



## Rose Marie D'Ambrosio

December 9, 1929 - July 30, 2023

Rose Marie D'Ambrosio, age 93, passed away July 30, 2023. She was born on December 9, 1929 in Detroit to Joseph DeCapua and Catherine Vertone DeCapua.

Rose loved music and dancing. She also enjoyed singing with her husband Jerry while he played mandolin. Also, camping at Sandy Pines was another favorite activity. Many trips were made to Cedar Pointe where she enjoyed riding the sky ride and watching musical performances with her husband. She loved Italian food, music, and Italian culture and language. She was known for always keeping busy doing cake decorating for others, embroidering, and making many custom quilts for family and friends. Many members of Rose's family have quilts as a wonderful keepsake of her talents. Rose was well known in the Royal Oak area and she and her husband, Jerry, had quite a following with his knife/scissor sharpening business through the years.

Beloved wife of the late Jerry D'Ambrosio. Loving mother of Linda (Amos) Long, Dora (Tom) Porzondek, Joanne (Brian) Hulett, the late Jerry D'Ambrosio and the late Darlene D'Ambrosio-Ross. Proud grandmother of eight and great-grandmother of ten.

Visitation Sunday, August 20 from 10-8 pm. Funeral Monday 12 pm at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 Mile Rd. (4 blks E. of Woodward),

Royal Oak. Burial will follow at Cadillac Memorial Gardens East Cemetery,  
Clinton Township.

Please visit [www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com](http://www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com) for a livestream and recording  
of Rose's service.

# Cemetery Details

## Cadillac Memorial Gardens East Cemetery

38425 Garfield Road  
Clinton Township, MI 48038

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 20.** 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
(248) 541-7000  
royal@sullivanfh.com  
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

## Funeral Service

**AUG 21.** 12:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
(248) 541-7000  
royal@sullivanfh.com  
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## Burial

AUG **21**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Cadillac Memorial Gardens East Cemetery  
38425 Garfield Road  
Clinton Township, MI 48038

# Tribute Wall



“ *Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors created a Webcast in memory of Rose Marie D'Ambrosio*



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**Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors** - August 16, 2023 at 04:31 PM

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“ *1 file added to the album Family Videos*

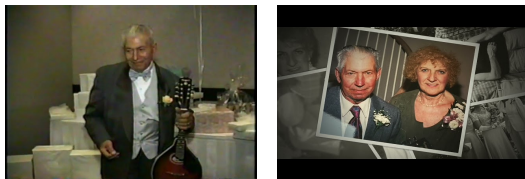


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**Sue Abellera** - September 03, 2023 at 04:25 AM

SA

“ *2 files added to the album Family Videos*



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**Sue Abellera** - September 02, 2023 at 10:15 PM

DB

“ My memory of Sister D’Ambrosio is from when I was a teenager and my parents and brothers spent many happy hours at the D’Ambrosio’s home. And she made the best cannolis ever! What a faithful sister - I long to see her again.  
Deborah (Blasiak) Blackmore

Deborah Blackmore - August 21, 2023 at 11:28 AM



“ Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of Rose Marie D’Ambrosio.



August 18, 2023 at 12:14 PM



“ Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Rose Marie D’Ambrosio.



August 18, 2023 at 01:16 AM

JD

“ I remember spending my summers at Rose's house in Royal Oak TWP. picking plums and cherries and playing with my cousins Jerry/ Joanne/ Linda/ and Dora! They spent hours trying to teach me to ice skate TO NO AVAIL!

Joseph Michael DeCapua - August 08, 2023 at 01:01 AM

JD

*My Favorite Cousins!!!*

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**Joseph Michael DeCapua** - August 08, 2023 at 04:06 PM

JD

*Rock and Roll Hoot Chie Cool!*

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**Joseph Michael DeCapua** - August 08, 2023 at 04:10 PM

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*Tom,  
You truly loved your grandmother! You dropped whatever you were doing to make sure she was taken care of! She is a beautiful woman. I wished that I could of met her! Keep her close to your heart for she is just sleeping for a little while in death.  
We love you and share your sadness of grief.*

*Love,  
The Barclay's*

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**Sherry Barclay (friend)** - August 10, 2023 at 07:24 PM