



Eleanor Ruth Ruocco

August 29, 1940 - September 8, 2013

Eleanor Ruth Ruocco, 73, of Brooklyn, NY, died on September 8, 2013, at her vacation home in Stevensville, MD.

Born on August 29, 1940, in Brooklyn, NY, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and Clara Fager Boeselager. She married her next door neighbor and sweetheart, Salvatore Ruocco, to whom she was happily married for 51 years. Eleanor worked as a registered nurse for 44 years. She was a mother and grandmother, and a woman of great faith who supported numerous charities. Eleanor enjoyed traveling, needle point and crocheting, and corresponded regularly with international pen pals for 20 years.

She is survived by her children, Patti Ruocco of Stevensville, MD, Susan Ruocco (Dennis) Maroulas, of Hampton Bays, NY, and John Ruocco (Dorene), of Brooklyn, NY; her grandchildren, Brian Allen, Benjamin Allen, John Ruocco, Jr., James Maroulas, and Elizabeth Maroulas; a niece, Toni Gamble (Noel); great-niece Catherine Gamble; and sister-in-law, Angie Cappezzuto, of NJ. She was preceded in death by her husband, Salvatore Ruocco, who died in 2009.

A memorial service will be held at 6 pm on Thursday, September 19, at the Kent Island United Methodist Church, in Chester, MD.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Nurses House, www.nurseshouse.org; the ASPCA, www.aspca.org; or the Kent Island United Methodist Church, www.kiumc.org.

Tribute Wall



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