

Sisters of St. John the Baptist

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Sr. Mary Austin Cantwell *Sister of Saint John the Baptist for 45 years*

Sr. Mary Austin Cantwell, C.S.JB. passed to her eternal reward at Albert Einstein Hospital in the Bronx, on Friday, October 16, 2009 after a short. The Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated for her on Monday, October 19th at Providence Rest Chapel, Bronx, New York. The Sister was interred at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Westchester, NY.

Sister Mary Austin was a jr. high/high school teacher and high School teacher since 1966 at St. John Villa on Staten Island, St. Dominic School, Bronx, and St. Roch School, Staten Island, as well as for several years at Mt. St. John, Gladstone, New Jersey. Sister also served as a local Superior to her Sisters at St. Roch Convent and St. John Villa. In September, 2006, needing greater physical care, Sister came to reside at Providence Rest Nursing Home, Bronx, NY.

Sister Mary Austin was a dedicated religious who faithfully fulfilled her ministerial and communal responsibilities and brought joy to all she knew especially the students she taught and loved.

Sister is survived by her sister-in-law Heidi, nephews Paul, Christian and Martin and several cousins.