



Eufrasia Federici Billie

March 3, 1919 - September 10, 2018

Eufrasia Federici BILLIE, age 99, of Hobart, passed away peacefully at home on September 10, 2018. She was born in Basanello, Italy, on March 3, 1919, the daughter of Giacomo and Antonina (Staffieri) Federici. She immigrated to the United States in 1927, with her family, and settled in Scottsdale, PA, where she attended school. Her family then moved to Gary, IN, where she lived most of her life. Eufrasia married and had a son, Thomas. She retired from the Assorting Room, Gary Sheet and Tin Mill, and subsequently worked at St. Mary's Mercy Hospital, Gainer Bank, and Lake County Library, while raising her son.

A life-long and devout parishioner of Holy Angels Cathedral, she was loved by all who had the good fortune to know her. Eufrasia was also a Pink Lady at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, as well as a member of the Sons and Daughters of Italy, Dante Alighieri Lodge. An excellent calligrapher, her handwriting was admired by all who were fortunate enough to receive or see it.

Eufrasia was preceded in death by her parents-Giacomo and Antonina Federici; brother-Col. Anthony Federici. She is survived by her beloved son-Dr. Thomas Bellino; loving granddaughters-Elizabeth Bellino M.D. (Peter Towns, M.D.), of New Orleans, LA, and Caroline Bellino Marvel (Hynson H. Marvel III), of Richmond, VA.; great grandchildren-Hynson IV, Henry, Caroline, and Hughes; special niece-Gina (Warren) Delano; nephews-Ronald Federici, and Richard Burke.

Visitation for Eufrasia will be Friday, October 12, 2018, from 3-7:00 p.m. at

Burns Funeral Home, 701 East 7th Street, Hobart. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Saturday, October 13, 2018, at 9:30 a.m., DIRECTLY at the Salvatorian Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, 5755 Pennsylvania Street, Merrillville, IN. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to St. Jude Children's Hospital. www.burnsfuneral.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **12.** 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home - Hobart
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Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **13.** 9:30 AM.

Our Lady of Czestochowa
5755 Pennsylvania Street
Merrillville, IN

Tribute Wall

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“ *My Godmother Frasia was the kindest woman you could ever meet. She had a voice that sounded so caring and sincere. My mother and Frasia were good friends and I was lucky enough to be her Godson. Thank you Frasia and Tom for Baptizing me. I will always remember the kind words and times together. I will also never forget in the sixties coming by the house in Gary and was just amazed at the size of that console color television. Will never forget my Godmother. Love You Frasia. Joe Maggio / Joey Kim, Joseph, Kara & Julia*

Joe Maggio - October 11, 2018 at 10:29 PM