



Rose M. (Poissant) Hooks

July 5, 1942 - April 20, 2014

God wanted Mom tonight, on Easter Sunday, April 20, 2014.

Mrs. Rose M. (Poissant) Hooks, age 71, left this earth for Heaven at the St. Joseph Nursing Home with her loving family by her side, after a courageous battle with cancer.

Born in Fall River, Massachusetts on her mother's birthday, July 5, 1942, Rose was the daughter of the late Alderic and Yvonne (Desrosiers) Poissant. Raised and educated locally, she was a graduate of T.R. Proctor High School. On July 8, 1961 she married James Hook, Sr. with whom she shared 52 years.

For over 40 years, Rose held employment with the Utica City School District as a bus aide for special needs children, the position from which she retired. Rose was of the Catholic faith.

Rose is survived by her husband, James; her daughters and son-in-law, Karen A. and Donald K. Fleury, and Pam Hooks, all of Utica; her sons and daughter-in-law, James, Jr. and Kathy Hooks, and Duane Hooks of Utica; and her grandchildren, Stephanie Rose Fleury, and Ethan Hooks.

The family extends a special thank you to the 3rd Floor staff of the St. Joseph Nursing Home for the loving care, devotion, and concern given to Rose.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Rose's funeral service and Celebration of Life which will commence on Saturday afternoon at 2:00 at the chapel at St. Joseph Nursing Home where her Mass of Christian Burial will be offered by Father Abe Esper. Interment will take place in Mt. Olivet

Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

Whitesboro, NY

Tribute Wall

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“ *Betty DiNardo lit a candle in memory of Rose M. (Poissant) Hooks*



Betty DiNardo - April 25, 2014 at 04:56 PM

AP

“ *My sweet Rose who treated me like a daughter , I will miss you so much , Jim , Karen , Donnie , Stephanie , Pam and family , I'm very sorry for your loss. I love you all ! God bless you . Love , Angelina Papa and family .*

Angelina Papa - April 23, 2014 at 06:04 PM

JS

“ *Karen don & steph, I am so sorry for your loss. Karen you will always be a mom to me. You have had so much to endure and you are an amazing woman. I love you guys. If you need me I'm here my prayers and thoughts go out to all of you love Jaime*

jaime sherwood - April 23, 2014 at 01:30 PM

KF

“ *Im sending my prayers , To the family of karen & Donnie .We will always be family , You are the most wonderful people we know. God Bless you Rose . Love you all ! Judy Papa*

karen fleury - April 23, 2014 at 12:21 PM

PW

“ So sorry for your loss.,



patty williams - April 23, 2014 at 10:30 AM

CK

“ Our prayer's and thoughts are with you and your family. with deepest sympathy, Cecile Kupiec and family.



Cecile Kupiec - April 22, 2014 at 06:21 PM

CK

“ Cecile Kupiec lit a candle in memory of Rose M. (Poissant) Hooks



Cecile Kupiec - April 22, 2014 at 06:18 PM

JS

“ My friend Rose Hooks, may you always rest in peace. I have a lot of memories to remember of you and your family. Jim and family you will always be in my heart and prayers..Rose I will miss you ..

Jackie Seymour - April 22, 2014 at 03:01 PM

KF

Dear Jackie . Its karen and I just want to say myself and my family send our thank you for your condolences on mom passing .mom you and my dad and all of us had so much fun and gd times .we always talked about the memories we had when we all got together .those kind of memories stay with us forever .my parents enjoyed the gd times with you and your family .mom was a trooper she fought till the end with her cancer .she entailed 4surgeries 6biopsies went rapid response twice She had to get 2nephrostomy tubes in each kidney .she was inthe hospital for 24 days .she was in icu ccu .I was with her through it all .she was never alone .; (; (; (then I had her go to the nrsg home.it was just suppose to b for rehab .then when we were told that her cancer was back and terminal that she was to ill forchemo and radiation this time .; (; (; (it was in all of her pelvic area her kidneys her liver .and the wknd before easter it travel to her brain .; (; (; (I never met and never will forget this battle that my mom bravely and courageously fought with all her being .she's my best friend and she is now and always will b with me everywhere I go and everything I do !!!!! ; (; (; (im very thankful that my parents had gd times with gd people .we love you and deeply and your in our thoughts and prayers .karen and family ; (; (; (

karen fleury - April 23, 2014 at 10:19 AM

RS

“ My prayers and thoughts go out to Jim and his family..Rose was a nice sweet kind lady who was loved by all that new..she will be truly missed by all that new her may she rest in peace



Robbie Seymour - April 22, 2014 at 02:36 PM

CK

Our prayer's and thoughts are with you and your family. with deepest sympathy, Cecile Kupiec and family.

Cecile Kupiec - April 22, 2014 at 06:16 PM