



Mrs. Margaret A. "Mickey" (Leone) Piacentino

September 14, 1924 - December 28, 2020

UTICA - Mrs. Margaret A. "Mickey" (Leone) Piacentino, age 96, went home to the Lord and was reunited with her husband when she passed away on Monday, December 28, 2020.

Born in Utica on September 14, 1924, Margaret was the daughter of the late Gennaro and Jennie (Arcuri) Leone. On April 29, 1950 she wed Michael J. "Mike" Piacentino, Sr. with whom she shared 65 years in a traditional marriage graced with compatibility and a unique closeness. Mike passed away on October 15, 2015.

Mickey worked at the Savage Arms Company and later at the General Electric Company, Broad Street/Radio Receiver plant. She left the workforce to raise her family, and when the children were grown, she accepted a part time position at the iconic, busy-corner Boston Store in the Lingerie Department. Mickey's hallmark was happiness, ...as seen in her smile and heard in her laughter. Her sense of family and tradition began with her own parents, her numerous siblings, and the family that she had built herself. Her relationship as a grandmother was an extension of her love for her own children. She spoiled them and was delighted in the sincere and special relationship she retained with each of them. Mickey was a magnificent host and was happiest when her kids were together. She also had "grandpets" and sat with them on many occasions.

At one time, along with her husband, she shared an affiliation with the Fort Schuyler American Legion Post #1290 as a member of its Auxiliary. She also

enjoyed the excitement of Bingo and the thrill of the casino. She was a parishioner of St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish where she found peace, safety, and guidance. She believed firmly in her Lord and trusted fervently in his word.

Margaret is survived by her children and their spouses, Michael J. Jr. and Christine Piacentino, Marie T. and Mike Sudol, and Joanna and David Musick; grandchildren, Kathryn, and Jonathan Piacentino; Erica Sudol and Jimmy, Matthew and Lindsay Sudol, and Patrick Sudol and Kristin; great-grandchildren, Roscoe, Wyatt, and Troy; Mason, and Madelyn, and the anticipation of a 6th great-grandchild, Sophie; and her sisters and brother-in-law, Theresa Hathaway, and Mary Jude and Al "Jay" Winn. She also leaves many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins; dear friend, Candie Collins; and Larry Felitto who was a second son to both Mickey and Mike. She was predeceased by her brother and sister-in-law, Anthony and Joan Leone; and family members of her late husband Mike.

The family extends their gratitude to Amanda Nelson/RN at the Gordon Unit of the Lutheran Residential Health Care & Rehabilitation Center. She was the epitome of excellence in ensuring that their mom was loved and cared for with respect and regard; and Alice Jones/Social Worker who went above and beyond their expectations. These health care givers sincerely believed in their calling and were referred to as "Saints" in the eyes of Mickey's family.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Margaret's funeral service and Celebration of Life which will commence on Tuesday, January 12, 2021 at 11:00 AM at St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish where her Mass of Christian Burial will be offered. Social distancing, registration for contact tracing, and a mask covering your nose and mouth will be required. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Mickey's name may be directed to St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish online at <https://www.mountcarmelblessedsacrament.com> or by mail to 648 Jay St., Utica, NY 13501 or to the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet by mail to 385 Watervliet-Shaker Rd., Latham, NY 12110. Interment will follow graveside at St. Agnes Cemetery.

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

Cemetery Details

St. Agnes Cemetery

601 Arthur Street
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 732-8588

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JAN 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary of Mount Carmel / Blessed Sacrament Parish
648 Jay St
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 735-1482

Tribute Wall

BK

“ I am so sad to hear of Mickey's passing. I will always cherish the 13 years she came to my pool classes. She always had the biggest smile, positive attitude and a contagious laugh. She always spoke so lovingly of her children and grandchildren. My condolences to Mickey's family.

Bethany Kleist - February 22, 2021 at 02:58 PM

SW

“ From the Wohlrab family our deepest sympathy.
Paula, Sue & Bill, Sharon and Juli

Sharon Wohlrab - January 11, 2021 at 10:10 AM

TC

“ TEVA Supply Chain purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mrs. Margaret A. "Mickey" (Leone) Piacentino.



TEVA Supply Chain - January 07, 2021 at 04:54 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mrs. Margaret A. "Mickey" (Leone) Piacentino.



January 04, 2021 at 11:23 AM

ES

“ To My little midget Michelina *Grandma * ,
We miss you so much , your silly phone calls, asking about the
weather , talking about the casinos, 'Epidemic' , photos I sent you ,
what a pain in the butt I was as a kid :)
I hope you and Grandpa are enjoying your time back together. I
know he missed you <3

Erica Sudol - January 04, 2021 at 09:32 AM

ER

And no cheating in rummy either !! :)

erica - January 04, 2021 at 08:28 PM

KV

“ *Mary Jude and Jay.*
So very sorry to hear of the loss of your sister. Please accept our
deepest sympathy.
Kathy and Butch Ventura

Kathy Ventura - January 03, 2021 at 09:34 PM

ST

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Stacey Thomas - January 03, 2021 at 09:43 AM

ST

“ Beautiful smile...Photo taken on 12/11/2020 ❤️



Stacey Thomas - January 03, 2021 at 09:36 AM

SD

This photo was taken on December 11,2020. Thank you to the staff person at Lutheran rehab who took it.

Sandra Darrow - January 03, 2021 at 09:53 AM

LN

To Mickey's family.

So very sorry for your loss. I extend my deepest sympathy, thoughts and prayers. She will be missed.

Lucy Nojaim

Lucy Nojaim - January 10, 2021 at 09:26 AM

SD

“ Sandra Darrow lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret A. "Mickey" (Leone) Piacentino



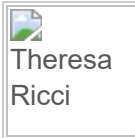
Sandra Darrow - January 03, 2021 at 06:15 AM



“ 19 files added to the album Memories Album



Marie Piacentino Sudol - January 02, 2021 at 03:21 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Mickey’s passing. I became friends with her at New Hartford Square. I visited her at Lutheran but with Covid 19, I hadn’t seen her since January. She had such a sharp mind for her age. I will miss her. RIP Mickey.

Theresa Ricci - January 02, 2021 at 01:09 PM



“ Whenever Mickey was in the vicinity, you knew it. Her laugh was contagious and she and I had a lot of them! She would come in my office at LH or we would visit by the elevator as she waited for a caregiver to ride up with her. We talked about our Italian heritage - a lot of our conversations centered around food - naturally! Although I retired a couple of years ago and moved out of state, I think of her often. My very deepest sympathy to her family and friends.

Sheila Vincent - January 02, 2021 at 12:00 PM



“ so sorry for the loss of Mickey. enjoyed getting to know her while she lived at New Hartford Senior Square. Barbara Green

Barbara Green - January 02, 2021 at 11:24 AM

CP

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Christine Piacentino - January 02, 2021 at 10:53 AM

JM

“ Joanna Piacentino Musick lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret A. "Mickey" (Leone) Piacentino



Joanna Piacentino Musick - January 02, 2021 at 07:53 AM

SB

Joanna,
I am sorry to hear about your Mom. Sue Saladino Barlow

Susan Saladino Barlow - January 10, 2021 at 08:17 AM

CP

“ Christine Piacentino lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret A. "Mickey" (Leone) Piacentino



Christine Piacentino - January 01, 2021 at 07:39 PM

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Christine Piacentino - January 01, 2021 at 07:37 PM

JM

“ 27 files added to the tribute wall



Joanna P Musick - January 01, 2021 at 03:08 PM



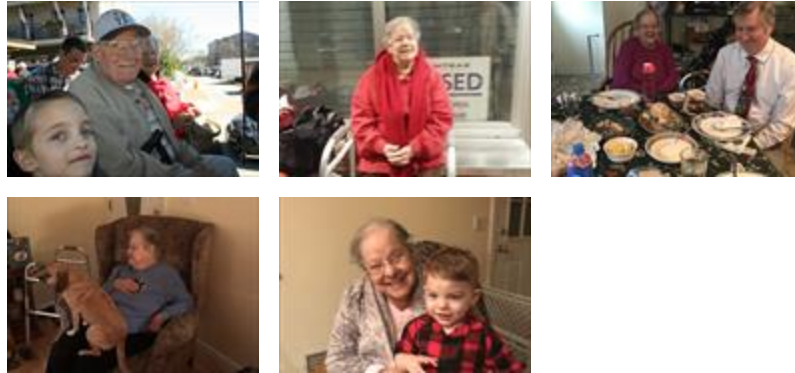
“ Marie Piacentino Sudol lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret A. "Mickey" (Leone) Piacentino



Marie Piacentino Sudol - January 01, 2021 at 08:39 AM

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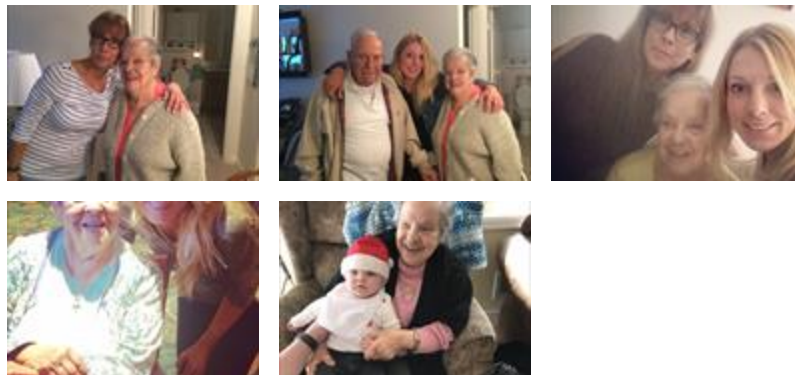
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Erica Sudol - December 30, 2020 at 10:24 PM

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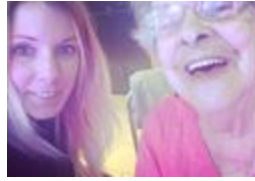
“ Endless photos of you and forever In my heart ! I really miss you



Erica Sudol - December 30, 2020 at 09:32 PM

ES

“ Miss you so much ♡♡



Erica Sudol - December 30, 2020 at 08:12 PM