



## Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms

October 20, 1950 - April 18, 2018

Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms, age 67, of Bloomfield Hills, formerly of Oak Park, passed away April 18, 2018 at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. She was born October 20, 1950 in Bombay, India. Beloved wife of Greg; the couple married May 1, 1976 at St. Aloysius Catholic Church in Detroit; loving mother of Suzanne (Damon) VanderZanden and Melanie (Eric) Whalen; dear sister of Maria, Dolly, Cyril and Olive; and proud grandmother of Brandon, Tyler, McKenna, Isabella, Abigail and Brynlee.

Visitation Friday, April 20, 2018 from 2-8 p.m. with a 6:30 p.m. scripture service at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road (4 blocks E of Woodward), Royal Oak, MI 48067. In state Saturday, April 21, 2018 from 10:30 a.m. until the time of Mass 11 a.m. at St. Thomas More Catholic Church, 4580 Adams Road, Troy, MI 48098. Burial at White Chapel Memorial Cemetery, Troy.

Memorials to the Michigan Humane Society or American Diabetes Association are appreciated.

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# Cemetery Details

## White Chapel Memorial Cemetery

621 W. Long Lake Road  
Troy, MI 48098

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 20. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
(248) 541-7000  
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## Scripture Service

APR 20. 6:30 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Mass

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APR 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Thomas More Catholic Church  
4580 Adams Road  
Troy, MI 48098

# Tribute Wall

PS

“ Dear Greg,  
*I just learned today of the tragic loss of Jacinta. She was such a special neighbor whom I got the privilege of knowing while walking my dog around the block. We hit it off right away. My heart hurts for you & family. She was really, really a special lady with a warm spirit. RIP Jacinta..you were loved by family & friends.*

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**Peggy Serocki** - November 17, 2018 at 02:52 PM

MS

“ With her story that you told us today. We know God was there for Jacinta through her homecoming and he will be here to comfort and direct you in the coming days as well. Our condolences and prayers for you and your family Greg.



*This is a poem that always get us through when we lose a loved one...*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took his hand when I heard his call,  
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I've found that peace at the close of the day.*

*If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My Life's been full, I savoured much,  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free*

*-Your friends at Detroit auto group*

**Mr smith** - May 16, 2018 at 12:11 PM

PK

“ *I have never met anyone as nice as Jacinta before. We didn't really know each other that well, except when I got to see her at my work. She always had the biggest smile and was the friendliest person. It was like the all the good things in the world came with her and it got to rub off on everyone around her making everyone's day brighter. I will never forget this wonderful woman. Her happiness and kindness as a person was such a blessing that it will continue to shine onto me and I shall try to pass it along to other strangers I meet in my life as well. I am lucky to have been in her company this short life we live and I will miss her dearly. I am so sorry for your loss.*

PK - May 04, 2018 at 11:12 PM

YW

“ *Greg, we are so sorry for your loss. If there's anything we can do, please don't hesitate to give us a call.*

Your friends at Clyde's Frame and Wheel - April 26, 2018 at 08:46 AM

YW

-Your friends at Clyde's Frame and Wheel

Your friends at Clyde's Frame and Wheel - April 26, 2018 at 08:48 AM

LP

“ *I just learned of Jacinta's passing. She was a beautiful, passionate person, incredibly kind. My thoughts and prayers to Greg and family...Linda Permut*

Linda Permut - April 22, 2018 at 01:02 AM

TW

“ *Great Friend, prayers for family in this time of sorrow.*

tony Williams - April 20, 2018 at 02:16 PM

LH

“ *Love, Tim and Sylvia Hayes purchased the Full O  
f Love Bouquet for the family of Jacinta Sheila  
Marie Grooms.*



Love, Tim and Sylvia Hayes - April 20, 2018 at 01:50 PM

WM

“ *Jacinta was a wonderful human being-- She will be missed*

William Mace - April 20, 2018 at 10:26 AM

LP

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person, incredibly kind. My thoughts and prayers to Greg and  
family...Linda Permut*

Linda Permut - April 22, 2018 at 12:48 AM

TT

“ *Tim, Sue and Steve Kelley & Sons Trailers  
purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the  
family of Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms.*



Tim, Sue and Steve Kelley & Sons Trailers - April 20, 2018 at  
09:51 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms.



April 19, 2018 at 08:49 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms.



April 19, 2018 at 12:49 PM



“ Wanda F. Gongola purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms.



**Wanda F. Gongola** - April 19, 2018 at 12:38 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms.



April 19, 2018 at 11:44 AM

ZC

“ *Zeny Concepcion lit a candle in memory of Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms*



**Zeny Concepcion** - April 19, 2018 at 11:25 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms.*



April 19, 2018 at 10:45 AM

MI

“ *Mitch, Arlette, Michael, Maria, Jordi and Isabel purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Jacinta Sheila Marie Grooms.*



**Mitch, Arlette, Michael, Maria, Jordi and Isabel** - April 18, 2018 at 11:32 PM

SR

“ *Dear Greg, Suzanne & Melanie,  
Our deepest sympathies. Our hearts are aching at the loss of our dearest friend, Jacinta. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.  
Much love, Sue & Allen*

**Sue Rauschert** - April 18, 2018 at 08:20 PM

NW

“ *Jacinta was such a caring lady. I will miss her beautiful smile at church and the Hospitality Committee meetings.*

*Nancy Winay*

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**Nancy A Winay** - April 18, 2018 at 06:01 PM