



Alta Rosemary (Sacco) Scire

September 13, 1922 - November 5, 2009

Mrs. Alta Rosemary (Sacco) Scire, age 87, of Utica, passed away on Thursday, November 5, 2009 at The Pines at Utica.

Born in Manhattan, NY on September 13, 1922, Alta was the daughter of the late Rocco and Angeline (Cardarelli) Sacco. She was raised and educated locally. In November of 1948 she married Samuel Scire with whom she shared 24 years prior to his passing on April 12, 1973; together they shared a fulfilling relationship focused on raising their son.

Inspired by a steady work ethic, Alta was employed for many years as a saleswoman at the J. B. Wells Department Store in downtown Utica, and she later held positions at the General Electric and Univac Companies. A woman of character, she met life's daily duties and never complained. She also maintained a meticulous home and took pride in her appearance, always ladylike and lovely whenever leaving her home. Alta felt that her greatest accomplishment in life was being a gracious wife and a supportive mother. For leisure entertainment she enjoyed games of chance and the excitement of Las Vegas and Atlantic City. She was a former parishioner of St. Francis De Sales Church.

Alta is survived by her devoted son, James "Jim" Scire of Utica; and her sister, Celia Malloy of Fayetteville. Survivors also include her many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and in-laws, James Scire, and Joseph and Joan Scire. She also leaves many dear family members and friends.

The family sends special thanks to the staff of The Pines at Utica for the loving

care and attention given to Alta, allowing her stay to be truly comforting. Visitation will be held Monday morning (tomorrow) from 8:30-9:30 at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. By family request, please omit floral offerings. Alta's funeral service will commence on Monday morning at 9:30 from the funeral home and at 10:30 at Historic Old St. John's Church where her Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. Interment will take place in Calvary Cemetery.

Tribute Wall



“ I was sorry to hear the news on the passing of my Aunt Alta. She was a great lady and will be missed.##imported-begin##Gary Malloy##imported-end##

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“ Dear James,

I was saddened to hear of the passing of your mom. She was my favorite great-aunt (Grandma Ceila's sister). My brothers and I spend many, many years at your mom's house which was enjoyable and fun. I have many great photos and memories of all the wonderful times. I wish I could be there to support you at this difficult time; but i am unable to get out of work commitments at the Post Office here in Long Island. I will have a mass said for her soul at my church and send you a mass card. Please feel free to call me if you want to talk 516-426-2356.

I pray for you to be strong at this difficult and sad time and for Aunt Alta to go straight to Heaven.

Love your cousin,

Brian Barry##imported-begin##Brian Barry (Great nephew)##imported-end##

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