



Gloria R. (McDonald) Natale

August 1, 1931 - September 18, 2015

Gloria R. McDonald Natale 84, of Irwin, died at home Friday September 18, 2015. She was born August 1, 1931 in Pittsburgh, a daughter of late Edmund J. and Irene R. Harenski McDonald. She retired from the Norwin School District after nearly 30 years of teaching home economics. Gloria was a member of the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Irwin, and the Christian Mothers. She was an avid baker and bridge player and also enjoyed sewing. She volunteered for Reach to Recovery encouraging others in their battle with breast cancer. One of her last acts of kindness was making fourteen loaves of sweet bread earlier this week with her daughter Cheryl. She is survived by her children Rick E. (Jackie) Natale, Edmund J. Natale, "E.J." (Alma) Natale, Michael (Deanna) Natale and Cheryl Natale; grandchildren Carter, Kayla, Morgan, Evan, Brian, Nikki and Tony; great grandchildren Taylor and Cooper; and a sister Irene M. Yaccino. Friends and family will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday and 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday at the William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc., 521 Main Street, Irwin, 724-863-1200. Parting prayers will be held at the funeral home at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 10:00 a.m. celebrated at the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Interment will follow at the Immaculate Conception Cemetery, North Huntingdon. In lieu of flowers a contribution can be made to the Sisters of Charity, 120 Underwood Ave., Greensburg, PA 15601. For online condolences please visit www.snyderfuneralservices.com.

Cemetery Details

Immaculate Conception Cemetery

431 Bridge Street
Irwin, PA 15642

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 20. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc.
521 Main Street
Irwin, PA 15642
(724) 863-1200
<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

Visitation

SEP 21. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Visitation

SEP 21. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc.
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Service

SEP 22. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Church of the Immaculate Conception
308 2nd street
Irwin, PA 15642

Tribute Wall



“ *Gloria R. (McDonald) Natale*

October 07, 2023 at 10:37 AM



“ *Gloria R. (McDonald) Natale*

August 23, 2022 at 04:00 PM



“ *To Gloria's family: I am so sorry I could not make it to Gloria's memorial service but at age 88 I have difficulty getting around. She has been in my thoughts and prayers. She was an amazing person having to put up with all the pain and suffering she has had to put with the past few years. I have sent a contribution to the Sisters of Charity in her memory. We will remember her forever! Jean & Bob Carpenter & Family.*

Jean M Carpenter - September 23, 2015 at 01:48 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gloria R. (McDonald) Natale.*



September 21, 2015 at 02:44 PM

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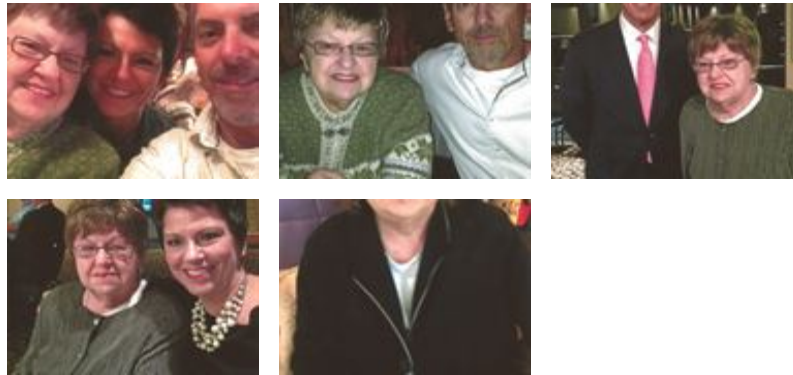
“ Paul Harenski Famnily purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Gloria R. (McDonald) Natale.



Paul Harenski Famnily - September 20, 2015 at 11:05 AM



“ 65 files added to the album Life Tributes



William Snyder Funeral Home - September 20, 2015 at 10:37 AM

JY

“ Cheryl, You and your Mom suffered a long time with her illness. I am so sorry for you and your family. Please remember you did everything you could to keep her comfortable in this life. I pray for your peace. Now be kind to yourself. Sincerely, Joan Yuhas

Joan Yuhas - September 20, 2015 at 09:07 AM

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“ Gloria was my morning person at East. Natale, Stairs, Wolf, Weaver and Stewart had some sweets and coffee together every morning. Miss her...

Alycefaye Stewart - September 19, 2015 at 01:33 PM

JE

“ Our deepest sympathy. You have been such a loving support to her during her illness. She was so proud of you all. She was such a great neighbor when we lived in the duplex in North Irwin. We both loved to cook. As a result the house on the corner of a foster Ave and second Street made you think you were passing a gourmet restaurant. The smell of freshly baked goods as well as roast beef and spaghetti sauce made your mouth water. I e-mailed her my Mom's recipe for baked stuffed tomatoes when the summer tomatoes were available as she said she was hungry for them.

*May you find peace knowing that she is no longer in pain. Fondly,
Joanne and Jack Eichelberger, Salisbury, NC*

joanne eichelberger - September 18, 2015 at 10:59 PM