



Vera Stecher Ianni

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Vera Shirley Rose Stecher Ianni passed away on Monday, December 22, 2014 surrounded by her family at home in Covington, LA. She was born on October 28, 1923 in New Orleans, LA to the late Joseph G. Stecher and Rose Marie Christina Stecher.

She married the love of her life Carmelo "Emile" Ianni, in 1959, and has been widowed for 32 years. Together, they had two children, Emile P. Ianni (Andrea'), Rose I. Beau (Eddie). She was the loving grandmother of Julianna and Blake Ianni, and Amanda, Emily and Allison Beau.

Vera lived a very vibrant 91 years. She was employed at Western Union Telegraph Company during World War II and remained there for 30 years. She loved to cook for her family and for others. Her greatest joy was her children and grandchildren. Vera had a true mother's heart and will be deeply missed. The family wishes to extend thanks to her caretakers, Denise Plaisance and Dina Cornu, and Lakeshore Hospice for their gentle and loving care.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the Funeral Mass on Friday, December 26, 2014 at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 4465 Hwy 190 East Service Rd., Covington, LA 70433, at 12:00 Noon with Visitation from 10:00 AM until service time. Interment will follow the service at Greenwood Cemetery, New Orleans, LA. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Hospice Foundation of the South, www.hospicefoundationofthesouth.org, and EWTN, www.ewtn.com. Please, Share a Memory on the Tribute Wall.



Events

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Visitation

- Friday**, December 26, 2014
- 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM CT
- Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church**
501 Holy Trinity Dr., Covington LA 70433



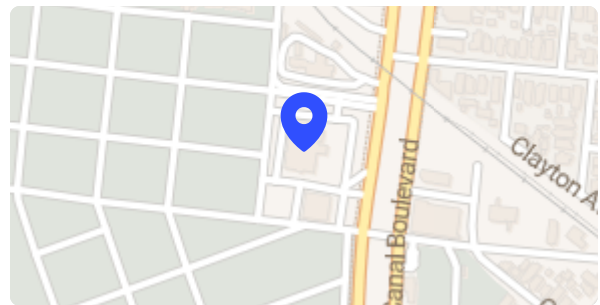
Funeral Mass

- Friday**, December 26, 2014
- 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM CT
- Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church**
501 Holy Trinity Dr., Covington LA 70433



Cemetery Details

- Greenwood Cemetery**
5200 Canal Blvd., New Orleans LA 70124





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PA

Patricia Axe posted:

Our family is saddened by the loss of your mother and grandmother. We became friends based on our mutual love and caring for our children and grandchildren. Vera shared with me her deep and abiding love for Emile and Rosie's father, and how he remained alive forever in her heart. I know the deep pain of loss felt now by you all is so terribly acute. I pray that God comforts you, and that you find solace in knowing she is now joyfully reunited with her one true love. John and Pat Axe and family Austin, Texas

December 26 at 6:56 AM

MS

Monique Sparks posted:

I had the pleasure of getting to live next door to Ms. Vera 25 years ago. Although my husband and I only lived there for 1 1/2 years before being transferred to Georgia, we spent many afternoons talking and laughing on the front porch. She was a funny, kind and faithful person that I grew to love. As a newlywed, she shared good advice and of course great recipes! I am so fortunate to have known her.

December 25 at 1:54 AM

BC

Barbara Ann Cavaretta posted:

I am so deeply sorry for the loss of your beautiful mother. She was loved by so many and was a wonderful mother grandmother and friend to all. May you rest in peace Ms. Vera.

December 24 at 7:22 AM

DS

Debbie Sallas lit a candle in honor of Vera.

Emile and Rosie, I am so very sorry for your loss. I never had the pleasure of meeting your Mom but felt like I knew her. My thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. -Debbie Sallas, Austin, TX



December 24 at 4:32 AM



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BT

Beth Taylor posted:

Aunt Vera was one of the most kind and gentle souls. She truly made my Uncle Emile a happy man. Growing up I remember being at their home for Fourth of July celebrations, Mardi Gras parades, and the occasional Saturday evening visit. She made some of the best Italian food in New Orleans. Two weeks ago my mother and I had lunch with Aunt Vera, Rose, and Emile. She looked great and I believe we all thoroughly enjoyed the visit. I didn't expect it to be our last visit with Aunt Vera, however; for a final visit, it was absolutely wonderful! My heart aches for Rose and Emile and their families. However, I find comfort in knowing she is pain free and reunited with Uncle Emily in Heaven.

December 23 at 11:11 PM

RV

Rob Vinti January 2 at 1:03 PM

Emile and Rosie, So sorry for your loss. Some of my fondest memories of my childhood (Crete st) were spent by your house. sleep overs, playing and of course eating Moms food..Please take comfort knowing our Lord had a special seat reserved for her. On behalf of entire Vinti family. Robin Vinti

TF

The Former December 26 at 3:15 PM

*The above comment signature is in error, and SHOULD READ the ****FORMER****Mrs! (Computer glitch?) Thank you.

TI

The Former Mrs. Ep Ianni December 26 at 3:08 PM

Things are never what they seem, but Vera was. She said what she thought, and thought what she said.A kindhearted, genuine, SELFLESS, and honest soul, who HAPPILY did without many things in life in order to make life better for all of those she loved, especially her children, for whom she had STEADFAST love and loyalty. Her family was, INDEED, blessed.(I should know. She was my mother-in-law for two decades.)



Memories only last if you share them

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



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