



Elizabeth (Elisa) Queirolo

December 20, 1928 - December 31, 2022

Germantown - Elizabeth Queirolo, 94, passed away peacefully on December 31st.

Betta, as she was affectionately called, was born in Barbarasco, Italy on December 20, 1928, to Antonio and Angela Cuneo, and grew up in Calvari. She completed upper secondary school and studied to be an educator. Elizabeth emigrated to the United States. Soon after, she returned to Italy to marry the love of her life, Francesco Queirolo and was happily married for fifty-seven years until his death in 2010.

Elizabeth and Francesco settled in Long Island, NY and lived there together for nearly twenty-five years while raising their three children. Elizabeth was employed by the Long Island School District 2 for nearly twenty years. They moved to Clermont, NY in 1989 upon retirement and spent the next thirty-one years enjoying their country home. Elizabeth and Francesco shared their love of gardening, the outdoors, faith and family.

Elizabeth's Catholic faith was very important to her. She was a devoted attendee of weekend masses. Elizabeth was a beacon of light- her devotion and love of God was emulated in her untiring generosity. She shared stories of the valuables donated after the war, the neighborhood kids who would come to lunch in Floral Park and she could never leave an empty donation

envelope. She was an accomplished seamstress and excellent cook. She loved to share her culinary delights with everyone. Elizabeth also enjoyed tending to her garden, singing, drawing and sharing childhood memories of growing up in Italy as well as her early life in the United States. The grandkids could always count on her to prepare THE. BEST. LUNCH. Highlights at Sunday Lunch included the kids table, ginger ale and indulging in Breyers Ice Cream or picking a sweet treat out of her cookie tin.

Elizabeth is survived by her brother, Pietro Cuneo, of Greentown, PA. She is predeceased by her sisters, Rosa Zavatteri and Giuseppina Torre. She was the devoted mother to Roberto Queirolo and his wife Paula of Germantown, NY, her son Alberto Queirolo and his wife Donna D'Amore of East Patchogue, NY, and her son Marco Queirolo and his wife Carol of Elmont, NY. She was the cherished Nonna of eight grandchildren: Francesco, Marisa and husband Harry, Elisa and husband Jeff, Steven and wife Victoria, Jacquelyn and husband Justin, Rosalba and husband Patrick, Justin and husband Daniel, and Robert. Elizabeth was Bisnonna to seven great-grandchildren residing in New York and New Jersey.

A funeral Mass will be offered at 10:00 AM at Church of the Resurrection, Germantown. 9 Church Avenue, Germantown. Interment to follow at Nativity Church Cemetery, County Route 31 + County Route 10, Linlithgo.

Repast will be at Savona's Trattoria, 7249 South Broadway, Red Hook, from 12:00 - 4:00 PM.

Floral Tributes may be delivered to Bates & Anderson Funeral Home, 110 Green Street, Hudson, NY 12534. . In lieu of flowers and in honor of Elizabeth's generous spirit, donations may be made to a charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 5. 10:00 AM (ET)

Resurrection Church
Germantown, NY

Tribute Wall

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“ I had been in Mrs. Q's company a number of times over the years that I have known her beloved Robert and Paula. She always had a smile and a mischievous twinkle in her eye. My husband Keith loved Mr. and Mrs. Q's garden and their shared Italian roots. What a gift that we were invited to a gathering at Paula and Robert's in May and that we got to share a wonderful meal and have a sweet last visit with her. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. May you find peace and comfort in knowing you took amazingly good care of her, and may you find solace in the arms of the extraordinary family she helped to create.

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