



Ann (Panaro) Montaldo

November 2, 1923 - April 30, 2009

Mrs. Ann (Panaro) Montaldo, affectionately known as Auntie Ann, age 85, of Utica, passed away peacefully on Thursday, April 30, 2009 at the Masonic Care Community of NY with her loving family by her side.

Born in Utica on November 2, 1923, Ann was the daughter of the late Cosmo and Rose (D'Amore) Panaro. Raised and educated locally, she was a graduate of T. R. Proctor High School. On February 7, 1953 she married John A. Montaldo with whom she shared 56 years; they were true companions through the years, sharing a life filled with mutual love and respect.

For many years, Ann was employed as a customer service representative at the Utica Credit Bureau and later worked alongside her husband in his auto repair business, Montaldo's Lineup & Repair. Ann leaves a legacy as a kind and friendly woman whose life revolved around her family, especially her nieces and nephews, who brought much joy to her life. She was a communicant of St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Ann is survived by her husband, John; her brother and sister-in-law, John and Marvel Panaro of Syracuse; her nieces and nephews, Mary Ann and Francis Collea, Virginia and Anthony Muccari, Roseann Nachtical, Susan Kelly, Joe Convertino, Jr., John Convertino, and David Panaro; her great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins; brother-in-law, Joseph Convertino; and her dear friend, Mary Ann Garofalo. She was pre-deceased by her sister, Victoria Convertino; her in-laws, Anthony R. and Anna Iacovella; and many aunts and uncles.

The family extends gratitude to the nurses and staff of the Inlet Community at

the Masonic Care Community of NY for the loving care rendered to Ann. Visitation will be held Sunday from 2:00-4:00 at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. By family request, please omit floral offerings. For those wishing to do so, please consider memorial contributions in Ann's honor to the Alzheimer's Foundation; envelopes will be available at the funeral home. Ann's funeral service and Celebration of Life will commence on Sunday afternoon at 4:00 at the funeral home immediately upon the conclusion of visitation with the Rev. Anthony LaFache officiating. Entombment will take place in Resurrection Chapel Mausoleum at the convenience of the family.

Tribute Wall



“ Auntie Ann you were an angel on earth and I feel so blessed to have been lucky enough to have grown up with you. I could never imagine what my life would have been like without you and I know what a difference you made in the lives of everyone who knew you. Thank you for the love you gave to us so unconditionally and know that our love for you is endless. I will hold you in my heart until the day when we will be together again. All our love, per sempre, Virginia, Tony, Frank, A.J. and Maria##imported-begin##virginia Muccari##imported-end##

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“ Auntie Ann, I love and miss you so much. You have taught me love, patience, and a passion for caring for others. It has been my honor to have known you my entire life. And you taught my children the same loving lessons you taught us. Thanks for being the greatest! Love, your niece, Sue Panaro Kelley and husband Jim, and her children, Monica and Jim Johnson.##imported-begin##Sue Panaro Kelley##imported-end##

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“ Montaldo Family,

My sincere condolences to all of you. I took care of Ann on the Inlet Household at Masonic Care Community. I will always remember her smile, she would always say "Thank you" whenever I would spoon her medication to her. She was a pleasure to take care of. May fond memories of Ann help you all through this difficult time.##imported-begin##Cyndi Gee##imported-end##

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“ *John, please accept my condolences on the loss of your wife, Ann. she was a wonderful woman. I especially remember her love for the garden, when she lived on Elizabeth Street.*##imported-begin##Fiorinda##imported-end##

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