



Angela "Lillian" (Argento) Barletto

December 23, 1918 - December 3, 2014

Mrs. Angela "Lillian" (Argento) Barletto, age 95, passed away on Wednesday, December 3, 2014 at the St. Lukes Home.

Born in Peeks Run, W. Virginia, on December 23, 1918, Lillian was the daughter of the late Pasquale "Patsy" and Teresa (Semeraro) Argento. She was joined in marriage with Giacomo Barletto who passed away on December 12, 1975.

When she was 11 years old, Lillian began working in her family's business, Argento's Market at the intersection of Bleecker and Nichols Streets. She later held a position with the General Electric Co. Over the course of her career, she also owned and operated Lillian's Coffee Shop, located on the same corner as the family market. In addition, she managed the Dixie Hat Shop for a period of time.

Lillian was a talented quilter and at one time taught quilting. She was devoted to the Eastside Senior Center and to S.O.S., Singles over Sixty, and held important leadership positions with those groups. She was a communicant of St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church.

Lillian is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Peter and Geraldine Barletto of Raleigh, NC; and her grandchildren, Jaclyn and Robert Bair of Key West, FL, and Bryan and Ellen Barletto of Naples, Italy. Her survivors also include her nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and her in-laws; Rosemarie Argento, and Theresa "Tessie" Liszka. She was predeceased by 3 brothers, Joseph, Marco and Nunzio Argento; a sister,

Anna Argento; and several in-laws.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 9:00 – 11:00 at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave In lieu of flowers donations in her memory may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital of a charity of choice, envelopes will be available at the funeral home. Lillian's funeral service and Celebration of life will commence on Wednesday morning at 11 from the funeral home and at 12 noon at St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church where her Mass of Christian Burial will be offered by Rev. Mark Kaminski. Interment will take place in Calvary Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

2407 Oneida Street
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 735-2727

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 10. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Eannace Funeral Home, Inc.
932 South Street
corner of Hammond Ave.
Utica, NY 13501
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Tribute Wall

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“ I'm sorry for the loss of my dearest aunt and Godmother, but I'm also happy for her because she has arrived in Heaven and the angels are singing, for she touched so many lives and lived an amazing life on earth!

I'll always cherish my many fond memories of my aunt. As a little girl I enjoyed the sleepovers at her house and the times she took me to the Senior Center with her and Grandma for special occasions. I remember walking to her house for lunch break from school in the freezing cold and she made me Lipton soup and warmed me up. Then my dad moved us to Florida and we all missed her and Grandma. But they visited us every year and we always looked forward to their nice long visits. Aunt Lil and my dad would sit for hours and talk and share their stories with us. We all loved when Aunt Lil and grandma would make the pepper cookies and stock up our freezer so we'd have plenty until the next visit. One year Aunt Lil made her famous “Bourbon Slush” and then it became tradition and we would make them on every holiday!

Aunt Lil loved parties and she loved to shop! Sometimes we'd go to the mall together because I loved shopping as much as she did. I remember one occasion especially when she helped me pick out a pretty dress that I was going to wear to a party that night! I still have that dress!

I'll always remember Aunt Lil for her cheerfulness and fun loving spirit! She was a faithful Christian and it showed through the way she lived her life!

My thoughts and prayers are with you Pete, Geri, Jacqueline and Bryan. May you find comfort in the Lord's peace and love during this difficult time!

Love, Cousin Teresa

Teresa Niwore - December 14, 2014 at 06:56 AM

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“ *Very sorry to learn of Aunt Lil's passing. She was just an amazing person. I loved her visits to Florida that she and grandma took once a year. I always looked forward to their stays and then hated to see when they had to leave.*

Aunt Lil always had the most cheerful happy heart even if the circumstances were not always so good. We were blessed to have such an awesome aunt and now heaven is rejoicing her arrival. May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you Pete & Geri. You are in our thoughts and prayers.....

Patricia Argento Schisler - December 09, 2014 at 08:21 AM

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all, Pete, Geri, Jacqueline and Bryan. May you be comforted by the peace of Jesus during this difficult time.*

I will forever cherish the many fond memories I have of my dearest Aunt and Godmother. We shared lots of fun, happy times together and I'll always remember her smile and laughter. She lived and amazing life on earth and touched so many lives. She's now in Heaven and and the angels are singing!

*God belsss you all!
Love, Cousin Teresa*



Teresa Argento - December 08, 2014 at 03:45 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Angela "Lillian" (Argento) Barletto.*



December 05, 2014 at 11:08 AM

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“ *Peter and family...my thoughts are with you.*



Don Marino - December 05, 2014 at 10:47 AM

PS

“ *Philip Scampone lit a candle in memory of Angela "Lillian" (Argento) Barletto*



Philip Scampone - December 05, 2014 at 09:35 AM

PS

*To Peter and family; My wife and I send our sympathy to you and your family. I remember as my Godmother. She was a beautiful lady. She was a good friend to my mother, Rose.
Sincerely,
Philip Scampone*

Philip Scampone - December 05, 2014 at 09:38 AM

SG

*Peter & family,
Belated condolences. Just read Notice on the Internet.
Steve Graham*

Steve Graham - December 10, 2014 at 01:33 PM