



## Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo

May 12, 1934 - March 15, 2024

UTICA - Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo, age 89, passed away peacefully, surrounded by her loving family, on Friday, March 15, 2024.

Born in Utica on May 12, 1934, Marie was the daughter of the late Rosario and Theresa (Denarola) Cordo. She was a proud graduate of T.R. Proctor High School/Class of 1952.

Marie married her true love, Samuel M. "Joe" Milazzo, on June 18, 1955. Their love was apparent, and they were very devoted to one another and their family. Marie and Joe shared nearly 48 years together before his passing on April 30, 2003.

Marie held a position with Kayser Beauty Supply, the position from which she retired. Her main purpose in life, however, was her family; just being in their presence meant the world to her. Marie believed that family came first. She enjoyed being the matriarch. Up until the end, she worried about what they were going to eat, and who would be making the sauce and meatballs. She put the needs of others in front of her own time and again.

Marie was a treasure to all that knew her. She had a way about her of brightening your day and warming your heart. She was steadfast and strong in her convictions. She was a marvel at whatever task she set her mind to.

Marie loved arts and crafts, and was gifted in her ability to sew. She also enjoyed the excitement at the casino. She loved to go shopping and eagerly awaited Christmas decorating each year. Marie loved her monthly meetings with the “Club Girls” and outings with friends.

Marie was a member of St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church as well as St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Marie is survived by her children and their spouses, Joann and John A. Vetere, Theresa and Keith Kerwin, Regina and John Martello, and Joseph Milazzo; grandchildren, John A. Vetere, Jr., Joseph A. Vetere; Nicole and Andrew Methvin, Keith M. Kerwin; Olivia Martello, John V. Martello; and Francesca Milazzo; her siblings, Genevieve Venturino, and Michael and Judith Cordo; her many nieces, nephews, and godchildren; as well as friends too numerous to mention. She remembered fondly the family members who predeceased her, her brothers and sister-in-law, Francis and Vera Cordo, and Vincent Cordo; brother-in-law, Italo “Tim” Venturino; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Frank and Anna (Morreale) Milazzo; as well as in-laws, Millie Malorzo, and Angelo and Cecelia Milozzo.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Dr. Brian Chase for his care and wisdom; as well as to the second-floor staff of the Rehabilitation Department of the Sitrin Health Care Center.

Visitation will be held on Monday, March 25, 2024, from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Marie’s Mass of Christian Burial and Celebration of Life, which will commence on Tuesday, March 26, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish, 648 Jay St. 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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 25.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Eannace Funeral Home, Inc.  
932 South Street  
corner of Hammond Ave.  
Utica, NY 13501  
(315) 724-6714  
eannacefh@roadrunner.com  
<https://www.eannacefuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

**MAR 26.** 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament Parish  
648 Jay Street  
Utica, NY 13501  
(315) 735-1482  
<https://www.mountcarmelblessedsacrament.com/>

# Tribute Wall

LM

“ Our sincere condolences to your family. Our mother, Rose Milone loved seeing her Cousin Marie. Every visit gave our mother so much comfort, joy and laughter! Marie was truly a blessing for our mother! We are so grateful for Marie’s wonderful life!  
With love and prayers,  
Ralph, Linda, Andrew and Steven Milone



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Linda Milone - March 25, 2024 at 07:52 PM

GK

Our family referred to Marie as “ Little Marie”. We remember her as a vivacious and fun loving person. She would light up the room with her positivity and energy. Wishing her family peace and comfort during their grief.  
The family of Eleanor ( Anthony) Gagliardi

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Gayle Gagliardi Kowalchick - May 06, 2024 at 01:47 PM

LA

“ My deepest condolences to Marie’s family. She was such a sweet lady. Our paths crossed when my Mother was in the Rehabilitation Unit at Sitrin. Marie was always by the Main Desk and greeted us on our way in and out along with many memorable conversations. Rest in Peace, Sweet Marie!



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Lena Addison - March 25, 2024 at 02:33 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.



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March 24, 2024 at 08:25 PM



“ Marlene Cieslak & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.



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**Marlene Cieslak & Family** - March 24, 2024 at 06:14 PM



“ Marlene Cieslak & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.

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**Marlene Cieslak & Family** - March 24, 2024 at 06:14 PM



“ Ralph, Linda, Andrew, and Steven Milone planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.

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**Ralph, Linda, Andrew, and Steven Milone** - March 24, 2024 at 03:12 PM

TV

“ Timothy venturino purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.



Timothy venturino - March 24, 2024 at 11:53 AM

TV

“ Timothy venturino planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.

Timothy venturino - March 24, 2024 at 11:53 AM

GO

“ Joey and family So sorry to see that Marie has passed may she rest in peace



Gary T Ollerenshaw - March 23, 2024 at 02:47 PM

TV

“ Joanne, Joe, Theresa and Gina. My heart is filled with grief and sorrow but also gratitude to that I was a part of Marie's life. As you know she was more than an aunt to me. She is at Peace now with Uncle Joe. God Bless. Love Tim.



TIMOTHY VENTURINO - March 22, 2024 at 05:35 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.



March 22, 2024 at 04:05 PM



“ Cousins Michael and Dan Pandolf planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.

Cousins Michael and Dan Pandolf - March 22, 2024 at 04:05 PM



“ Theresa and family,  
My sincere condolences. Marie had a beautiful loving spirit that would light up the room. Great memories of all the good times hanging out at your house years ago. I will always remember Marie as a loving, kind, soul who was fun to be around and was welcoming to all. May God bless you and give you peace. 🙏❤️  
Karen Dragotto

Karen Dragotto - March 22, 2024 at 11:55 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.



March 22, 2024 at 11:36 AM




DM

“ Dario P. Monescalchi planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.

Dario P. Monescalchi - March 21, 2024 at 10:38 AM

BO

“ My condolences to the entire Milazzo family. Your mother was a sweetheart and great woman. After we moved to Mohawk St we would frequently see Marie. My mother and her would chat on the front porch. She was always smiling especially when she talked about her children. I can guarantee she is looking down with that same smile on her face at the family she raised. I bet Marie is chatting with Janice and my mother just like old times. May she RIP.  


Bob Ollerenshaw - March 21, 2024 at 09:09 AM

RS

Marie was a great Lady. Her laugh was contagious and her kindness overflowed. I hope she's with my Mom & the Club in Heaven laughing & having a good time again. May she RIP.

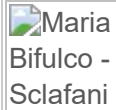
Rena' and Daniel Scharf - March 21, 2024 at 07:56 PM

DK

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

*The Kanyuk Family*

Denise Kanyuk - March 20, 2024 at 09:56 PM



“ *Please accept our deepest and most heartfelt condolences to all of your family.  
Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers.  
The Sclafani Family*

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**Maria Bifulco - Sclafani** - March 20, 2024 at 09:35 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.*



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March 20, 2024 at 05:38 PM



“ *Christy A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marie Felicia (Cordo) Milazzo.*

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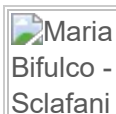
**Christy A.** - March 20, 2024 at 05:38 PM



“ *Joe, Gina and Family, I am so sorry for the loss of your Mom. My prayers are with each and everyone. May she rest in peace.*

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**Debbie Barbero** - March 20, 2024 at 03:45 PM



*Please accept our deepest and most heartfelt condolences to all of your family.  
Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers.  
The Sclafani Family*

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**Maria Bifulco - Sclafani** - March 20, 2024 at 09:27 PM



*Please accept our deepest and most heartfelt condolences to all of your family. Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers.  
The Sclafani family*

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**Maria Bifulco - Sclafani** - March 20, 2024 at 09:30 PM

WF

“ *Praying For The Family So Sorry Your Loss*



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**Workman Family** - March 20, 2024 at 03:19 PM