



Maria P. (Lanni) Homola

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Maria P. (Lanni) Homola, 92, of Cicero, left this world better than she found it on August 2, 2021 with her loving family by her side. A child of the depression, she found ways to bring her families dreams to life. Maria loved her family and encouraged them all to strive to enjoy life. She was passionate about knitting and her sweaters have found homes across the country to friends, relatives, and many babies. She went to work at Bern Furniture in 1966 and continued with the North Syracuse School District until her retirement in 1983. Maria sought and maintained friends while exploring and enjoying the arts, luncheons, and social gatherings. A week before her passing she enjoyed a trip to Auburn with her friends to see a play!

She was predeceased by her parents, brothers and beloved husband John; sons, Ralph and Robert and grandson Jake.

Maria leaves an unfillable void in the hearts of her sons: Jay (Sarah), Joe (Robin), and daughter, Beverly (Vito) Arena, grandchildren: Kristin, Genny, Shannon, Joey, Stacy and Robert and six great-grandchildren.

Special thanks to Laura and Harold Mizener for their support, love, and friendship to Maria for many years.

Visitation will be held on Friday, August 6, 2021 from 12 – 1 pm, immediately followed by a funeral service in celebration of Maria's life at 1pm at the THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME, 3401 Vickery Rd. (corner of Buckley Rd.) North Syracuse, NY. She will be laid to rest next to her husband in Assumption Cemetery.



Events

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Visitation

 **Friday**, August 6, 2021

 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM ET


 **Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home**
3401 Vickery Rd, Syracuse NY 13212



Funeral Service


 **Friday**, August 6, 2021

 1:00 PM ET

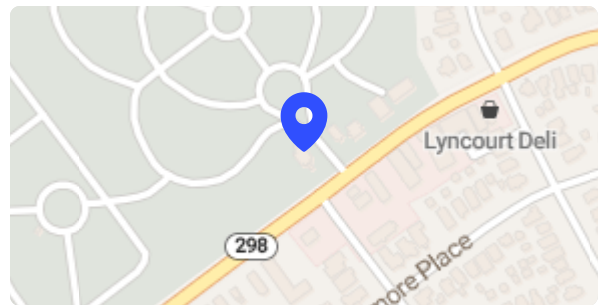
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Cemetery Details

 **Assumption Cemetery**
2401 Court Street, Syracuse NY 13208

 **454-3841**





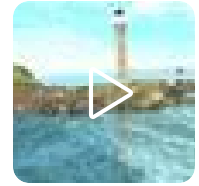
Tribute Wall

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Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home shared a **Tribute Video**.



August 5 at 7:58 AM

Jl

Jill posted:

What a lovely pectoral tribute to Maria. Sending hugs and love to you Robin, Joe and RJ. We will toast Maria when we see you in the fall. xoxox Jill and Tom

August 6 at 2:00 PM

CD

Carol Dewey posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with the Homola family and with Maria's circle of friends. I had a lovely visit with Maria and Laura when I was in Cicero in May. We had a nice chat and the three of us shared memories of my mom; who we lost in December. I took a tour of Maria's house - which I hadn't been in since childhood, and we looked at many photos of family, a knitting project or two and Maria's wonderful lighthouse collection.

August 6 at 1:12 PM

BC

Bob Crabtree posted:

My prayers are with the Homola family during this most difficult time. Maria was not only an outstanding secretary at the North Syracuse District Offices when I knew her but a very caring person. She loved her family very much and spoke of them often. Her smile was always contagious and made me a happier person whenever she greeted me.

August 6 at 3:10 AM

NV

Nanci Vaeth posted:

I have great memories of Mrs. Homola from childhood. My condolences to her loved ones and friends.

August 5 at 8:12 PM



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ES

Elizabeth Sutton lit a candle in honor of Maria.

Good memories of Mrs. Homola from our childhood on Button Road and when she was the Secretary at our school. Always so kind and sweet to us kids. My condolences to Bev, Jay, and Joe on your Mother's passing.

August 5 at 4:35 PM



KS

Karen (Brauchle) Stuhler posted:

I grew up across the street from this special lady. She was a strong woman with a great big heart. My mom considered her a close friend and she was there for my mom, Jennie, many times in her time of need. I will always remember her fondly. My sincere condolences to Jay, Joe and Bev. May your loving memories carry you through this tough time. God Bless you all.

August 5 at 3:33 PM

TC

The Hawkins Clan sent an Arrive in Style to the (Lanni) Homola family.

August 5 at 1:58 PM



 Anonymous

Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the (Lanni) Homola family.

August 5 at 7:19 AM



PB

Pauline Buck posted:

Maria was a part of my Red Hat Chapter in Baldwinsville. I was the recipient of one of her knitted gifts. She always had a smile and an encouraging word for me. May you find comfort, family, in your memories of her.

August 5 at 5:36 AM



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CA

Carol posted:

She was a special lady who I met through my father Louis Guido. My husband Matt remembers her as a friendly, funny lady through his friendship with her sons.

August 5 at 5:18 AM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the (Lanni) Homola family.



August 5 at 5:16 AM

DH

Dale & Mary Ann Hesser posted:

Such a special lady . . . our deepest sympathies go out to Beverly, Jay, Joe and their families. Maria's memories will always remain with us as a significant part of our lives and others as well. Rest in peace our good friend.

August 5 at 4:11 AM



Anonymous sent an Enchanted Cottage to the (Lanni) Homola family.



August 5 at 3:48 AM

ID

Ilean Deacons posted:

Maria was my first friend at the YMCA 20 years ago. Through all those years she showed me what true friendship was. We shared. A love of knitting. I will forever remember her with love. She was a courageous and kind woman. I will miss her so much.

August 5 at 12:48 AM

DF

Donna, Christina, Jeff & Families sent an Arrive in Style to the (Lanni) Homola family.



August 4 at 1:47 PM



Media

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August 5 at 7:58 AM



Suzanne August 5 at 9:21 AM

The world is a better place for having her in it. She was a blessing and an inspiration. She has always and will continue to be in my prayers each time my mind drifts back.



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Maria by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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