



## Isabella Marta Cicco

April 15, 1930 - January 15, 2011

Isabella “Marta” Cicco, age 80 of Crown Point, formerly of San Mango D’Aquino, Italy, passed away peacefully in her home on January 15, 2011. She was co-founder of John Cicco’s Menswear (1952). Marta was a loving wife, mother, grandmother (Nonna) and great-grandmother. She was a member of Our Lady of Consolation. Marta’s interests included her selfless devotion to family, her passion for cooking, gardening and her special gift of love to all of her customers who affectionately referred to her as “Mom” or “Mama Cicco”. She took great pride in her meticulous measurements and enjoyed interacting and giving impromptu Italian lessons to her favorite customers. Marta and John enjoyed traveling the U. S. and abroad with family and friends. She will always be remembered for her embracing smile and loving nature. Marta enjoyed attending the Northwest Indiana Symphony with her family and supported many other local charities and organizations including Lakeshore Public Television and radio, Rotary, American Red Cross, American Cancer Society, Parkinson’s, and the Indiana Sports Charities for Cancer Research. She was preceded in death by her parents, Carmene Fedele and Teresa Tomaino Spinelli; son, John Cicco, Jr.; granddaughter, MaryAnn Marta Popp; sisters, Annina Sacco and Frances Lia. Marta is survived by her loving husband of 62 years, John Cicco; son, Fred (Maryanne) of Valparaiso; daughters – Theresa Cicco of Merrillville and Tina (Brian) Popp of Valparaiso; granddaughters - Gloria Irwin of Schererville, Crissy (Kevin) Mulroy of Brooklyn, NY and grandson – Angelo (Kelly) Cicco of

Whiting; step-grandson, Ryan (Sarah) Exley and great-grandchildren, Gina, Johnny, & Violet; numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral service Thursday, January 20, 2011 beginning at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point at 9 a.m. and proceeding to Our Lady of Consolation, 8303 Taft St., Merrillville for a Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m.

Rev. Peter Muha and Rev. Joseph Vamos concelebrating. Interment in Calumet Park Cemetery, Merrillville. Visitation Wednesday from 2-8 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, Crown Point. Prayer service Weds. at 2 p.m.

Contributions may be made to Hospice of the Calumet Area or Our Lady of Consolation Church. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com).

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“ Please accept my deepest sympathies for your loss. The lost of a love one is the most painful experience we have in life. There is a void that cannot be filled. Rest assured the Bible promises we will hold them again and enjoy their smiling faces forever. It is God\’s purpose that no one dies ever again and everyone live on earth in Paradise. God never wanted anyone to die but to live happy healthy lives forever on earth. We have to exercise faith in his Son, Jesus Christ, to gain these blessings. God gives us his Word so we can gain comfort now and have hope for the future.##imported-begin##MARQUELL H##imported-end##

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January 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Tina and Brian,  
Trish and I would like to extend our deepest sympathies to you and your family upon the loss of your mom.  
Denny and Trish##imported-begin##Dennis Crane##imported-end##

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January 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ May thoughts of all your mother meant -Of love she gave, of good times spent -Bring you peace and comfort, too, And keep your mother close to you. Though the ones we love may leave life as we know it, in our memory, the love we know will always carry on. Our greatest sympathy. I have fought the fine fight, I have run the course to the finish, I have observed the faith.-2Timothy 4:7. As for me, I will lie down that I may sleep; I shall certainly awake, for Jehovah himself keeps supporting me. -Psalms 3:5##imported-begin##Magallon Family##imported-end##

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January 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Freddie: Very sorry to hear of Marta's passing. Our thoughts & prayers are with you & your family.##imported-begin##Dave & Theresa Juday##imported-end##

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January 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Freddie, I'm very sorry about your loss. Please know that my prayers are with you and your family.

Sincerely,

Ryan Gallante##imported-begin##Ryan Gallante##imported-end##

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January 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Fred,  
I was very sad to hear the news of your mother Isabella passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in this difficult time. I hope the wonderful memories and her lovely smile get you through this rough moment in life. My deepest sympathy. Sincerely  
Elena Angelos##imported-begin##Elena Angelos##imported-end##

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January 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ will be sorely missed. god bless##imported-begin##John & Alice Banks##imported-end##

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January 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I'm very sorry for your loss Fred, Roman##imported-  
begin##Roman Modrowski##imported-end##

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January 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We will always remember Mrs. Cicco as a kind and sweet lady who  
was loving to us whenever we saw her. We send our heartfelt  
concern and love to our dearest friend, Fred, and all his family. Most  
sincere sympathy to Mr. Cicco who has lost his precious  
wife.##imported-begin##Dave & Carole Szentesy##imported-end##

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January 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM