



Theresa Rose (Indiveri) Puleo

March 15, 1916 - August 16, 2006

Mrs. Theresa Rose (Indiveri) Puleo, affectionately referred to by loved ones as “mema”, age 90, of Newport, NY, passed away on Wednesday, August 16, 2006, at the St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Born in Utica on March 15, 1916, she was the daughter of the late Vito and Victoria Indiveri. On September 24, 1938, she married the love of her life, Philip A. Puleo, and together they cherished their union until his passing in 1975.

Theresa was a unique woman, blessed with an inner strength and a plentitude of life experiences. She possessed a respectful nature and was treated with high regard by those who loved her. She was a good listener and was always ready to lend a hand. Theresa touched so many lives, and brought so much laughter to all that she will be deeply missed by all those who loved her.

She was a talented musician, gifted in playing many musical instruments. She was also gifted with a love and appreciation of the beauty of nature and of animals and creatures both great and small. This love she passed on to her granddaughter, Heidi.

“Memories are windows that hold the past in view

Through them we can see again each joy we ever knew.”

Theresa is survived by her beloved daughter and son-in-law, Marilyn and M. Richard “Dick” Wester, with whom she resided. She cherished Richard as a son. She also leaves her adored grandchildren, Heidi Victoria Wester and Donald Brett Wester, and his children, Kirstie Ann and Timothy Brett Wester;

her extended family members, William and Sally Wester and their children. Also surviving are her Godchildren, especially acknowledging Donna Recchio; her nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, and cousin, Ann Amarosa. In addition, she leaves her in-laws, Martha and Sam Deliberto; her best friend, Elinor Curri; and Annette Wilcox and Barbara Yerdon, whom she considered as daughters; and Robin Hellinger whom she considered as a granddaughter.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend a memorial gathering on Saturday from 9:15-10:15 at St. Anthony of Padua Church. Mrs. Puleo's Mass of Christian Burial will commence at 10:30 at the conclusion of visitation. Interment will take place in Calvary Cemetery.

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

"Words alone could never express the beauty of her life. She was one of a kind. There will never be another."

Tribute Wall



“ Marilyn, I have been trying to find you for years now. I think of you and your wonderful family so often. I was motivated today because I think it might be your birthday. If so Happy Birthday!
Please get in touch if you see this. I'm living in Saratoga Springs, NY. 718-310-7779.
Dawn Ulrich

Dawn iUlrich - November 02, 2024 at 10:36 AM



“ Aunt Terry was one of my most favorite Aunts. She had such a great sense of humor. I remember her stories about how she would sit in the closet during thunder storms and about her great love for Mickey Mouse. I am so glad my new wife was able to meet her and that we were able to visit with her last time we were home from Florida.

Marilyn, Dick and Heidi I am so sorry to hear about her passing, she was such a wonderful person.

Love,

Michael Scalise##imported-begin##Michael Scalise##imported-end##

August 21, 2006 at 05:12 PM



“ I am so sorry about mom, but she had a wonderful life.##imported-begin##Lynne Swartz##imported-end##

August 21, 2006 at 09:17 AM



“ Dear Marilyn and Family, My thoughts are with you on the passing of your mother. It was so long ago that I remember what wonderful women she was, always friendly and very kind.##imported-begin##Bruce Evans##imported-end##

August 20, 2006 at 09:32 PM



“ marilyn, dick and heidi: i was so sorry to hear that mom had passed. she was a special and dear lady who was loved by everyone who met her. you always treated her with such love and dignity that you have nothing to regret. sorry i was away on vacation and did not get back till this morning otherwise i would have come to the services. my prayers are with you and now she is rejoined with her beloved phil.##imported-begin##mary ellen belmont arcuri##imported-end##

August 20, 2006 at 12:53 PM



“ Marilyn,
I am so sorry for your loss. My mother always enjoyed her visits and phone chats. Now they can remanisse in person again. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Angela##imported-begin##Angela Scafidi Dziezynski (Anna's daughter)##imported-end##

August 18, 2006 at 03:55 PM



“ I will cherish always my childhood memories of all of the great times we had at White Lake- I will miss your warm smile and your stories about my Grandparents and Mom and Uncle Nick-and of course Uncle Nick's home movies of camp-especially Philly sleeping with the hole in his sock! Terry, you and your family have truly been great friends to my family and you will be sadly missed. When you get to heaven, say hi to Mom for me- she's waiting there with some black pepper cookies...Love, Flo DeSimone and family##imported-begin##Flo DeSimone##imported-end##

August 18, 2006 at 09:54 AM



“ Please accept my sympathy. Aunt Terry was such a lovely, warm lady and surely will be missed by everyone.##imported-begin##Veda Candeloro##imported-end##

August 18, 2006 at 07:38 AM