



Serafina Ponzio

March 26, 1952 - April 11, 2017

Serafina Ponzio, 65 of Annadale passed away on Tuesday, April 11, 2017, at Staten Island University Hospital South surrounded by her loving family after a long and lengthy illness.

Born Wednesday, March 26, 1952 in Brooklyn, New York, she was the daughter of the late Anthony and Gilda Garzillo. Serafina and her husband Anthony moved to Staten Island in 1977.

She worked at Wagner College as their Accounts Receivable Manager until retiring in 2014.

Serafina was a woman of many talents, she enjoyed cooking, baking as well making floral and decorative arrangements for the house. She and her husband enjoyed trips to Atlantic City and spending time with family her grandchildren were the highlight of her life. She also had great affection for her dogs.

She is survived by her husband Anthony, her children, Michael Ponzio and his wife Leslie, her daughter, Melissa Ponzio, her brother, Patrick Garzillo and 3 granddaughters Abigail, Angelina and Arielle.

A Blessing will be held at 10:00AM Saturday, April 15th, 2017 at St. Clare

Church. Entombment to follow in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn, NY.

The family will receive friends from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Thursday and 2:00 - 4:00 & 7:00 - 9:00 P.M. at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.scaliahome.com

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

500 25th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11232

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 13. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

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Tribute Wall



“ *Serafina Ponzio*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *I worked at Wagner College. She was a lovely and kind lady. I'm so sorry I only found out now that she had passed. I hope she didn't suffer. My condolences to your family.*

Susan Heaney - April 16, 2017 at 11:18 AM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Serafina Ponzio.*



April 14, 2017 at 12:14 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Serafina Ponzio.*



April 13, 2017 at 01:54 PM



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April 13, 2017 at 01:14 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Serafina Ponzio.*



April 13, 2017 at 10:08 AM



“ *Sophie was such a wonderful person and a pleasure to be with. We worked together at Wagner College for many years and spent everyday at lunch. Our lunch table was filled with such amazing ladies and one of which was "Sophie". That hour was the best part of our day, filled with such laughter and joyous stories we shared. May you Rest In Peace dear friend you will be forever in my heart.*

Valerie Kozma - April 13, 2017 at 04:31 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Serafina Ponzio.*



April 12, 2017 at 05:27 PM

CA

“ will remember her at mass on saturday evening at wagner college.
chorbihsop anthony de luca
asst chaplain

Chorbishop Anthony - April 12, 2017 at 03:35 PM

KP

“ I used to work with Sophie at Wagner College a few years ago. I have since left Wagner, but always remember Sophie as a kind and sweet person. I was so sorry to hear the news of her passing. I can only pray that she didn't suffer too much and that she is now resting and at peace. The photo of her on this page is perfect - just as I remembered her. God bless all of you and keep you in his care.

With my sympathy,
Kathy Pannell

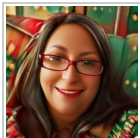
Kathy Pannell - April 12, 2017 at 01:28 PM

DC

“ We are deeply saddened by the loss of Aunt Sophie. She will live on in our memories and our hearts. With deepest sympathy and much love, Dawne, Steve and Ilyssa Cohn



Dawne Cohn - April 12, 2017 at 12:07 PM



“ So very sorry for your loss; thoughts and prayer to the family. Based on the type of son she raised, she was one heck of a lady and her legacy will shine on for generations to come. Peace and Love from the Kamins family.

Gina Izzo Kamins - April 12, 2017 at 11:27 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Serafina Ponzo.*



April 12, 2017 at 11:00 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. She was a beautiful lady. Always smiling, laughing or singing to her granddaughters is how we will always remember her. Love The DeMonda family*

Mary ellen and John DeMonda - April 12, 2017 at 12:21 AM



Dear Ponzo Family so sorry to hear about the passing of Sophie . She was such a wonderful person. She was so full of life and made everyone around her feel special. She love her family very much. May she rest in peace. Love Lynne Sullivan

Lynne Sullivan - April 12, 2017 at 01:21 AM



I am so sorry for your loss. I had the pleasure of being her friend and one of the lunch ladies at Wagner College. She was a wonderful woman who adored her family. May she rest in peace. Joyce O'Neill

Joyce - April 12, 2017 at 09:58 AM



*What a lovely warm person. She will be missed.
Lucille Mistretta*

Lucille Mistretta - April 12, 2017 at 11:08 AM

LC

Sophie was a wonderful person and I am so grateful that I worked with her for 18 years. Rest in peace of my friend.
Linda Cosentino

Linda Cosentino - April 12, 2017 at 12:54 PM