



Mrs. Dorothy C. (Maggiore) Mutolo

June 23, 1929 - March 27, 2021

UTICA - Mrs. Dorothy C. (Maggiore) Mutolo, age 91, passed away on Saturday, March 27, 2021 at the Masonic Care Community of NY with her cherished children and devoted staff by her side after a short illness.

Born on June 23, 1929, Dorothy was the daughter of the late Ignazio and Frances (Testa) Maggiore. Raised and educated locally, she attended Utica schools. On June 12, 1948 she married Julio J. Mutolo with whom she shared 37 happy years together and the blessing of seven children. Julio passed away on February 25, 1985.

A loving mom and dedicated matriarch, Dorothy devoted herself to her husband during his lengthy illness. Over the years, her interests included traveling and occasionally, a trip to the casino. For a woman who nearly lived 10 decades, Dorothy embraced and was reflective of being a genuine soul that possessed much kindness and devotion.

Dorothy is survived by her children and their spouses, Frances and James Komiak, New Hampshire; John Mutolo, Texas; Dawn and Phillip Jackson, Texas; James "Iggy" and Jill Mutolo, Florida; Frank and Veronica Mutolo, Whitesboro; Michele and Joseph Dovi, Frankfort; and the memory of her son, Julio J. Mutolo, Jr. who preceded her in 1993; her nine grandchildren; and her four great-grandchildren. She will also be remembered by her nieces, including Bonnie Richlin and she will now be rejoined by her late niece Sandra Richlin who passed in 2008; they were a blessing and she loved them as daughters. Also surviving are many additional nieces, nephews, great-nieces,

and great-nephews. She was predeceased by her brother, Thomas Maggiore, and her identical twin, Mary Richlin and her husband Martin Richlin, Sr., and sisters-in-law, Dorothy (Mutolo) Blazek, and Carmela (Mutolo) Banas.

The family is grateful to the staff and nurses in the Oncology Unit at MVHS at St. Luke's Healthcare, especially her granddaughter Bryanna; and Dana, and Stephanie, whose efforts made all the difference in Dorothy's care.

In keeping with Dorothy's wishes there will be no public services.

During this time of social distancing that we are all experiencing, please take a moment to connect with Dorothy's family through the "Memories" section of her obituary. Our prayers go out to all as a sign of our continued support.

Dorothy, may your memory be a blessing.

Tribute Wall

LM

“ *I'm sorry I forgot to put on the last message ,
Love cousin
Kathleen Cracchiolo*

Lenora Murad - April 11, 2021 at 08:31 PM

LM

“ *My heart goes out to all of you . If there's anything I can do for any
of you please call me we're still family. All I have is fond memories
of her and you children living on Lansing Street with aunt Katie. I
love going there every day it was like one big happy family.
I'll always remember going to the casino with her, all the laughs all
the fun we had those memories will be cherished not to mention the
ones up at camp!
My love goes out to all of you.
(this is cousin Lenora sending this as my mom dictated her
sentiments. May God sustain all of you and my husband and family
and myself also send our condolences)*

Lenora Murad - April 11, 2021 at 08:29 PM

MS

“ Dear Dorothy,

*I fondly remember the memories of you that started when I was 12 years old. Fran and I have been friends for over 58 years and you were part of that venture. Saturday was grocery shopping day and you always included me as your family gobbled down the cold cuts and pastries. I felt like part of the gang - you made me feel so loved. You listened to our stories of the crazy things we did on Friday nights. You gave us that look like I know what you're up to. Loved the times I went to the casino with you - laughed a lot at so many things..You encouraged us all along the way.and we were better for it. You lived a grand life "Dor" and I will miss you so. In my heart forever,
Love Marilyn Skermont*

Marilyn Skermont - April 08, 2021 at 12:28 AM

CY

“ Aunt Dorothy We have so many great memories of you. The fondest memories we have is how you were always there for my mother and being a second mother to us. We always knew you were there for us. Thank you for being a part of our life. We will always cherish our holidays with you and coming to your house . You always welcomed us .Now you are with all your cousins uncle Julio and our mom. please tell them we love and miss them. aunt Dor you will be missed but you are in a better place Rest In Peace . we know you loved the casino if you have any pull give Michele Fran and me Cathy some Good luck! Lol We love you Cathy &Dennis

Cathy Young - April 02, 2021 at 06:53 AM



“ Great Aunt Dor. Memories of a my childhood flood in as she was part of so many. The “Apartment” in Utica where we would go mostly at Christmas time. It had this (what I thought as a kid) giant staircase that led to this almost magical maze of halls and rooms. It wasn’t fancy as I think it had shag carpeting and paneling on the walls. The kitchen is always where she would be cooking, visiting, and cursing at me somewhat under her breath because I had a smart mouth.

My fondest memory will always be the day I spent learning to make Lasagna with my Grandma and Aunt Dor. Nothing notable happened but they loved to cook and loved that I was interested in learning from them.

I will miss her. Love to Family near and far.

Jason Richlin - April 01, 2021 at 06:35 AM

JR

That apartment was huge! Lol I also remember it well and Susy's down stairs.. it was awesome going there when I was little. Her cooking and Christmas cookies will be forever missed. What I remember most is she always had a puzzle out and would let me help her with it. She was an amazing woman I'll miss her love and smooches. Be well all she led an amazing life. ❤️

Jeremy Richlin - April 01, 2021 at 10:12 AM

EW

“ One of my absolute favorite memories:
Being in Vegas, Grandma and I sitting at slot machines, laughing while trying to figure out what everyone did for a living.

Errin White - March 30, 2021 at 09:02 PM

FK

“ *Mom At Christmas Time-one of many Memories : When we were young-*

Mom would decorate the ceilings,walls,windows and doors with all kinds of Christmas ornaments.

Let's not forget the Christmas tree where the silver icicles had to hang straight. I would joke with her about her having more decorations in our house than Macy's has in their stores.Her reply was to turn

her nose up at me and hang another decoration. I now wish I had a picture of her Christmas Artwork.

WE will All miss you MOM- Say HI to Dad, Brother Julio, and Aunt Mary for us.

Have A Good Day !

Love Fran

Frances Komiak - March 30, 2021 at 06:35 PM