



Geraldine Armstrong

April 22, 1930 - April 23, 2019

Geraldine Armstrong, 89 of Eltingville passed away on Tuesday, April 23, 2019, at Staten Island University Hospital North.

Born Tuesday, April 22, 1930 in Kittanning, Pennsylvania, she was the daughter of the late Glenn Durham and the late Theresa Butz Durham.

Geraldine moved to Manhattan at the age of 4 and was raised there until she married James Armstrong. Geraldine and James moved to Brooklyn then finally to Annadale in 1963, and settled in Eltingville until her passing.

Geraldine worked in the Rectory of Our Lady Star of the Sea Church as a bookkeeper for 10 years, also for the John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals for 20 years, and finally as a bookkeeper for her son Edward's Law practice for the last 23 years.

Geraldine attended St John's University receiving her Associates degree at the age of 50 in accounting.

A devout Roman Catholic, Geraldine was a member of the 3rd Order of Secular Franciscans and obtained the title of the "Minister". She was a long time Lector and Eucharistic Minister for Holy Child Church, a member of Cursillo and was a member of Victim Adorers of Blessed Sacrament. When

not volunteering Geraldine loved to travel, especially with the Franciscans, all over Europe and the Holy Land. When not travelling the world, Geraldine relished trips to visit family in PA.

Beloved wife of 49 years to the late James Armstrong (Retired FDNY) who passed away in 1993. Loving mother of Eileen Ferrari, James Armstrong, Mary Ann Edkins, Edward W. Armstrong, and the late John, Robert and Donald Armstrong. Dear sister of the late Sally Curtis, Lucille Clickett and Charles Durham. Cherished grandmother of 10 grandchildren and the late Mariana Edkins and 10 great-grandchildren. Adored mother in law of Charles Edkins and the late Peter Ferrari

A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at 10:00 AM on Saturday at Holy Child Church located at 4747 Amboy Rd Staten Island, New York 10312. Interment will follow in Resurrection Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM and 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Friday, April 26, 2019, at the John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrot Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10309

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 26. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc.
28 Eltingville Blvd
Staten Island, NY 10312

Visitation

APR 26. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

APR 27. 10:00 AM (ET)

Holy Child Church
4747 Amboy Rd
Staten Island, NY 10312

Tribute Wall



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



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - April 25, 2019 at 01:24 PM

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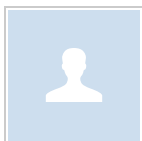
RIP Mrs. Armstrong I was Blessed to have known you and get to speak with you once in awhile. You were a Very Spiritual Woman and close to God. You will be greatly missed. Condolences to all at this very hard time.

Carol Ann Pallonetti - April 25, 2019 at 03:55 PM

ME

Oh Mom! I miss you so much already, wish I could come over and visit and have a cup of tea :) I keep watching this video and remembering and crying and laughing. You didn't die, you're alive in Christ now! Thanks for living your life and showing me the way. I know you're home now with Daddy, John, Robbie and Donnie and Mariana! Love, you always, your daughter Mary Ann xxxxxxooooo

Mary Ann Edkins - April 25, 2019 at 11:51 PM



“ *Geraldine Armstrong*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM

MF

“ I have such fond memories of your Mom who was always so beautiful and full of life and spending time with your family when we were kids. The Ed and Adele Tucker family visiting you in Staten Island and you visiting us in Watkins Glen, NY, Don't know how we all went separate ways but hope all of you are well and would love to be in touch.

Margaret Tucker Frantz - August 14, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Geraldine Armstrong.



April 26, 2019 at 01:32 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Geraldine Armstrong.



April 26, 2019 at 09:14 AM



“ 99 files added to the album Life Tributes



*As a spiritual gift, you have been awarded in
Mary's Mother's Day Service,
beginning on Father's Day. Her special assistance will be
remembered during your days of community prayer —
Mass, Divine Office and Evening Devotions —
in the Eucharistic Adoration Chapel
of the Conventual Franciscan Priory.*



*On the HAIL, MARY BEADS you will say the
following words:
For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have
mercy on us and on the whole world.
In conclusion, THREE TIMES you will recite
these words:
Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal
One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.
—From the Diary of St. Maria Faustina, 1931*



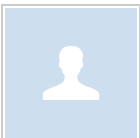
John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - April 25, 2019 at 12:18 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Geraldine Armstrong.



April 25, 2019 at 09:26 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Geraldine Armstrong.



April 25, 2019 at 08:08 AM



“ *Deepest Faith* was purchased for the family of *Geraldine Armstrong*.



April 23, 2019 at 05:54 PM