



## Mrs. Edith M. (Cappelli) Suppa

December 24, 1918 - August 30, 2012

Mrs. Edith M. (Cappelli) Suppa, age 93, of Utica, passed away on Thursday, August 30, 2012 at the St. Elizabeth Medical Center with her loving children and grandchildren by her side.

Born in Utica on Christmas Eve, December 24, 1918, Edith was the daughter of the late Antonio and Mary (Snow) Cappelli. She was raised and educated locally. On October 21, 1939 she married Peter J. Suppa with whom she shared 63 years in a marriage marked by their attributes of self-reliance, sacrifice, and a steadfast love for each other prior to his passing on November 1, 2002.

Edith worked as an assembler in the Radio/Receiver Department at the General Electric Company. Later on, she held a position with the Utica City School District as a School Bus Aide, the position from which she retired. Edith possessed a friendly, outgoing, and kind heart which was filled with love for her family. She exemplified goodness in her kind ways. A vivacious woman, she enjoyed dancing, and was known for twirling up a storm on the dance floor. She shared time with her grandchildren and family, never afraid to join in on the fun. At home, she was an excellent cook, and she took great satisfaction in sharing Sunday meals with family; she was known to have the very best sauce this side of Italy. She will be remembered for her vibrant character and her deep love of her family. She was a communicant of St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church.

Edith is survived by her daughters and son-in-law, Mary Ann Suppa and Ben

Julian, and Sandra "Sandy" and Pasquale "Pat" Mungari, all of Utica; and her daughter-in-law, Marie A. (Surace) Suppa of Canastota. Always close to her heart was the memory of her son, Gerald P. "Jerry" Suppa, who passed away on February 28, 2011. She also leaves her grandchildren, Michael G. and Kerry L. Suppa of Blossvale, Gerald S. Suppa of Oneida, Dr. Joseph and Amy Mungari, and Jacquelyn "Jacki" and John Vitullo, all of New Hartford; and her great-grandchildren, Laura Suppa, Edward Humphreys, Kayla Suppa, Justin Tornatore and his son Jacob, Joseph Jr. and Alexandra Mungari, and Sophia, and John Vitullo, Jr. In addition, she leaves her sister, Gloria Cappelli of New Hartford; many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and sister-in-law Victoria "Vicki" Perritano of Utica. She was predeceased by her sisters and brothers-in-law, Kathryn and Frank Kelley, and Theresa and Anthony Yacovella; her brother, Angelo Cappelli; and her in-laws, Elizabeth and Gilbert Lee, Frank J. III and Marietta Suppa, Salvatore Perritano, and Ambrose Cappelli.

The family is grateful to all the caregivers that tended to Edith, especially Dr. Scott Brehaut and the St. Elizabeth Medical Center Orthopedic 2nd floor nurses and staff, for their sensitivity and expertise.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Edith's funeral service and Celebration of Life which will commence on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 at St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church where her Mass of Christian Burial will be offered by Rev. Anthony P. LaFache. The family will receive visitors at the end of Mass. By family request, please omit floral arrangements. Inurnment will take place in Calvary Cemetery Mausoleum at the convenience of the family. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave.

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Service

SEP 1. 1:30 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall

PL

“ Dear Sandy, we are sorry to hear of the loss of your mom. We know how important she was in your life. We think of you and pray for your well being.

*Pat and Violet*

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**Pasquale and Violet LaGatta** - September 06, 2012 at 09:11 AM

FD

“ MaryAnn, Sandy and family,  
So sorry to hear about your Mom. She was such a sweet lady, always with a smile on her face, and wave hello . I am glad I got to see her last week. The neighborhood won't be the same without her. All of you are in our thoughts and prayers.  
*Sincerely, Flo, Tom and AManda DeSimone*

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**Flo A. DeSimone** - August 31, 2012 at 09:13 AM

RP

“ Robbie, Kristin & Sara Palmieri lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edith M. (Cappelli) Suppa



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**Robbie, Kristin & Sara Palmieri** - August 31, 2012 at 07:59 AM

JB

“ *Johanna Brenon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edith M. (Cappelli) Suppa*



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**Johanna Brenon** - August 31, 2012 at 07:29 AM

JB

*Dear Sandra and family,*

*I am very saddened for the loss of your Mom and Grandmother. Remember that GOD called her home to stop all her suffering and pain, and took her to a greater place called "HEAVEN". For the few times I was in her company she always was happy and seemed to live life to its absolute fullest. You will miss her every minute of the day but cherish every memory of her. The closeness shared within your family will help you to get through the toughest times.*

*My heartfelt prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.*

*GOD Bless.....*

*Johanna*

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**Johanna Brennan** - August 31, 2012 at 08:34 AM

TF

“ *The Cristiano Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edith M. (Cappelli) Suppa*



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**The Cristiano Family** - August 30, 2012 at 11:12 PM

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“ *Our hearts are heavy for you all today. God Bless you Edith, heaven is an even better place with you there! All our prayers, hugs and love to you all. God Bless!*

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**The Cristiano Family** - August 30, 2012 at 11:12 PM