



## Maria Rizzo

July 25, 1931 - January 15, 2024

Glenmont, NY-Maria Rizzo, 92, entered Eternal Life Monday January 15, 2024. Born in Gimigliano Catanzaro, Italy she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Maria Godino Cubello.

Maria came to America in 1966 with her husband and son. She retired from New York State Office of General Services where she worked for many years. Maria loved cooking for family and friends. She enjoyed knitting, gardening, and raising chickens.

She was the wife of the late Dominick Rizzo, who passed away in 2022; mother of the late Joseph Rizzo; sister of Dominick Cubello (Angeline) and the late Rosina Paonessa; mother-in-law of Joanne Rizzo; grandmother of Dominick M. Rizzo (Jennifer) and Tony Harrington (Joel); great grandmother of Joseph, Alexander and Lucas; sister-in-law of Maria Paonessa and Gioconda Rizzo; many nieces and nephews survive.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Maria's family Friday, January 19, 2024 10:00 am to 12:00 pm at Lasak & Gigliotti Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany, NY 12206 . Please enter the funeral home from the rear parking lot entrance only.

Maria's funeral service will follow at 12:30 pm at All Saints Catholic Church,

Albany, NY where her Funeral Mass will be celebrated.

The Rite of Committal will be held at St. Agnes Cemetery, Menands, NY immediately following the Mass.

To leave a message for the family please visit [www.LGFuneralHome.com](http://www.LGFuneralHome.com)

Those wishing to remember Maria in a special way may send a contribution to Kitten Angels, 233 Houseman Street, Mayfield, NY 12117.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Agnes Cemetery

48 Cemetery Ave  
Menands, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 19. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Lasak & Gigliotti Funeral Directors  
208 North Allen Street  
Albany, NY 12206  
(518) 463-1566

## Service

JAN 19. 12:30 PM (ET)

Parish of All Saints Catholic Church  
16 Homestead Street  
Albany, NY 12203

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences to the Rizzo family on their loss of Maria. She is now reunited with her husband and son for all eternity. Rest in peace Maria.* ”

Christine DiNova - January 18, 2024 at 04:45 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Maria Rizzo.* ”



January 18, 2024 at 01:23 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Maria Rizzo.* ”



January 18, 2024 at 10:26 AM

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“ My fondest memory of Maria Rizzo is lifting her two fig trees with my sister Rosa from her downstairs kitchen to her back patio for the summer. She watched us with pride as we hauled the fig trees out. And boy were they heavy, but we managed it. She followed us to her patio and she inspected them with pride, as she checked to make sure there was enough soil and water. Meanwhile her cat Ni was playing nearby chewing on grasses and frolicking.

*Maria was the kindest loving person I will always remember.*

*Rest in Peace Maria.*

*Love, Angela Paonessa.*

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**Angela Paonessa** - January 17, 2024 at 07:48 PM