



Rosemary Poulos

May 4, 1930 - March 5, 2025

Sadly, our beloved, Rosemary Mercurio Poulos, 94, of Sterling Heights, MI, passed away on March 5, 2025. Rosemary was born in Detroit, MI on May 4, 1930, to Amelia and Joseph Mercurio. A devout Catholic, she attended and graduated from St. Vincent De Paul High School with high honors. She dedicated her early years to nurturing her five children and later pursued a fulfilling second career as a restaurateur. In retirement, Rosemary remained active by volunteering and distributing communion at her home parish of St. Lawrence and she treasured moments spent with family and friends. She was predeceased by her parents, Amelia and Joseph Mercurio; brothers, Jack and Michael Mercurio; and husbands, Robert Walsh and George Poulos. She is survived by her loving children: daughters, Susan Winslow (husband Rich), Marianne Walsh and Juli Rossi; sons, Robert and David Walsh; grandchildren, Christopher Bratton (wife Kristin), Nicholas Bratton (wife Jane), Jennifer Bratton, Joshua Bratton (wife Andrea), Lauren Girard (husband Will) and Sara Molloy; and her great-grandchildren Nathaniel, Lillian, Benjamin and Ava Bratton and Amelia Girard.

Rosemary's courageous, kind, loving and humorous spirit leaves an unforgettable mark on all who were lucky to have known her, and her loss will be felt deeply. Her memory will continue to inspire strength, resilience and generosity in those whose lives she touched. As we bid farewell, we find comfort in envisioning her "swinging on a star", a melody that brought her joy and now symbolizes her eternal peace.

A memorial service will be held at St. Lawrence Church- 44633 Utica Road, Utica, Michigan. Thursday March 20, 2025, at 10:00am. Visitation will be 9:30am until time of service.

Arrangements in care of Jowett Funeral Home- New Haven.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

MAR 20. 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church
44633 Utica Road
Utica, MI

Memorial Mass

MAR 20. 10:00 AM (ET)

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