs. Ann Gillian Tailleur

September 18, 1933 - March 11, 2017

Ann Gillian Tailleur passed away peacefully on Saturday, March 11, 2017. Ann was born Ann Gillian Holland on September 18, 1933, in St. Pancras, London. She is predeceased by her beloved husband, Charles, parents, Harold and Kathleen Holland, brother, Michael Holland, of Duxford, England and her grandparents, Percival Painton and Sarah Floyd-Painton.

Ann was a child of World War II, living through raids in London and food rationing. As the war escalated, her parents sent her from London to live with her grandparents in the countryside of East Hanney, England. Ann attended school in Wantage where, as a result of her academic prowess, was chosen to attend the prestigious Faringdon School for girls, with her best mate, Stella. Despite the ocean between them, Ann's friendship with Stella remained strong and Stella always kept the phone by her bed to receive late night calls from Ann in the States.

On January 15, 1953, at the age of 19, Ann immigrated to the United States aboard the Queen Mary. Immediately upon arrival, she began working at the Cunard Shipping lines, 1 Broadway, NYC, in their typing pool. While many suitors vied for her affection, Ann quickly fell in love with and married Charles Tailleur on April 24, 1955.

Charlie and Ann started their lives together in Rockville Centre, New York and, in 1969, relocated to Climax, after discovering the old Miner farm. From the moment they moved there, they embraced the community and it them. Ann and Charles brought the neighborhood atmosphere to their home and Ann quickly became a familiar face at the school, library, and Town Hall, often advocating for her latest cause.

Ann was best known by her height, accent, contagious laugh, and poor driving skills. Ann worked side by side with her husband running Grand Sun Real Estate. Together they wandered the County looking at real estate and at the Clerk's Office researching title. Her husband always said she was the brains of the operation. Ann also worked as a receptionist for Dr. Chaloner. In her later years, she took on her most important job, caring daily for beloved grandchildren. On any given day, you could see her spinning through Town with at least two grandchildren in tow.

Ann raised her children with a conscious awareness of the importance of compassion, education, community service, and social advocacy. When she was not caring for her

family, she loved spending time with the garden club, at the Heermance Memorial Library and with her beloved circle of friends who lovingly attended to her to this day.

Ann is survived by her children, Steven Tailleir, Elisabeth Stippa (Ken), Joan McDonald (Don) and Chip Tailleir (Beth) and grandchildren , Bronwyn (Drew), Sawyer, Gillian, Morgan, Maggie, Bryan, Matthew, Nathan and Anna, sister-in-law, Lucille Martin, niece and nephew, Leon Taufield and Joyce Sweet, and cousins Sally, Elizabeth, Frances and Jeff Morgan, of England, along with many lifelong friends.

Relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend calling hours at The W.C. Brady's Sons, Inc. Funeral Home, 97 Mansion Street, Coxsackie, New York on Friday, March 17, 2017, from 4:00P.M. – 7:00 P.M.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday, March 18, 2017, at 11:00 A.M. at St. Mary's R.C. Church, Coxsackie, New York.

The family is eternally grateful for the loving care of the staff at The Pines provided to Ann. In lieu of flowers, the family would ask that you donate to the Community Food Pantry of Coxsackie, 961 Route 54, Hannacroix, New York, 12087 or the Heermance Memorial Library, 1 Ely Street, Coxsackie, New York, in Ann's memory.

Condolences may be made at [www.wcbradyssonsinc.net](http://www.wcbradyssonsinc.net).

# Events

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**MAR** **Visitation** 04:00PM - 07:00PM

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W.C. Brady's Sons. Inc.

97 Mansion Street, Coxsackie, NY, US, 12051

**MAR** **Mass** 11:00AM

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St. Mary's R.C. Church

80 Mansion Street, Coxsackie, NY, US, 12051

# Comments

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“ Sorry for your loss. With sympathy, Michelle and Dwayne Patterson

**Michelle** - March 21, 2017 at 06:26 AM

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“ Timothy S. purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Ann Gillian Tailleir.



**Timothy S.** - March 17, 2017 at 11:13 AM

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“ When Chip and I were kids Mrs. Tailleir drove us everywhere in her Plymouth Gran Fury. I will always remember her laugh and her caring demeanor. May God Bless the Tailleir family and give them strength and faith. Charlie and Ann are together again. Tim, Laurie and Brandon McDonald

**Tim McDonald** - March 17, 2017 at 10:25 AM

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“ Remembering Mrs. Tailleir growing up in Climax and Coxsackie...her laugh! Driving Joan and I to and from practices and anywhere else, talking with us, laughing with us and covering both sides of the road!! Tea in the kitchen, stories of war torn England. Her home was a refuge for me during a difficult time and she welcomed me. Love, hugs and peace sent to the family of this wonderful woman. Mary Planco Grace

**Mary Grace** - March 17, 2017 at 09:36 AM

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“ Suellen And Dan Meier lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ann Gillian Tailleir





“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ann Gillian Tailleir.



March 17, 2017 at 12:08 AM

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“ My favorite memories with Ann were going to Chip's baseball games in Catskill...she will be missed...RIP. prayers for her family.

**Kerri Schnare-Hughes** - March 16, 2017 at 07:56 PM

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“ With our love and admiration for Ann and her beautiful family. May God comfort you and all the love of family and friends be with you. Ann's light will continue to shine in all of you and all the lives she has touched.

With love and prayers,  
Anna Maria & Tony Maritato and Family



**Anna Maria Maritato** - March 16, 2017 at 07:12 PM

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“ Ann was always ready to help wherever she could. One important detail I remember was the time and effort she put into keeping the Cocksackie GALS Softball league going. Again showing up when needed and never complaining about doing a task. Thank you Ann for all you were.

Carol Keinath

**Carol Keinath** - March 16, 2017 at 04:03 PM

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“ Steve, Jake informed me of the loss of your beloved Mother. My deepest sympathies to you and your family. Gilda Jacobson

**gilda jacobson** - March 16, 2017 at 01:46 PM

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ann Gillian Tailleur.



March 16, 2017 at 12:01 PM

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“ Kathy Poll Isely lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ann Gillian Tailleur



**Kathy Poll Isely** - March 16, 2017 at 10:33 AM



“ The Poll Family sends our love and prayers to your family.

**Kathy Poll Isely** - March 16, 2017 at 10:34 AM

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“ Gail Korotas-Jubak lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ann Gillian Tailleur



**Gail Korotas-Jubak** - March 16, 2017 at 09:39 AM

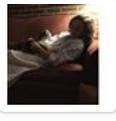
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“ RIP Ann ....You had one of the most amazing families to go thru The pines ever.....

**Gail Korotas-Jubak** - March 16, 2017 at 09:38 AM

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“ Mrs. Tailleur was always such a figure of grace who welcomed all of Lis's friends -- no matter how boisterous or difficult -- to her home. That smile is carried on in all of her children and grandchildren, as is, I'm sure, her generosity of spirit and love. Condolences and love to all the Tailleur family.  
Debbie Bruno

**Debra Bruno** - March 16, 2017 at 09:24 AM

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“ Sending condolences. Keeping your family in my thoughts and prayers during your time sorrow.



**Karen Warfield** - March 16, 2017 at 06:38 AM

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“ My deepest sympathies for your loss. She was a very special lady. You all are in my prayers.  
Brian Shove

**Brian Shove** - March 15, 2017 at 06:23 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with your family

**Liz Haas** - March 15, 2017 at 07:50 PM

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“ Thank you for the honour and privileges of caring for Ann . We enjoyed her humour, her smile and watching her light up with such love as each of her family members arrived every day. She was a very special lady . Our thoughts and prayers are with you at. this time. Love, Mary Pat & The 3 West Staff



**Mary Pat Leonard** - March 15, 2017 at 04:30 PM

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“ Our deepest sympathies to The Tailleur family. May your wonderful memories of her bring you some comfort and peace in the days ahead.  
Mike & Wendi Carroll



**Wendi Carroll** - March 15, 2017 at 03:53 PM

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“ Our prayers are with all of you. I was privileged to have had this wonderful friend all these years and I will miss her so much. Will be thinking of all of you and look forward to seeing you soon. With prayers and love, Margie & Al

**Marjorie Haab** - March 15, 2017 at 02:57 PM

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“ So sorry for your family's loss. She was a very lovely lady. You're in our prayers.  
-Blayne Gunderman & Chris Kovacs and family.

**Blayne Gunderman** - March 15, 2017 at 01:07 PM

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“ Please except my condolences. Ann sounds like an incredible woman, and I'm sorry that I never knew her.

**Barbara Seebode** - March 15, 2017 at 12:49 PM

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“ So sorry for your families loss, Mrs. Tailleur was such a lovely lady.



**The Beachler Family** - March 15, 2017 at 12:48 PM

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“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Rest in Heavenly Peace, Ann.

Lillian McKeown

**Lillian McKeown** - March 15, 2017 at 09:39 AM

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“ Chip, sending our deepest heartfelt sympathy to you and your family during this trying time.

Roy Chamberlin and Family

**Roy Chamberlin** - March 15, 2017 at 08:32 AM

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“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. So sorry for your loss.

**Janet Mackey** - March 15, 2017 at 08:21 AM

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“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts.

**Court Ogilvie** - March 14, 2017 at 09:14 PM

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“ It was a privilege to know this beautiful soul. Such a dignified and selfless human being. A great loss to all who knew her and bettered the lives of those whom she touched. RIP, Mrs. Tailleur.

Jake Jacobson

Jake Jacobson - March 14, 2017 at 04:54 PM

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“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ann Gillian Tailleur.



March 14, 2017 at 02:17 PM