



Mary Waldis

August 14, 1910 - September 5, 2013

(nee Kwiatkowski) Age 103, died Sept 5,2013. Born August 14, 1910 in Jersey City, New Jersey to Ladislaus and Stephania Kwiatkowski. Wife of the late Joseph. Loving mother of Dolores (Robert) Schwagle , Gerald (Nancy) Waldis, and predeceased by her 2 children, Richard Waldis and Mary Ann Watson. Mother- in -law to Ann Waldis and Richard Watson. Dear sister of Katie Mazur and predeceased by her siblings Jessie Pociask, Stanley Kwiatkowski, Bernice Pokladek and Vickie Pitcher. Beloved grandmother to 16 Grandchildren, 26 Great-grandchildren, and 2 Great- great- grandchildren. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Visitation at Rudy Funeral Home 25650 Van Dyke, Center Line Sunday September 8,2013 1-8 PM with 6:30 PM rosary. Instate Monday 9:30 AM at St Clement Catholic Church site 25320 Van Dyke for 10 AM Mass. Burial Mt Olivet Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

LK

“ I will always remember Grandma as being so nice, loving and kind to everyone. She always had lots of good food (and numerous cousins!) at her house and she was always encouraging me to "eat, eat!"

My favorite memory of Grandma is when I told her I got engaged to Eric and she told me "it's about time you got married and settled down" (I was the ripe old age of 25 at the time). Then she turned to my older brother Albert and told him "there is no hurry for you to settle down. Just enjoy being single!". It was too funny.

I miss Grandma already but it is so nice to know she lived such a good, long life and was the matriarch to our whole family. God Bless Grandma.

Lorraine

Lorraine Kollman - September 07, 2013 at 09:57 PM

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Cathy Ruber - September 07, 2013 at 04:26 PM

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“ *Cathy Ruber lit a candle in memory of Mary Waldis*



Cathy Ruber - September 07, 2013 at 04:24 PM

WR

“ *I 1st met grandma Waldis on Christmas eve in I think 1975, at her home I was dating her granddaughter Cathy. I dont think she knew I was going to be there, but she got a card placing \$ 5.00 so I would not be left out. A simple act of kindness I still remember today from one of the most kind people I have known ,she was a blessing for 103yrs*

william ruber - September 07, 2013 at 01:26 PM

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“ *I remember Grandma always making me feel special and a part of the family despite the limited visits since we lived out of state as a kid. She had a gift for making people feel welcomed and important in her presence. I miss her!*

lori - September 06, 2013 at 09:18 PM

GM

“ I first met Grandma Waldis in 1974 when I started dating my future wife, Mary's grand-daughter Jan and from that first meeting she treated me like I was family already. She reminded me so much of my great-grandmother. Every time we came home on leave to visit, or when she came to visit us at our assignments she treated us with so much love and respect. I will miss her greatly but find comfort in the fact that she is at peace and with her family that has gone on before her. I know she is looking down on us and will look out for us. Grandma Waldis you are truly loved and missed, and thank you for your love.

Gene M

Gene Malymeik - September 06, 2013 at 07:25 PM

MG

“ I was named after Mary, my great grandma and will always treasure that. We found her birth certificate some time ago and her real original name was Mariana, which is also beautiful. I remember her kindness and despite the large number of great grand children in her life age she always knew my birthday and sent me a card with money. She was kind and caring and I'm thankful for her 103 years of life.

mary guzylak - September 06, 2013 at 07:25 PM

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“ My memories of grandma are that she was always soft spoken, never raised her voice, I remember her house on Dorothy and all the family gatherings there when I was a girl. She always put out a spread on her dining room table. There was alot of talking and laughter as we spread out in the living room, dining room and kitchen. It was a small house but a house filled with love. She was respected by everyone. I remember how my dad cared for her and listened to her even when he wouldn't listen to anyone else. She was a saint. I love you grandma, and I am glad you are finally at peace.

Barbara Zablocki (Waldis) - September 06, 2013 at 06:19 AM

CF

Auntie Mary always recognized me no matter where I saw her later in life. I was always amazed at that. I can hear her voice calling out to me "Christine, it is so good to see you" and then she would share something about Mom and how I looked like her. I am sure they are visiting in heaven surrounded by God's love. Auntie Mary had a way about her that you respected as she could be firm but so loving and caring at the same time. I know that she holds a very special place in my heart. I can only hope that I can be like her to my nieces and nephews.

Christine S Finkbeiner - September 06, 2013 at 10:22 AM

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Grandma always had the candy dish full when we came to visit. As a child, this was the ultimate! She was always positive minded and loved having her home filled with family and food. She worked hard, she prayed hard, she loved hard. :) I love you Grandma and it feels good to know you are with God and your loved ones in heaven.

Cathy Ruber

Cathy Ruber - September 06, 2013 at 06:51 PM