



Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd

June 26, 1944 - October 19, 2016

LOMPOC, CA/UTICA - Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd, age 72, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, October 19, 2016 at the Lompoc Valley Medical Center in California.

Born in Utica on June 26, 1944, Joyce was the daughter of the late Enrico and Elizabeth (Scala) Garcea. She was a graduate of T.R. Proctor High School. On January 10, 1970 she married William E. Redd, Jr. Joyce enjoyed traveling, and upon her marriage, the couple relocated to various locations throughout the country due to her husband's military obligations. Joyce's career was spent in the banking industry.

Joyce loved her family, honored her Catholic faith, and was proud of her Italian heritage.

Joyce is survived by her husband, William E. "Chick"/Ret. USAF; her son and daughter-in-law, William Bernard and Kelly Redd of Portland, Oregon; and her grandson, Miles Archer Redd. She will also be remembered by her sister, Marie Garcea Manca of Utica; her mother-in-law, Flossie (Chambers) Walker and the entire Chambers family; her nieces and nephews, Rick Trinco and fiancée Phyllis Christiano, Gina (Trinco) and John Spinelli, Christopher Trinco, and Lisa (Trinco) and Brian Raehm; great-nieces and great-nephews, Stephanie and Raymond Briggs, Francesca Spinelli, Gabrielle Spinelli, Loretta Trinco, and Hunter Raehm; great-great-nephews, Parker, and Owen; brother-in-law, Dominick "Dick" Trinco and his wife Marie; in-laws, George and Alice Chambers, Rudy and Carol (Chambers) Evans, Bill and Jackie Chambers,

Wythene (Chambers) Parker, Carnalitha (Redd) Christian; a host of cousins, too many to name, who loved Joyce dearly as their own. Joyce's glowing light touched many during her travels with Chick, including friends in North Carolina, Florida, Texas, Virginia, Washington DC, and California who were blessed by her friendship. She was predeceased by her sister, Loretta (Garcea) Trinco; and her brothers-in-law, Robert Manca, and Bernard Redd. The family sends a special thank you to Summer Raehm who made many visits to see Joyce and kept in contact with her family on the East coast via FaceTime, to close the distance in miles during her recovery.

Joyce was truly a superstar to everyone who knew her.

The family will honor and commemorate Joyce's life at a private gathering. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Joyce's funeral service and Celebration of Life which will commence on Saturday morning at 11:00 a.m. at St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish where her Mass of Christian Burial will be offered by Rev. James Cesta. Those wishing to express an act of kindness may make a donation to the St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish Memorial Fund; envelopes will be available at the service. Interment will take place in Calvary Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

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

Tribute Wall

GD

“ I have known Redd since 1965, where I met him at Griffiss Air Force Base about 15 miles northwest of Utica in central New York State. At the time Redd was dating Joyce and I was introduced to her. We could not wait for the nights we could go out and see the girls; those were the best of times. Joyce was full of life and lots of fun to be around. I have very fond memories of Joyce and Redd from the 4 years I spent in upstate NY. We kept in touch from a distance after the Air Force.

We were happy in 2009 when we received a called from Redd that they were traveling to NYC (we lived in CT) and we could see each other. This was an opportunity for them to meet my wife, Mary. We had another great time together; lots of sightseeing, eating, and laughter. We promised to keep in touch. The next time we saw each other again, turned out to be another joyous occasion along with Steve Currie another good friend from Griffiss. It was always fun to see everyone, it seemed time had not changed anything.

We were very blessed to have had an opportunity to speak with Joyce by phone the week before she passed.

Redd, (dear friend) we send our deepest sympathy and our condolences for the loss of your wonderful wife Joyce. We pray to the Lord to give her departed soul eternal peace and give you strength to cope with her loss. Just know that we are always here for you.

George & Mary DeMarco



George DeMarco - November 07, 2016 at 01:16 PM

BW

“ I met Joyce in 1962 working at Oneida National Bank she became my very best friend. I love her to death she introduced me to my first husband Joseph Wormworth my name is Barbara Jones Williams I live in Rome New York if somebody would like to contact me 315-339-3418 great memories all those years we had wonderful times went to Atlantic City. I worked at the bank for 20 years. Hi Marie sorry for the loss of your sister. Would love to hear from you.

Barbara Jones Williams - November 06, 2016 at 02:39 AM



“ Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.



October 28, 2016 at 12:05 PM

TC

“ John 14:1-3 New International Version (NIV)

Jesus Comforts His Disciples

14 “Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God[a]; believe also in me. 2 My Father’s house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.

Tim Chambers and family

Tim Chambers - October 27, 2016 at 07:36 PM

CC

“ Cousins Dwayne, Shantonia & Aiden Chambers purchased the Shades of Purple for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.



Cousins Dwayne, Shantonia & Aiden Chambers - October 27, 2016 at 12:08 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.



October 27, 2016 at 01:57 AM

CP

“ I first met Joyce when my daughter Kelly married her son Will. I was so thrilled to have a fellow New Yorker as an in law! She and I hit it off immediately. We kept in touch with text messages and cards. I promised her I would fill in for her with our grandson Miles and I will keep that promise. She was a dear, dear woman who loved her family with all her heart and she will be greatly missed. I wish I could have had more time to get to know her better. RIP dear one. I'll see you again one day and I'll bring pictures of Miles.

Cindy Paige - October 26, 2016 at 08:11 PM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.*



October 26, 2016 at 07:08 PM



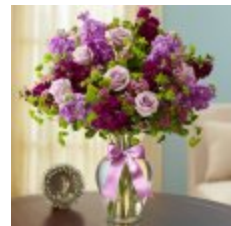
“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.*



October 26, 2016 at 07:32 AM



“ *Lotsa Luv, Pixie & Jesse Hopkins purchased the Shades of Purple for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.*



Lotsa Luv, Pixie & Jesse Hopkins - October 25, 2016 at 11:02 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.*



October 25, 2016 at 11:19 AM

LF

“ *Love Tommy and Tracy Silva and family purchased the Healing Tears - All Pink for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.*



Love Tommy and Tracy Silva and family - October 25, 2016 at 11:15 AM



“ *Sympathy Arrangement In Basket (Large) - Multicolor Pastel Mixed Flowers was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.*



October 24, 2016 at 09:56 PM

CN

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to all of you during this difficult time. Joyce was a beautiful person and I thank God for bringing her into my life. Sharing and living each day with her faith in God was inspiring and made me a better person. Joyce and I prayed together many times and I will treasure those moments forever. I'm going to miss her very much but I will never forget the many special moments we shared together. God bless you all, Cindy Naputi*

Cindy Naputi - October 24, 2016 at 08:43 PM

MA

“ *To my sweet cousin, Joyce! I always thought so highly of you and am glad we've stayed in touch throughout the years and across the miles. You were taken much too young! <3*

Marlene D'Accurzio Anderson - October 24, 2016 at 07:55 PM



Joyce was the most beautiful person who always made me feel beautiful even when I did not feel that way! We had numerous talks about NY and her friends and family and she spoke with such love and Italian flair I could envision these stories in my head! From the first time I spoke with Joyce on the phone at work I loved her! We had a lot of fun and shenanigans together I thank God for her presence in my life! We loved Erika Kane on All My Children and discussed her frequently! I Love you Joycie I already miss you!

Christine Cross - October 25, 2016 at 12:23 AM



“ *My heart is broken although I know you're with my mom. I will cherish the relationship we had and keep the memories forever in my heart. You are not only my aunt but my best friend and confidant... love forever your niece Gina* ❤️

Gina Trinco Spinelli - October 24, 2016 at 07:41 PM



“ *I love you so much. You are my best friend Aunt Joyce. My heart is broken and will be. We have a bond that will never be broken, and I know you're looking down on all of us everyday. I will always love you more and that's a promise. Ti Amo Zia* ❤️

Francesca Spinelli - October 24, 2016 at 07:34 PM



“ *You were the sunshine of my life. Your loving light will forever glow in my heart. The uncommon love we shared will endure until He send for me to join you.*

William (Chick) Redd - October 24, 2016 at 07:00 PM



We love you ❤️

Francesca Spinelli - October 24, 2016 at 07:32 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Madeline (Garcea) Redd.*



October 24, 2016 at 02:41 PM



Gabriella Spinelli

“ *I love you aunt Joyce <3 I look at your pictures everyday and I still can't believe this happened.. :(I miss you so much*

Gabriella Spinelli - October 24, 2016 at 02:08 PM



LR

“ *My beautiful aunt how u will be missed. U touched so many lives with your warm heart, your unselfish soul, and your beautiful smile. We miss u so much already 💔*

Love , your niece Lisa, nephew Brian (B) , and your great nephew Hunter , who you adored and were so proud of.

Lisa Trinco Raehm - October 24, 2016 at 01:49 PM

JC

“ *Don't cry for me,
I will be okay.
Heaven is my home now,
and this is where I'll stay.
Don't cry for me,
I'm where I belong.
I want you to be happy
and try to stay strong.
Don't cry for me,
It was just my time.
But I will see you someday
on the other side.
Don't cry for me,
I am not alone.
The angels are with me
to welcome me home.
Don't cry for me,
for I have no fear.
All my pain is gone,
and Jesus took my tears.
Don't cry for me,
this is not the end.
I'll be waiting here for you,
when we meet again*

TO Chic and Family

From Jimmy, Tiawana and JaNea Chambers

James Chambers - October 24, 2016 at 08:20 AM

LR

My beautiful aunt how u will be missed. U touched so many lives with your warm heart, your unselfish soul, and your beautiful smile. We miss u so much already 💔

Love , your niece Lisa, nephew Brian (B) , and your great nephew Hunter , who you adored and were so proud of.

Lisa Trinco Raehm - October 24, 2016 at 01:46 PM

PC

My BFF Forever and Ever... you have always been in my heart and will always live on in it now. I miss you terribly but know that you are a heavenly angel and are with your sister and mother now. I miss our phone calls and visits after we left CA, and will always cherish the memories and blessing of our deep friendship...more like sisters! You adored your family and they adored you, too. I did, too! We will all meet in heaven again some day and oh, what a glorious day that will be! Always in my heart...we love you!!!💔

Paulette Cunningham - October 24, 2016 at 08:19 PM

MP

Joyce you were the most thoughtful person I have ever known. You made life look so easy with your wonderful bright attitude. You will always be dear to my heart. My thoughts and prayers go out to your family. God Bless!

Moira Philley

Moira Philley - October 25, 2016 at 12:36 PM



Beautiful Joyce We cherish & adore you..May the angels hold you close and you walk in God's Light forever..With all the Love in our Hearts..Laurie& The Girls

Lauren Alan - October 26, 2016 at 02:54 AM

SB

Joyce, we only met for a short period but you have touched my heart forever. You are the most kind and loving person, and I will cherish your memory always.

Simone Becker

Simone Becker - October 26, 2016 at 04:42 AM