



Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros

November 28, 1939 - November 30, 2023

Florence Marie Fatouros, 84, of Crown Point, IN, passed away peacefully in the early morning on November 30, 2023.

Florence (Flo) was born in Gary, IN, in 1939 to Howard and Florence (nee Swalwell) Haynes. Flo entered the workforce at a young age and held many different jobs throughout her life. She had the most personal ties to VFW Post 909 in Aetna, IN. She was a bartender, cook and 'everything else in between', as well as the treasurer of the Ladies Auxiliary. Flo forged many lifelong friendships at Post 909 and made countless memories over the years that she cherished for the rest of her life. But if you asked her, the work she loved best was being a loving mom, grandma, and caregiver. She will always be remembered for her optimism, steadfastness, and sense of humor. Always the life of the party, Flo had a knack for making everyone laugh and feel good. She loved 50's music, Big Band, naughty limericks, dancing, and had a plethora of funny sayings that her loved ones will always remember: "If it ain't brown, it don't go down" (alluding to her love of Pepsi and Hershey chocolate

bars). We couldn't have asked for a better mom and will miss Flo every day. Her memory will live on in the hearts of all those who loved her and we're thankful for the life, laughter, and fun we shared together.

Flo is survived by four children Gerald (Kimberly) Stypula, Daniel (Debbie) Stypula, Cynthia (Konstantinos) Petsalis, and Peter (Karen) Fatouros; one sibling Linda Sims (nee Haynes); seven grandchildren, three great-grandchildren (with one on the way) and many nieces and nephews. Flo was preceded in death by her husband, William Fatouros, daughter Patricia Stypula, parents Howard and Florence Haynes, brothers Richard, Patrick, and Henry Haynes, and sister Elizabeth Grimes (nee Haynes).

Visitation will be held Monday, December 4, 2023 from 4-8 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. The funeral will take place Tuesday, December 5, 2023 at Burns, Crown Point at 10 a.m. Interment Ridgelawn Cemetery. www.burnsfuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Ridgelawn Cemetery

4401 Broadway
Gary, IN 46408

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 4. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - Crown Point
10101 Broadway
Crown Point, IN 46307
(219) 769-0044
info@burnsfuneral.com
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Funeral Service

DEC 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.



December 04, 2023 at 10:00 AM



“ Scot & Lisa Sawa &Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.



Scot & Lisa Sawa &Family - December 04, 2023 at 09:06 AM



“ John and Jamey Poulos and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.



John and Jamey Poulos and Family - December 03, 2023 at 05:02 PM



“ John and Jamey Poulos and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.

John and Jamey Poulos and Family - December 03, 2023 at 05:02 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.*



December 03, 2023 at 04:55 PM



“ *I bet Flo & Bill are meeting up with my folks (Betty & Ray) and having a drink for old time's sake!*

Rita McConnachie - December 02, 2023 at 07:13 PM



“ *Your Son Jerry and his Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.*



Your Son Jerry and his Family - December 02, 2023 at 11:05 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.*



December 02, 2023 at 05:53 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.*



December 01, 2023 at 09:27 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.*



December 01, 2023 at 04:20 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.*



December 01, 2023 at 04:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.*



December 01, 2023 at 03:07 PM

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“ Theresa and Ryan Kowalski planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Florence "Flo" Marie Fatouros.

Theresa and Ryan Kowalski - December 01, 2023 at 03:07 PM