



Adeline "Addie" (Ameduri) Mullen

December 22, 1930 - January 27, 2026

UTICA - Adeline "Addie" (Ameduri) Mullen, 95, passed away peacefully on January 27, 2026.

Born on December 22, 1930, in Utica, New York, she was the beloved daughter of Salvatore Ameduri and Carmella (Forgione) Ameduri, who immigrated from Gioiosa Ionica and Naples, Italy in the early 1900s. Addie was the youngest of twelve children, carrying forward the strength and spirit of a family shaped by both hardship and deep devotion. She was predeceased by four siblings lost during the 1916–1918 influenza pandemic, as well as her brothers and sisters in law Fiore (Vickie) Ameduri, Arthur (Ang) Ameduri, Adolph (Margaret) Ameduri, Sam (Willa) Ameduri, and her sisters and brothers in law Mary (Angelo) Esposito, Amy (Bill) Houston, and Josephine (Umit) Ogut. She was a 1949 graduate of T.R. Proctor High School, a milestone she was proud of as the daughter of hardworking immigrant parents.

On August 5, 1962, Addie married Frank J. Mullen, and together they welcomed their daughter, Lisa, who remained the center of her world. Addie worked for General Electric Radio Receiver for 20 years before stepping away to raise her daughter. She later resumed her career with New York Telephone—now Verizon—where she dedicated another 20 years of service before retiring. She was a proud member of the Telephone Pioneers, where she

lovingly crocheted baby blankets and lap robes for those in need.

A lifelong communicant of St. Anthony–St. Agnes Church, Addie gave countless hours helping prepare for parish feasts, fish fries, and community events. Her faith, generosity, and willingness to lend a hand were constants throughout her life.

Addie found joy in simple, beautiful things—music, which filled her childhood home and remained a lifelong comfort, and flowers, which she nurtured with care and delight. Whether planting, tending, or simply admiring them, her garden was an extension of her gentle spirit.

She is survived by her daughter Lisa Mullen Withers and her husband Jeff, along with her cherished “fur grand puppy,” Gus, and many loving nieces and nephews who will forever remember her warmth, humor, and unwavering kindness.

Addie’s life was one of quiet strength, devotion to family, and a heart open to giving. Her legacy blooms on in every life she touched.

Lisa and Jeff extend their deepest gratitude to Dr. Choudry, and to the compassionate 5th-floor nursing staff—Grace, Lindsey, and Rachel—for the exceptional care, kindness, and dignity they provided to Addie in her final days.

Visitation will be held on Friday, February 6, 2026, from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. For those unable to attend, you may be present virtually at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88444305064>. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Adeline's Mass of Christian Burial and Celebration of Life which will commence on Saturday, February 7, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. from the funeral

home and at 12:00 p.m. at St. Anthony and St. Agnes Church, 422 Tilden Ave.
Interment will take place in Calvary Cemetery.

This obituary was lovingly composed by Addie's daughter, Lisa.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

2407 Oneida Street
Utica, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 6. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Eannace Funeral Home, Inc.
932 South Street
corner of Hammond Ave.
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 724-6714
eannacefh@roadrunner.com
<https://www.eannacefuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

FEB 7. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church
422 Tilden Ave.
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 732-1177
<https://www.stanthonystagnes.com/>

Tribute Wall

JC

“ James C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Adeline "Addie" (Ameduri) Mullen.

James C. - February 06 at 11:32 AM

LM

“ Lisa M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Adeline "Addie" (Ameduri) Mullen.

Lisa M. - February 06 at 10:32 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Adeline "Addie" (Ameduri) Mullen.



February 06 at 10:32 AM

GA

“ Gem Agency purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Adeline "Addie" (Ameduri) Mullen.



Gem Agency - February 06 at 07:28 AM

JK

“ So sorry to hear this sad news. Thinking of childhood memories on Gilbert Street with love. Lisa, you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Jennifer and Wade Karam - February 01 at 09:28 AM

TM

“ Dear Lisa and Jeff, Tony and I send our deepest condolences. We have so many memories of your mom. We worked with her on so many feasts and always had fun sharing those times with her. We cooked many peppers together. We will always remember our Sunday visits at mass. We sat in the last row in the middle and looked forward to our visits before mass started. She was always sweet and caring. It had become difficult for us to get to mass for health reasons and we heard she wasn't coming anymore either. We will always remember her fondly! We know how much she loved you and would always update us on how you were doing. You are in our thoughts and prayers! She will always be special to us.

Tony and Tania Montana - January 31 at 12:20 PM

AM

“ Lisa, Thinking of you at this sad time. Those we hold in our hearts never truly leave us. She will always be with you!
With my deepest sympathy,
Angela Meola

Angela Meola - January 31 at 09:13 AM

MR

“ Lisa,
I am so sorry to hear this news, the world has lost an angel! I truly do not know where I'd be today if it wasn't for your Mom. She was patient, kind, caring, generous and most of all like a second Mother to me. May she rest in peace and may eternal light shine upon her. Thank you Adeline...I love you.

Michelle Randazzo - January 31 at 07:58 AM

JD

Lisa, you probably don't know me, and actually, I don't think I ever met you.

My name is John R Doti. I am the son of Nancy Ameduri Doti. My father was Angelo R Doti. We lived for years on South Street. My mother was the only girl among 5 brothers. Kelly (Raymond), Harry, Oscar, Romo, and Ardow.

I know we are from the same family, and I send my condolences.

My mother and family also originated from Gilbert Street.

I know my grandfather was your grandfather's brother.

You might remember we also had relatives in Staten Island.

I won't be able to attend any services. I apologise.

May she rest in peace.

John R Doti - February 02 at 07:30 AM

DM

Lisa, I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. She was a wonderful friend to my mother Doree. I'm not sure you will remember me, but her love for you was unwavering! My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.

Dee Dee Karathanas Marks

Deidra Karathanas Marks - February 11 at 04:07 PM