



Rita Agnes Calliari

November 5, 1925 - February 20, 2020

NIAGARA- Rita Agnes Calliari age 94, of Niagara, finished her journey and went to be with the Lord on Thursday, February 20, 2020 at Maryhill Manor, with family at her side.

She was born on November 5, 1925 in Kingsford, the daughter of the late Herman and Lillie (Burke) Thibault.

Rita married Frank Calliari on June 12, 1943 in Kingsford. He preceded her in death on July 11, 2009.

Rita truly enjoyed life. She was a lively spirit and a devoted wife and mother. She was kind, generous and would help anyone in need. She enjoyed music, cooking, reading and mostly time with her family, which were her greatest treasures.

Rita is survived by her children Clement (Mary) Calliari of Tampa, Fla., William Calliari of Colorado, Dawn (Charles) Rompalski of Vulcan, and Roberta (Todd) Tarlton of Rosebush, Mich.; grandchildren, Jeffery (Elaine), Michael (Bianca), Andrew (Crystal), Sarah, Jennifer-Joy, Samantha, Katy, and Amanda; great-grandchildren, Isaiah, Audra, Isabel, Austin, Olivia, Taylor, Savannah and Eli; many nieces, nephews, friends, and extended family.

She was preceded in death by one infant son, David Frances; brothers Clement, John and Raymond Thibault; sisters Clarabell Vigo and Antoinette Markosen.

Visitation will be held on Friday, February 28 from 9 – 10:30 a.m. at St. Barbara's Church in Vulcan.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Friday, February 28 at 10:30 a.m. at St. Barbara's Church with Fr. Timothy Ekaitis, presiding.

Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 28. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Barbara's Church
159 Mission Street
Vulcan, MI 49892

Mass of Christian Burial

FEB 28. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *My mom, was a kind and loving person. She was strong-willed, independent, and spoke her mind. She could also be soft and gentle. If anyone needed help, she was willing. She got sweeter the older she got. Always love you mom ... your son, Bill.* ”

Bill Calliari - May 03, 2023 at 05:21 AM

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“ *Hi mom. The older you got, the sweeter you became. I will always love you, Bill.* ”

Bill - January 22, 2023 at 07:17 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Rita Agnes Calliari.* ”



February 27, 2020 at 09:33 AM