



Eda Benigno

September 14, 1921 - November 28, 2019

Eda Benigno, 98, passed away on Thursday, November 28, 2019, at Staten Island University Hospital North.

Eda was Born in Manhattan on Sept 14, 1921, raised in Italy, and returned to America with her family at the age of 13 where she first lived on Sullivan Street in Manhattan, she moved to Bensonhurst Brooklyn and eventually settled into a two-family house on East 3rd Street. Eda married the love of her life Angelo and together they started their life on East 3rd Street in an extended family home, where she gave birth to two children first to her daughter Michele, and two years later to a son, Richard. While her husband worked 3 jobs for most of his life Eda mothered her children and was perhaps the first work-from-home mom sewing slipcovers for her brother Louie and brother-in-law Nickie's Coney Island Avenue Upholstery shop. She enjoyed yearly extended-family vacations in Upstate NY and Rhode Island.

A member of the now dwindling "Greatest Generation" Eda loved God, family and friends. She loved to bowl; play penny poker, garden, and cook. Eda loved the color green. Eda loved family vacations and trips to the country, she loved the ocean, she loved fashion and was an exceptionally dressed young woman. she loved having her picture taken and would often strike a pose for the camera; Eda cherished family, friends, and family and friend gatherings; She loved long walks with her husband Angelo. Eda loved her son Richard

her Daughter-in-law Paula, she loved her grandchildren Richard and Steven, and surrogate grandchildren, but most of all Eda loved her Daughter Michele. RIP Eda Benigno Sept 14, 1921 – Nov 28, 2019 Loving wife and eternal mother.

She was the beloved wife to the late Angelo, who passed away in 2001. Loving mother to Michele and Richard. Dear mother-in-law to Paula. Devoted grandmother to Richard and Steven. Eda is also survived by loving nieces, nephews and cousins.

The family will receive friends from 2-5 and 7-9 p.m. on Wednesday, December 4, 2019, at The John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd. (at Eltingville Station), Staten Island, New York.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Thursday, December 5, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Patrick's Church, located at 53 St. Patrick's Place, Staten Island. Entombment will follow in Resurrection Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrott Ave
Staten Island, NY 10309

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 4. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

The John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals, Inc.
28 Eltingville Blvd. (at Eltingville Station)
Staten Island, NY 10312

Visitation

DEC 4. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

The John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals, Inc.
28 Eltingville Blvd. (at Eltingville Station)
Staten Island, NY 10312

Service

DEC 5. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Patrick's Church
53 St. Patrick's Place
Staten Island, NY 10306

Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Eda Benigno*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - December 02, 2019 at 09:59 PM



“ *Eda Benigno*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *Heartfelt Memories was purchased for the family of Eda Benigno.*



December 04, 2019 at 10:42 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Eda Benigno.*



December 03, 2019 at 04:18 PM



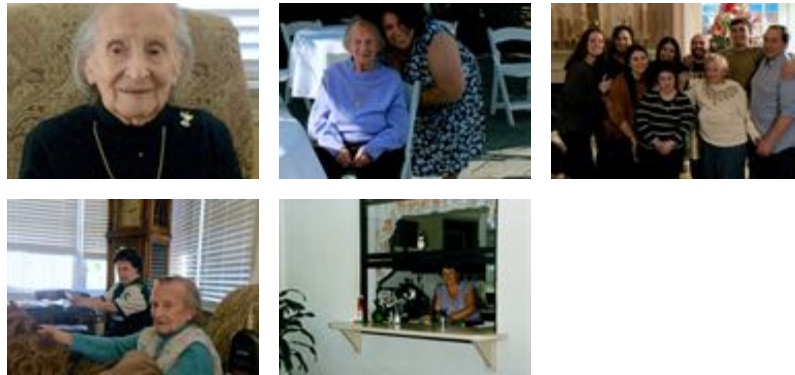
“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eda Benigno.



December 03, 2019 at 10:49 AM



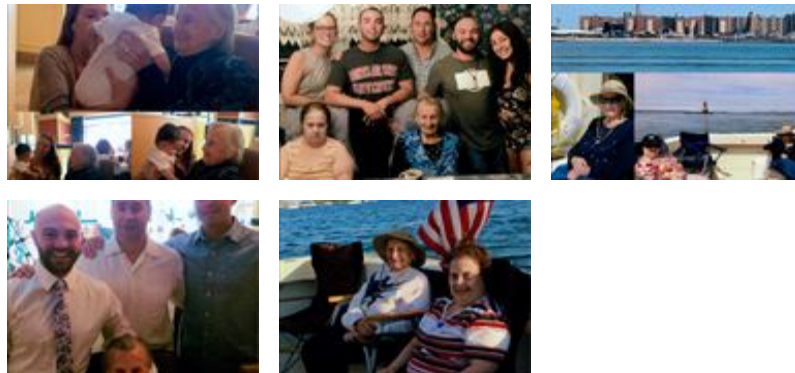
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John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - December 02, 2019 at 09:57 PM



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John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - December 02, 2019 at 05:44 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Eda Benigno.*



December 02, 2019 at 01:07 PM



“ *From Angela (Acquafredda) and Elaine (Confessore) purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum for the family of Eda Benigno.*



From Angela (Acquafredda) and Elaine (Confessore) -
December 02, 2019 at 01:01 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Eda Benigno.*



December 02, 2019 at 11:04 AM

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“ Some of my fondest memories of my Aunt Eda was of family times in RI. When she was young, us girl cousins thought she was the prettiest and coolest (she is 3rd in on the left with the stylist yellow dress) of all the aunts.

Another memory is at their summer house on Franklin Avenue. The aunts and uncle used to play penny poker. One day I came in and she asked me if I wanted to play, I remember to this day how thrilled I was. She made me feel grown up. I didn't have any pennies and she said to take some out of her jar. Everyone had a penny jar, My cousin Elaine said she has her jar to this day. This is the kind of aunt she was always kind, thoughtful and she always made me feel good.

*Rest In Peace Aunt Eda, I love you and will miss you very much.
Love, your niece Angela*



Angela Hayden - December 01, 2019 at 07:47 PM

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“ From Joseph & Vincent Pepe and Families purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Eda Benigno.



From Joseph & Vincent Pepe and Families - December 01, 2019 at 05:17 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Eda Benigno.



November 30, 2019 at 03:17 PM