



Sophie G. (Zapora) Panzo

November 10, 1919 - May 27, 2020

Sophie G. (Zapora) Panzo, age 100, of North Versailles, passed away quietly on Wednesday, May 27, 2020. She was born November 10, 1919 in Herminie, a daughter of the late John and Mary Zapora. She grew up in Monessen and Belle Vernon and was a former member of St. Stephen's Byzantine Catholic Church in North Huntingdon. She worked in retail at Cox's in McKeesport, Gimbles in Eastland, Kaufmann's in Monroeville and was a part owner in the Comfort Zone Tanning and Nail Salon in Levelgreen. She loved to play cards, especially pinochle and poker. She also loved to crochet and made afghans for all of her grandchildren. She was a loyal fan of the Pirates and the Steelers. In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband Stephen H. Panzo; daughter Patricia A. Brush; 4 brothers; and 3 sisters. She is survived by her children Darlene (Andrew) Miletic, Stephen (Francis) Panzo, and Thomas (Linda) Panzo; 9 grandchildren; 19 Great Grandchildren; and sister Mildred Panyard. Friends and family will be received from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the Forgie-Snyder Funeral Home, 1032 Broadway, East McKeesport, 412-823-8083. Due to the pandemic only 25 people will be permitted in the funeral home at one time. Upon arriving you may be asked to remain in your vehicle for a few minutes until others leave the building. A funeral service will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Stephen's Byzantine Catholic Church in North Huntingdon. Interment will follow at Penn Lincoln Memorial Park in North Huntingdon Twp. Sophie's family would like to extend their gratitude to her caregivers at Kane Community Living Center in McKeesport and the Anova Hospice Care Services for her care the past four years. Memorial contributions can be made to the East Allegheny Meals on Wheels, C/o Linway Presbyterian Church, 600 Lincoln Highway, North Versailles, PA 15137. For online condolences please visit www.snyderfuneralservices.com.

Cemetery Details

Penn Lincoln Memorial Park

14679 U.S. 30
North Huntingdon, PA 15642

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 31. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Forgie Snyder Funeral Home
1032 Broadway Ave
East McKeesport, PA 15035
(412) 823-8083
<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Mass

JUN 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Stephen's Byzantine Church
50 Bethel Road
Irwin, PA 15642

Tribute Wall



“ Sophie G. (Zapora) Panzo

October 07, 2023 at 10:37 AM



“ Sophie G. (Zapora) Panzo

August 23, 2022 at 04:00 PM

MW

“ Sorry to hear about the passing of your mom! She lived a grand life to be a centurion 😊❤️. Good to hear Tom Jerry and Darlene had all this time with their mother. Peace to ll family members



melvin watts - May 30, 2020 at 02:01 PM

TO

Thank you Melvin,

Tom

Tom - June 05, 2020 at 11:51 PM

JD

“ My deepest sympathies to all of the Panzo family, Jerry, Darlene and Tom. I spent so much time at the Panzo house as I was growing up. I enjoyed Sophie and Tibby and admired how they raised you all. God bless you all.

judi johnson Dersham - May 29, 2020 at 11:21 PM

TO

Thank you Judi

Tom - June 05, 2020 at 11:52 PM

AP

“ My sweet great grandma was a great woman rip gg panzo love you always

aj pacconi - May 28, 2020 at 07:33 PM