



Eloise "Ellie" Whedon

FEB 8, 1931 - FEB 24, 2013



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Eloise "Ellie" Whedon, 82, of Syracuse, passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 24, 2013 at Loretto. She was born in Syracuse, the daughter of the late Charles and Addie (Briggs) Fortino. Ellie was employed with New York Telephone/Verizon for almost 30 years. She was a communicant of St. James Church and a member of the Business Woman's Association on the Southside of Syracuse. Ellie enjoyed her trips to the casino.

She was predeceased by her husband, Thomas Whedon in 1997; her three brothers, Leo and Victor Fortino in 1987 and Frederick Fortino in 2009. Ellie is survived by her sister, Gloria (Michael) Ball of Clay; two brothers, Robert (Mary) Fortino of Cicero and Charles (Edith) Fortino of Syracuse along with numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and many dear friends.

Funeral services will be held on Monday at 7:45 am in the THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME and 9:00 am in St. James Church, where a mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. Burial will follow in St. Mary's Cemetery, Dewitt. Family and friends may call at the THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME, 3401 Vickery Rd. (corner of Buckley Rd.) North Syracuse on Sunday from 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

Ellie's family would like to extend a special "Thank You" to the staff at Sedgwick Heights and Loretto for their support and care during the past year. Contributions may be made to Hospice of CNY or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.



Events

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Visitation

Sunday, March 3, 2013

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

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

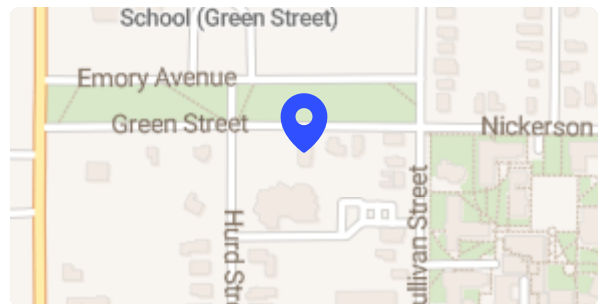


Funeral Mass

Monday, March 4, 2013

9:00 AM ET

St. James Church
6 Green Street, Cazenovia NY 13035-4303

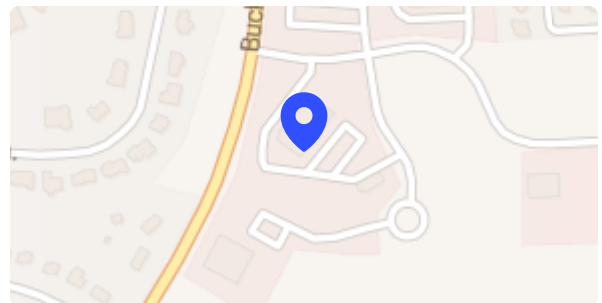


Service

Monday, March 4, 2013

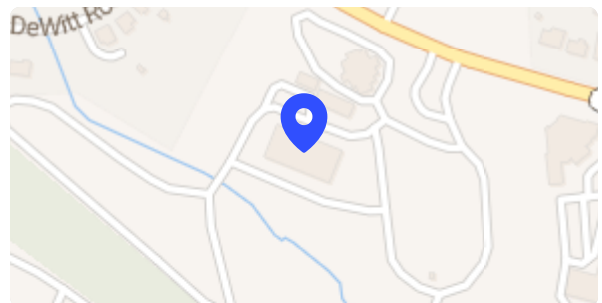
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Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Cemetery
4100 E. Genesee St., DeWitt NY 13214





Tribute Wall

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HS

Heather Spears posted:

Mrs. Whedon was the closest definition of an angel, to me (except for her weekly gambling trips- but no one is perfect:) She was an ear to listen, a shoulder to lean on, and a smile to lift your spirits. May God bless Ellie, as her journey is just beginning!

March 4 at 1:49 PM

HS

Heather Spears lit a candle in honor of Eloise.



March 4 at 6:55 AM

AB

Angela Bernat posted:

Ellie and Tom lived across the street from us on Breakspear Road. We had so much fun with both of them. The photo of Ellie reminds us of those happy times. Ed and Angela Bernat

March 2 at 11:15 AM

PM

Pam, Paula, Patty, Bill, Anne Marie, Mark And Mike sent a Celestial Love to the Whedon family.



March 2 at 5:12 AM

MZ

Melanie Ziel posted:

I fondly remember Ellie throughout my years of working with Tom at Fleischman's Furniture. She was a wonderful woman with a gentle heart. I will keep you all in my prayers during this very sad time. Respectfully, Melanie Ziel

March 2 at 4:50 AM

SF

Stephanie Fortino posted:

Aunt Eloise was a lovely lady. She was always very kind to my son and me. I will always remember her. She is now with Uncle Tom again. May God rest her soul. Stephanie Fortino

March 1 at 4:37 PM



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CB

Carmella Van Benthuisen posted:

Ellie was a wonderful friend. We spent many happy times together and shared a lot of laughs. She was like a sister to me. I shall never forget her. The house on the corner will always be Ellie's . I am sure she is now in the hands of God and my mom and Freddie and Skipper greeted her along with her beloved Tommy. Irv and I will never forget you.

March 1 at 4:22 AM

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Memories only last if you share them

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



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