



Rosemary Pauline Easley

July 22, 1935 - May 3, 2021

Rosemary Pauline D'Amato Easley, 85, passed away peacefully at home. Rosemary was born in Youngstown, Ohio, to Nicola "Nicholas" D'Amato and Palma Mazziotta. She was the youngest of nine children and both parents passed away before she was 15 years of age. Shortly thereafter, she came to Fontana, California to live with her sister and brother-in-law, Minnie and Steve Sakas, attended Chaffey High School (Class of 1953) and was football homecoming queen there. She held several jobs as an office supply store clerk, bank teller, and as assistant to Mr. Leslie Harris of the Harris' Department Store before taking on her most cherished position as a mother. She was an amazing sister, aunt, mother, grandmother, GG (great-grandmother) and role model. She loved to cook, and enjoyed fine foods. Mainly, she loved to make holidays special by creating happy memories for her family and friends. She enjoyed attending all the sporting and art events of her children and grandchildren. She was a die-hard Lakers fan during the Kobe Bryant era too. Rosemary was a volunteer in the surgical recovery room at St. Bernardine's for many years, enjoyed fashion and interior design. She kept her mind sharp by doing several crossword puzzles each day and keeping up on politics. She will be dearly missed and remembered fondly by all who had the pleasure of knowing her.

Rosemary's beloved husband of 58 years, William Easley, was killed in 2014, and she is survived by their five children, Stephen Easley (Lauri) of Highland and their children Lauren and Stephen, David Easley of San Bernardino, Patricia Rhodes (Scott) of Rogersville, MO, and their children, Taylor Eaton, Kenny, Justin and Jacob Rhodes, Susan Stewart (Matthew) of Highland and their daughter, Samantha, John Easley (Stacey) of Highland and their children, Christopher and Chandler; two great-grandchildren, William Greyson and Remy Rose. She was preceded in death by her mother and father, Nicola and Palma D'Amato, sisters Angeline Lavanty, Domenica "Minnie" Sakas, Nora D'Amato, Josephine Covelli, and brothers, Vincenzo "James," Anthony, Antonio, and Sam D'Amato.

Memorial services will be held Tuesday, June 1st at 11:00 AM at Bobbitt Memorial Chapel, 1299 East Highland Avenue, San Bernardino, CA. 92404. Due to Covid-19 restrictions, attendance is limited. The services will be streamed live from the Bobbitt Memorial Chapel

Facebook page and will also be recorded and posted later to Rosemary's memorial page on Facebook. Interment will be standing room only at Montecito Memorial Park at 1:00PM. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations in Rosemary's honor to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (<http://www.stjude.org/give>), or the American Cancer Society (<http://www.cancer.org/donate>). Please visit, "In Loving Memory of Rosemary Easley," on Facebook or <http://www.bobbittchapel.com> to leave photos, memories, and condolences for the family.

Events

JUN **Chapel Service** 11:00AM - 12:00PM

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Bobbitt Memorial Chapel

1299 E Highland Avenue, San Bernardino, CA, US, 92404

JUN **Graveside Service** 01:00PM - 01:30PM

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Montecito Memorial Park

3520 E. Washington Street, Colton, CA, US, 92324

Comments



“ Steve,
I wanted to send my deepest sympathies and prayers to you and your family for the loss of your mother. So very sorry for your loss. She will always be with you, watching over you. So sorry.
Linda Lawson

Linda Lawson - May 30 at 12:47 PM



“ 68 files added to the album Rosemary through the years



Stephen Easley - May 27 at 11:57 PM



“ I always remember Mrs Easley with a big friendly Hello and Smile at ACC swim meets. Such a lovely poised lady. Beautiful family that loved her dearly .
Heaven got an Angel!!!

melanie Bernardini - May 24 at 09:51 AM



“ Benedictus - dedicated to your mom, grandma, and my aunt's Rosemary's memory.
***Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon her.
May her soul, and the souls of all of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen*** Palma



Palma - May 22 at 06:57 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Jess Arriola - May 22 at 04:26 PM



“ She LOVED you, Jess! <3

Susan Stewart - May 27 at 11:38 AM



“ 17 files added to the album Rosemary through the years



Susan Stewart - May 22 at 03:29 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rosemary Pauline Easley.



May 21 at 10:51 PM