



## Marina Zapata

March 7, 1930 - September 1, 2017

Marina Zapata "Bita", 87 of Grasmere, passed away on Friday, September 1, 2017, at Silver Lake Specialized Care Center.

Born March 7, 1930, she was the daughter of the late Carlos Zapata and Laura Gonzalez Zapata. Marina was predeceased by her beloved husband, Manuel Chaves and her cherished daughter, Gabriela Chaves.

Marina was a loving mother to her seven children, Maria Elena, Alejandra, Amparo, Dario, Carmen and Gloria and the late Gabriela. She was also a devoted grandmother to Erica and Justin Selznick.

She came from Colombia in an amazing journey to live the American dream, took care of her children and grandchildren, sweet and lovingly. Marina touched the hearts of many people, friends and family. She attended and was very active at Carmel Richmond Day Care Center where she loved being with friends, playing bingo, painting and doing crossword puzzles.

A Memorial Mass will be at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, September 9, 2017 at Holy Rosary Church located at 80 Jerome Ave Staten Island, New York 10305. Burial of cremains will take place on Monday, September 11, 2017 at Ocean View Cemetery, Staten Island, New York



# Cemetery Details

## Rosehill Crematory

792 E Edgar Rd  
Rosehill Crematory, NJ 07036

# Previous Events

## Service

SEP 9. 9:30 AM - 10:03 AM (ET)

Holy Rosary Church  
80 Jerome Ave  
Staten Island, NY 10305

# Tribute Wall



“ *Marina Zapata*

---

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *From the Armah family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Marina Zapata.*



---

**From the Armah family** - September 08, 2017 at 09:41 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marina Zapata.*



---

September 07, 2017 at 11:20 AM