



## Josephine M. Angerosa

December 20, 1926 - May 20, 2009

Josephine M. Angerosa, age 82, of Utica, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, May 20, 2009 at the Masonic Care Community of NY.

Born in Utica on December 20, 1926, Josephine was the daughter of the late Nicholas Mario and Philomena “Fannie” (Talento) Angerosa. Raised and educated locally, she attended T. R. Proctor High School.

Josephine’s working career began at Griffiss Air Force Base, and she subsequently held a position for over 41 years at the General Electric Company Bleecker St. location where she was wholeheartedly committed to her skills and responsibilities on the job. Josie was ingenious, mechanical, and dedicated to those with whom she worked for, with and alongside. She earned citations and awards for her ability to improve the technology of the devices she worked with. She spent a majority of her years as a team leader for Line 1, retiring in 1986. At home, Josie was dedicated to caring for her father and mother and continued her compassionate nature with her concern for her siblings, nieces and nephews, and their families. She was always giving of herself and nothing was more important than family. In her earlier years, she was very athletic as an avid bowler and a fast-pitch softball player. She was a New York Yankees fan, always looking forward to the next season. She also had an abiding love for animals, and their well being was important to her. A companion to her three miniature schnauzers, Rocky, Litzel, and Rena; and her cocker spaniel, “Raphael”, she also catered to her feline, “Smokey”. She was a member of the International Association of Machinists &

Aerospace Workers and a communicant of St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church. A woman of faith, she was devoted to St. Theresa, Padre Pio, and the daily recitation of the holy rosary which she offered up for the health concerns of those she loved.

Josephine is survived by her many beloved nieces and nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins and in-laws, Lena Angerosa Pavia, Patricia Angerosa, Elizabeth "Betty" Angerosa, Marie Angerosa, Carol A. Angerosa, and William Labella; and her longtime friend, Stella Kojac. She was predeceased by her sisters and brothers-in-law, Mary Angerosa, Rose Angerosa, Angeline M. and John J. Pinto, Stella M. and Frank F. "Poppi" Falbo, and Pauline LaBella; her brothers and sister-in-law, Joseph and Susan Angerosa, Dominick Angerosa, John Angerosa, Anthony Angerosa, Nicholas M. Angerosa, and Frank Angerosa; her beloved niece and nephew, Angela M. Angerosa, and Nicholas F. Angerosa.

The family wishes to thank the staff of Hospice & Palliative Care, Inc. who assisted Josephine through her heart ailments, especially mentioning Navaz; Sr. MaryEllen (the one with the blue eyes), Sr. Sharon Ann, for all their compassion; the Masonic Care Community of NY, Albany Unit nurses and aides who cared for Josie with such love; and Msgr. Willenburg for his years of friendship and concern.

In keeping with Josephine's wishes, there will be no public visitation. By family request, please omit floral offerings. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Josephine's Mass of Christian Burial and Celebration of Life which will be held on Monday morning at 11:30 at St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church. The family will receive visitors at the conclusion of the service.

Interment will take place in St. Agnes Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc. 932 South St. corner of Hammond Ave.

# Tribute Wall



“ Dear Angerosa Family  
I was sorry to hear of Aunt Josie's passing. I spent many days at her home visting Aunt Josie and her mom, when I was a kid with her nephew Joe. SHe was a great woman with a huge heart who I respected very much. She took great care of her mom and the rest of her family. My thoughts and prayers go out to all of you during this difficult time. God Bless you Aunt Josie.....##imported-begin##Bernadette Filipelli-Jackson##imported-end##

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May 26, 2009 at 02:18 AM



“ I recall fondly of the time when my mother and Josephine shared a hospital room and all of her family and our family that came to visit two women that were so special to us all. Now both have gone on to bigger and better things in our eternal journey and we are left to miss them, continue to love them and hold them forever dear and treasured in our hearts. With my deepest sympathies to all of you. Leonarda Priore, NYC##imported-begin##Leonarda Priore##imported-end##

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May 25, 2009 at 08:00 PM



“ DeeAnn,Bernie, Adana, Ava, Nick and Mrs. Angerosa, I was sorry to hear of Aunt Josephine's passing. Im sure she is at rest and is happy to be with her brothers. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time. May she rest in peace.##imported-begin##Kelly Mercurio##imported-end##

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May 24, 2009 at 10:29 AM



“ To Josephine and her family...  
I remember you and your Mom so well. You always treated me and my family so well. You'll be missed by friends and family. I'm sure everyone who knew you would have many good stories and memories of you. May your family rest in knowing that you're in no more pain and at peace in the Lord's arms. Friends and family will always remember all the good times and memories. You'll never be forgotten or loved by everyone who knew you. May the Lord watch over your family and help them in this time of such sorrow.  
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May 21, 2009 at 11:20 AM



“ Josephine,  
  
We've been friends all or lives and you will always hold a special place in my heart. You'll be missed by family and friends. Anyone who knew you will always cherish the memories and all the good times shared. May your family rest in knowing that you're in the Lord's hands and he'll take care of you now and forever.  
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May 21, 2009 at 11:04 AM