



## Mrs. Annette J. Rowbotham

February 20, 1914 - August 21, 2011

Annette J. Rowbotham

Loving Mother and Grandmother

LOWELL—Annette J. (Dumont) Rowbotham, 97, the wife of the late James J. Rowbotham, passed away Sunday evening, August 21, 2011 at her home, surrounded by her loving family.

Annette was born in Lowell on February 20, 1914, a daughter of the late Arthur J. and Alida “Ida” (Lebeuf) Dumont. She was a graduate of St. Joseph’s and St. Marie’s Grammar Schools and was a graduate of St. Joseph’s High School.

Annette worked at Suffolk Knitting Mills as a stitcher for 15 years. Later on, she worked at Ft. Devens as a supervisor and a financier from 1970 until 1982 when she retired. Annette was a communicant of St. Marie’s Church, a member of St. Ann’s Sodality and was very active with church functions. She was a lifelong resident of South Lowell.

Annette was an avid bowler and loved working in her yard. Annette enjoyed her family and especially enjoyed her grandchildren.

Surviving Mrs. Rowbotham are her two daughters, Doris M. Boule and her companion Roger R. Geoffroy of Lowell and Ann M. Hanson and her husband George F. Hanson of Lowell; her two sons, Richard J. “Rocky” Rowbotham of Lowell, and James M. “Jim” Rowbotham and his wife Diane of Salem, NH; fourteen grandchildren; sixteen great grandchildren; one great-great

grandchild; her sister, Florence M. Bastien of Chelmsford; her brother, Royal S. "Mickey" Dumont and his wife Hilma A. Dumont of Florida; a sister-in-law, Rita Rowbotham of Lowell.

Annette was the mother of the late Infant Joan Marie Rowbotham, and sister of the late Noella Conlin and Maurice Dumont.

## FUNERAL NOTICE

ROWBOTHAM—In Lowell, August 21, 2011. Annette J. (Dumont) Rowbotham, 97, the beloved wife of the late James J. Rowbotham. Family and friends may call at the FAY McCABE FUNERAL HOME, 105 MOORE STREET, LOWELL, on WEDNESDAY from 4 until 8 P.M. Annette's Funeral will begin on THURSDAY MORNING at 10 o'clock from the Funeral Home, followed by her Funeral Mass at 11 o'clock at HOLY FAMILY PARISH – ST. MARIE'S CHURCH, corner of Chamberlain and Grafton Sts. Lowell. Burial will follow in St. Joseph's Cemetery. As an expression of sympathy, in lieu of flowers, donations in Annette's memory may be made to the Holy Family Grand Annual Collection, c/o Holy Family Parish 75 Chamberlain St. Lowell, MA 01852 or to the Greater Boston Catholic Television, c/o Father Robert Reed, P.O. Box 9196, 34 Chestnut Street, Watertown, MA 02471. ARRANGEMENTS BY THE FAY McCABE FUNERAL DIRECTORS, 978-459-9222. [www.faymccabe.com](http://www.faymccabe.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Cemetery

96 Rivverneck Road  
Chelmsford, MA 01824

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

AUG **24**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Fay McCabe Funeral Home  
105 Moore Street  
Lowell, MA 01852  
(978) 459-9222  
sean@faymccabe.com  
<https://www.faymccabe.com>

## Funeral Mass

AUG **25**. 11:10 AM (ET)

Holy Family Parish – St. Marie's Church  
75 Chamberlain Street  
at the corner of Grafton Street  
Lowell, MA 01852  
(978) 453-2134

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Annette J. Rowbotham*

January 28, 2023 at 03:09 PM



“ *Sean Rourke lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette J. Rowbotham*



**Sean Rourke** - August 28, 2011 at 07:50 PM



“ *Ann and family, please accept my condolences and assurances of prayers on the death of your mother, Annette. I will remember her at Mass on Thursday.*

*Father John, OMI*

**Father John Hanley, OMI** - August 24, 2011 at 12:45 PM



*Dear Rocky & Family,*

*My prayers & condolences on the loss of your Mom.*

*Sincerely,*

*Pat Onanian, RNC-HHVNA liaison @ Saints Medical*

**Pat Onanian** - August 25, 2011 at 10:49 PM

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“ Having taken care of Annette for several years ,I have to say that she was one of the nicest people I have ever met ...always a kind word for everyone ! We used to sit and talk while I was filling out my papers ,she never failed to ask about my weekend , how my mom was doing and then would fill me in on hers ...I remember how her eyes would light up when she would talk of her family and grandchildren in particular ...especially the new baby ! She was a joy to take care of ..and an all around genuinely nice lady ! I am happy I got to meet her and take care of her . To her children ...what a tribute to her to have such a caring wonderful family , thank you for welcoming into your home and letting me 'share' your mother ...sorry I cannot make it tonight as I will be out of town with my daughter all day today ...my thoughts and prayers are with you all.! God Bless ((hugs)) Sharon Duggan ( Commonwealth Nursing Services )

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**Sharon Duggan** - August 24, 2011 at 04:30 AM