



Maria Bongarzone Froio

July 29, 1915 - May 5, 2011

Maria Bongarzone Froio, 95, of Long Branch, passed away on Thursday May 6, 2011 at St Barnabas Hospice and Palliative Care Center @ Monmouth Medical Center, Long Branch. Born in Vallefiorita, Italy, she has been a resident of Long Branch since 1960. She was a Seamstress working for various companies in the Long Branch for 40 years before retiring in 1987. Prior to coming to the United States in 1960 she owned and managed a vineyard and olive oil company in Italy. Maria volunteered at Monmouth Medical Center and was a parishioner of Holy Trinity Christ the King Parrish. She enjoyed working in her vegetable garden for many years; it was her pride and joy.

She was predeceased by her husband Giuseppe Froio in 1987, a sister; Elisabetta Magisano. Surviving are three daughters; Rosa Froio, Toni Froio and Lena Maimone-Higgins, nine grandchildren; Walter Sestito, Claudio Sestito and Maria Luciana Terriaca , Sergio Francavilla, Lillian Givens, Luisa Francavilla, Deanna Riley, Stefanie Hicks and Giovanna Maimone-Clark, She is also survived by 11 great grandchildren, two brothers; Rocco Bongarzone and Tony Bongarzone, a sister; Angela Catricala.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Bongarzone Funeral Home
2400 Shafto Road
Tinton Falls, NJ

Visitation

MAY 9. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

MAY 10. 10:00 AM (ET)

Holy Trinity Church
408 Prospect Street
Long Branch, NJ

Tribute Wall



“ Toni,
*I just read about your Mother's passing and our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your children.
May she rest in peace, remembered in love by her entire9
family.##imported-begin##Terry & Jimmy Eirich##imported-end##*

May 09, 2011 at 10:59 AM



“ Leana & Lowell and your familys, sorry
*we could not be with you.
Had meet your mom on several wonderful times. Kind lady.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Georgia & Andy##imported-begin##Georgia & Andrew
Murray##imported-end##*

May 09, 2011 at 10:26 AM



“ *Alla mia carissima mamma:
ti ho seguito nella tua sofferenza e ho cercato di portarti del
conforto.
Spero che adesso sarai in un posto dove non esiste piu' sofferenza
ma solo tranquillita' e pace. Mi mancherai tantissimo. Tua figlia
Toni##imported-begin##Toni Froio##imported-end##*

May 08, 2011 at 02:10 PM



“ Nonna:

Mi mancherai infinitamente. Mi ricordero's sempre i momenti che abbiamo passato assieme: da quando siamo venuti a vivere qui, alle giornate cucinando assieme in famiglia. Trovo conforto nel sapere che non soffrirai piu'. A presto mia carissima nonna. Con tantissimo affetto, Lilla##imported-begin##Lillian Francavilla-Given##imported-end##

May 08, 2011 at 08:37 AM