



Mary Julia Ruiz

July 19, 1938 - July 30, 2018

Mary Ur Ruiz went home to be with the Lord. She was a kind and generous lady and will be missed by all who knew and loved her. She was a wonderful mother, sister and grandmother. She celebrated her eightieth birthday on July 19th.

She was born and raised in Woodbridge, New Jersey and graduated from Woodbridge High School Class of 1956. She attended Juilliard School of Music in New York City where she majored in guitar and musical composition.

She worked for the federal government in Raritan Arsenal as a private secretary.

She met and married her husband, Reyes, and moved to San Jose, California. While living there she earned an associate degree in Early Childhood Education. She was employed as Director of Day Care Program at St. Leo Catholic Church before retiring.

She was a patron of the arts and enjoyed music and ballet which she supported. She was an animal lover and was involved in many fund raisers. She enjoyed crossword puzzles and old movies.

She is predeceased by her parents, Alexander and Julia Ur., two sisters, Irma

and Rose Ur and four brothers Alex, John, Joseph and Stephen Ur. Also her husband Reyes Ruiz who passed away in 2004.

She is survived by her son Reyes (Alicia) Ruiz of Manassas as well as four stepchildren: Anitta Ruiz and Robert (Debbie) Ruiz of New York, George (Becca) Ruiz and Carol (Robert) Ruiz of California. She is also survived by seven grandchildren: Samantha, Robert, Jr., George, Leanne, Reina, Elias and Hannah, several nieces and nephews and her beloved cat Randall.

Arrangements are by Pierce Funeral Home and services will be private. Condolences may be sent to reyes_ruiz2000@yahoo.com

Burial was at Woodbine Cemetery on August 3, 2018 at 4 pm.

Tribute Wall



“ *Life just isn't the same without you Aunt Mary :(
I will miss our talks =/
You're in better hands now.
Till we meet again,
I love you Aunt Mary <3*

Dawn Lancaster - August 12, 2018 at 01:19 PM



“ *Love and miss you mom.*



Reyes Ruiz - August 09, 2018 at 09:48 PM



“ *Love and miss you, Aunt Mary. Til we meet again <3*

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Beautiful smiles :-)

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