



Theresa M. Tarulli

January 10, 1931 - December 6, 2021

Theresa Tarulli, 90, of Staten Island, NY passed away after a long battle with cancer on December 6, 2021. Theresa was an excellent cook and provided many a delicious meal at family gatherings. She enjoyed making ceramics, visiting Atlantic City and listening to her favorite artist Elvis.

Beloved daughter to the late Samuel and Mary, sister to the late Rose DiGiaro. Loving wife to the late Angelo. Devoted mother to Joseph, Francis Mary Anne (Dorchin), Michael and the late Andrew. Mother in law to Dianne (D'Angelo), Ann Marie (Sarkies), Diana (Biaggi) and Scott Dorchin. Adored grandmother to Joseph and his wife Kim, Genevieve (Montavechio), Matthew, Paul, Dana, Christopher, Andrew, Erica (Mancino) and her husband Joseph, Andrea, Madison, Michael, Anthony and Nicholas. She also leaves behind great grand children Theresa, Lucia and Marco as well as her dear nephews Sam and Robert and families. She cherished her late friend Joan and leaves behind dear friends Anne McCafferty and Terry McGrath. Children were always close to her heart and in lieu of any flowers we request a charitable donation to St. Jude's Children's Hospital in her memory.

Cemetery Details

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Previous Events

Service

DEC 15. 9:45 AM (ET)

St Clare Church
110 Nelson Ave
Staten Island, NY 10308

Tribute Wall



“ Theresa M. Tarulli

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ Theresa was a wonderful woman. Even though we are not family she treated my kids as if they were. One of my favorite memories are of my boys when they were little. Every time we walked by her house (and we walled by a lot) lol, Theresa (Mrs. Tarulli) would see us coming or they would run up to the door and knock because she would always open the door and let them come in for some kind of cookies. She always had some kind of cookies for them 😊 She had a special place in her heart for John too and he for her. I always looked forward to seeing her when I visited Annie, when she lived in Staten Island and had some good conversations. She will be missed for sure. Sending our love to the whole Tarulli family. John and Joanne

Joanne Heavey - December 14, 2021 at 10:56 AM



“ lil baby Theresa , and our last pictures.



Annie Tarulli - December 13, 2021 at 11:30 PM

AT

“ Where to start ? The Matriarch of the family, my husband’s mother and would be grandmother to my children, I was 14 years old when I first met Theresa Tarulli.

This I know for sure ; she fiercely loved her children, adored her grandchildren. Theresa was courageous, determined, stubborn, loving, compassionate, insightful, deeply spiritual with God , and a proud wordsmith. Truly an amazing cook (only mazola oil will do) she had a great sense of humor, and usually got the joke She has been a steady influence in my life since that wonderfully fateful day at 14. Over the years has lived with me many times enriching the lives of my boys , with many lessons . I have sought her guidance and her comfort during my joy and my despair as her life experience was more valuable then anything read in a book. She was immensely appreciated and loved, how lucky was she. The truth is, how very lucky we were to have had her in our lives.

Annie Tarulli - December 13, 2021 at 11:06 PM

CM

I WILL TO EXPRESS MY LOVE FOR “ MOTHER TERESA”. I MET HER THROUGH HER SON “ FRANK” MY CO WO WORKER!! EVERY SENSE THEN SHE ADOPTED ME AS HER SON!!! SHE TRAVEL TO HARLEM TO ATTENDA MY MY SON HOME GOING SERVICE. THAT WAS SO SPECIAL FOR ME AND MY FAMILY. I TEXT HER EVERY MORNING. I WILL MISS DOING THIS. BUT I HAVE A ANGEL WATCHING OVER ME!!! AMEN 🙏

cleveland manley - January 03, 2022 at 11:07 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Theresa M. Tarulli.



December 13, 2021 at 07:29 PM

DT

“ Over the years we never had as much time as the past one to really spend the time to get to know each other, good or bad 😊
I'm very thankful for our long conversations about important and no so important things. You were a presence that cannot be replaced.
You will be missed ❤️

Dianne Tarulli - December 12, 2021 at 06:36 PM

DO

“ Dear Theresa we go back 51 years. We met when I was a young teen. You always had good advice when it was needed. We had many laughs together even when I didn't want to laugh. There was a time I was closer to you than my own Mom. Thank you for that it's something I never will forget. Your cooking was amazing. Thanks for sharing your cooking skills. Thank you for your humor. Even after I was no longer with Joe you still was there and we remained friends. Thank you for being a Great Grandma to Joseph Genevieve and Matthew and Great Grandma to Lucia and Marco. You will forever remain in my ❤️. Rest in sweet peace. Don't go fighting with Angelo. Lol ❤️🌸

dolores - December 12, 2021 at 02:03 PM

DO

I re read what I wrote wanted to correct that you were wonderful Grandma to Joseph Genevieve and Matthew and a Great Grandma to Theresa Lucia and Marco

Dolores - December 12, 2021 at 10:40 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Theresa M. Tarulli.



December 12, 2021 at 11:47 AM