



Elvira D'Amico

December 28, 1913 - November 26, 2012

Elvira D'Amico, 98, passed away peacefully on November 26, 2012, at CareOne at Wall. Elvira was born on December 28, 1913, in Brooklyn, New York, to the late Frances and Gaspare Caravello. John D'Amico, her loving husband of 34 years, and her five sisters and three brothers predeceased her. She spent most of her adult life in Little Silver and Eatontown as a homemaker. A loving mother, grandmother and great grandmother, she was an extraordinary cook, matriarch of her extensive coterie of nieces and nephews, and an intelligent and warm companion to her many friends. She was active in the Oceanport, Eatontown and Mt. Carmel Senior Citizens clubs. A lifelong Democrat, she was born when Woodrow Wilson was president, and she eagerly voted for President Obama this November. She enjoyed campaigning for her son, retired Superior Court Judge John D'Amico, Jr., who has served as a Monmouth County Freeholder, State Senator, and Oceanport Borough Councilman. An excellent seamstress, she sold many of her exquisite dresses and other creations at the various Cottage Crafts shows presented by her daughter Anita Means. She also loved attending bluegrass performances featuring her son Victor D'Amico.

She is survived by her son John, his wife Sandra Vaccarelli D'Amico, her daughter Anita, her husband J. Thomas Means, her son Victor D'Amico, and his wife Rekha D'Amico. She is also survived by her grandchildren Kimberly D'Amico Dalton, Gina Reid, Tommy Means and his wife Aimee, Nisha D'Amico, and Priya D'Amico, as well as her great-grandchildren Sean Reid,

Michael Reid and Jude Means.

Visitation will be Friday, November 30, from 2-4 and 7-9 at the Bongarzone Funeral Home, 2400 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls, NJ. There will be a blessing held at funeral home on Saturday, December 1, at 10 AM. Interment will follow at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Middletown.

Cemetery Details

Mount Olivet Cemetery

Chapel Hill Road
Middletown, NJ

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 30. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Bongarzone Funeral Home
2400 Shafto Road
Tinton Falls, NJ

Visitation

NOV 30. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LS

“ Dear Anita and Tom, Tommy and Gina,

I am so sorry to hear about Vira's passing. She had a wonderful, full life, surrounded by much love, warmth and family. While I only had the opportunity to meet her several times, I will always remember how lovely she was. Her extended family was certainly so lucky to have her in their lives for such a long, long time. May the sorrow you feel now be softened by all your memories of her presence and grace.

Lisa Singer

Lisa Singer - December 04, 2012 at 07:08 AM

FC

“ Dear Anita and family,

Seeing the notice in the paper brought back happy memories of our craft co-op days. I remember your kind and caring mother, such a lovely woman. My thoughts are with you.

Fran Camoosa

Fran Camoosa - December 01, 2012 at 01:16 PM

SC

“ To Elvira's family, our deepest sympathy. I remember all the wonderful times we shared both on Woodbine Avenue and later years, as we all grew older. I always will remember her smile and hear her laughter. Jim and I send love to all of you... Anita, Tom, John, Sandy, Victor and Rekha and your families. She was a sweet lady and a loving mother. How wonderful to have had her in your life for so many years.

Much love,

Sandi Dull Caldwell & Jim

Sandi Caldwell - November 29, 2012 at 06:55 PM

MM

“ Dear John and Sandy, My deepest sympathy. What a wonderful mother and all round good person she was for everyone. My prayers are with you.

Marilyn Maguire - November 29, 2012 at 03:40 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Elvira D'Amico.



November 29, 2012 at 10:36 AM

CD

“ *My Beautiful Lovely Great Aunt Elvira I wil miss you so very much...when i got see you and kiss you it was like seeing my grandma your sister again. You were the meaning of the word Class and I will always admire your beauty and intelligence. You will be in my heart forever..May Angels guide you home to be with our Lord and May You Always Rest In Peace and Happiness. Your Loving Great Niece Clista*

Clista Doyle - November 28, 2012 at 02:54 PM

PD

My deepest condolenses on your loss. Unfortunately I can not attend but my thoughts & prayers are with you. Paul Dupree

Paul Dupree - November 29, 2012 at 03:26 PM