



## Kathleen Capolina

March 5, 1929 - October 23, 2021

Kathleen M. Capolina, of Utica, passed away on October 23, 2021 at the age of 92. Kathleen is the cherished wife of the late Joseph, who preceded her in death in 1993; the loving mother of Sheila (the late Stevie Miller) Shelton and Joey Capolina; the adored grandmother of Sarah Marie (Joshua) Watson, Stephanie Kathleen (Phil Franks) Shelton, Joseph Aaron Capolina, Matthew Joseph (Rachael) Shelton, Deborah (Dee) Joyner-Miller and Stevie Miller Jr.; the dear great-grandmother of Brooklyn Marie Watson, Mia Rose Shelton, Nevaeh Marie Jenkins, Dennis Tolomei, Jimmy Tolomei, and Anthony Asher. Kathleen is preceded in death by her granddaughter Ashley Rose Capolina, and her siblings Josephine Dailey, Richard "Bud" (survived by Millie) Carey, William (the late Bea) Carey, Tom (survived by Grace) Carey, Bob (survived by Judy) Carey, Jerry Carey, Ila Piklor, and Terrance Carey, and her sister-in-law Rosie "Mimi" Adams.

Kathleen's family will receive friends for visitation on Tuesday, October 26, 2021 from 2:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. with a rosary service at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home. A funeral mass will be held on Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, 44633 Utica Road, Utica, instate at 11:00 a.m. until the time of her mass at 11:30 a.m.. Memorials are appreciated to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen, 1820 Mt. Elliott Street, Detroit, MI 48207 or at [www.thecapuchins.org](http://www.thecapuchins.org). Please share a memory at [www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com](http://www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com)



# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road  
Clinton Township, MI 48038

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **25**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home  
8459 Hall Road  
Utica, MI 48317  
(586) 731-2411  
utica@sullivanfh.com  
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

## Instate At Church

OCT **27**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church  
44633 Utica Road  
Utica, MI 48317

## Funeral Mass

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St. Lawrence Catholic Church  
44633 Utica Road  
Utica, MI 48317

# Tribute Wall



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Kathleen Capolina.*



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October 25, 2021 at 05:16 PM



“ *Kate was such a lovely sweet lady. She had the greatest laugh! I loved listening to her tell stories of “the old days”. She was a gem!! Her faith was always an inspiration and I know she is with God and all the others who went before her. She will be missed by Sheila and all her family and friends.*

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**Susan Ficarro** - October 25, 2021 at 02:40 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Kathleen Capolina.*



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October 25, 2021 at 02:22 PM

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“ On behalf of the Capuchin brothers I offer my deepest sympathies on the passing of Kathleen. It is truly humbling to receive memorial donations in honor of her life. Please be assured of the brother's prayers for the entire Capolina family during this great time of grief. I have placed Kathleen's name at the tomb of Blessed Solanus Casey. May perpetual light shine upon Kathleen.

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**Br Nick Blattner Ofm Capuchin** - October 25, 2021 at 02:09 PM

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“ The Oakwood Family purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Kathleen Capolina.



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**The Oakwood Family** - October 25, 2021 at 01:10 PM