



## Terry Thrush-Quatro

June 7, 1934 - April 24, 2019

Teresa M. Thrush-Quatro, of Macomb Township, passed away on April 24, 2019 at the age of 84. Terry is the cherished wife of 36 years of Leo Quatro; the loving mother of Christopher (Debra) Thrush, Kathleen (Rich) Thrush-Shaginaw, Daniel (Kristine) Thrush, and Kenneth (Annette) Thrush; the beloved grandmother of Mike (Zheng), Jeff, Steve (Ashlee), Joe, David (fiance Jennifer), Ben, and Nick. Terry was predeceased by her husband of 25 years Dennis Thrush, her brothers John, Henry, and Walter, and her son Andrew. Terry's family will receive friends for visitation on Friday, April 26, 2019 from 2:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. with a rosary service at 7:00 p.m. at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Road (3 blocks East of Van Dyke), Utica. A Funeral Mass will be held at St. Isidore Catholic Church, 18203 23 Mile Road, Macomb, instate beginning at 8:30 a.m. until the time of mass at 9:00 a.m. Interment at Resurrection Cemetery. Memorials are appreciated to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen, 1820 Mt. Elliott Street, Detroit, MI, 48207 or at [www.hecapuchins.org](http://www.hecapuchins.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

APR **26**. 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/>

## Rosary

APR **26**. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Visitation

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APR 27. 8:30 AM - 9:00 AM (ET)

St. Isidore Catholic Church  
18203 23 Mile Road  
Macomb, MI 48042

## Funeral Mass

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APR 27. 9:00 AM (ET)

St. Isidore Catholic Church  
18203 23 Mile Road  
Macomb, MI 48042

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Terry Thrush-Quatro.



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April 26, 2019 at 05:16 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Terry Thrush-Quatro.



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April 26, 2019 at 01:43 PM

DT

“ I’m so glad that my mother decided to go back to college as soon as her kids were in school. She earned an undergraduate degree from Marygrove College and her teaching certificate. She taught home economics at St Mary’s High School in Royal Oak; where she met Leo. She went on to earn a masters degree and worked with special needs young adults in the Macomb Intermediate School District.

*My father passed away when she was only forty five. Leo provided my mother with comfort and support through that very difficult time, and for the rest of her life. My mother was insistent about getting her education and a good job. This allowed her to provide for her family; and she had a rich and full life.*

*I always thought that my mother knew how to speak Polish. She would sing happy birthday in Polish. A few years ago my wife and I were having dinner at Leg’s Inn (the staff is brought in from Poland each year for the season). I called my mother from my cell phone and had the waitress speak to her in Polish. My mother, not being able to understand a word the waitress was saying, hung up. I called back and asked why she hung up. She admitted that she never had learned to speak Polish because she was expelled from the school where she would have learned it.*

*Through everything, my mother was the happiest person that I’ve known. Her faith in God brought her comfort and great joy! She will be missed dearly by so many people.*

*Her loving son,  
Dan Thrush*

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**Dan Thrush** - April 26, 2019 at 01:06 PM

AC

*You are a lucky man, Dan, growing up with such a special lady. She was a favored teacher by all the SMHS alumnus - wouldn't trade my time with her for anything the world!*

*Alicia Almashy*

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**alicia creel** - April 26, 2019 at 07:55 PM

FS

*Lucky man indeed Dan! I want to thank you for having some an Awesome Mom who taught me sewing, foods and then on to gourmet foods. I would not have had three skills of cooking for my family today if it had not been for your Mom. I wish I got too meet her in my adult life. She will truly be missed by all who she had touched in her life!*

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**Fran Shoobridge** - April 27, 2019 at 08:35 AM

KT

*We all loved her. 1975*

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**K. Tiffany** - May 03, 2019 at 04:31 PM

CA

*Your mother and Leo were my favorite teachers at St. Mary. Such wonderful people. I am glad they had many happy years together.*

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**Cathy** - July 11, 2020 at 07:15 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Terry Thrush-Quatro.*



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April 26, 2019 at 10:47 AM

DM

“ Mrs. Thrush always had a warm smile, a hug and welcomed me into her home. I used to hang out with Kathy and felt like it was home. I can remember all the Christmas cookies that she would make. Kathy would go to the freezer and pull out so many different cookies that she and her mom made - they were yummy. Mrs. Thrush and Leo came to my wedding which was so nice and Kathy was my Maid of Honor. Kathy is my best friend and I enjoyed being with her in her home. I miss those simple days.

A few years ago, Mrs. Thrush invited my kids and me over to visit. She welcomed my kids with hugs right away. My kids really enjoyed our visit with Mrs. Thrush and Leo. Later we talked via email and friends on Facebook. She knew my parents have been ill and live far away so she invited us to spend Christmas dinner with her family. I enjoyed seeing all her kids and grandkids. Some of Kathy's brothers I remembered from when I was in high school and now they are parents with their kids running around. The home was filled with laughter and love, all because of Mrs. Thrush and Leo.

I have many fond memories of Mrs. Thrush. She will be missed but she will always be in my heart right next to my mom and dad. I will always think of her as my second mom.

I love you Mrs. Thrush and I am sorry that I missed you yesterday at the hospital. But when I say your name or have a memory of you, it makes me smile.

Love always, Denise MacFarlin

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Denise MacFarlin - April 25, 2019 at 12:29 PM

MS

I am so very sorry Mr. Quato for your loss but am extremely happy that you found love and happiness. May she rest with your good friend Chuck Nutt. From Mary Ann Woodcock.

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Mary Ann Stanczak - April 26, 2019 at 11:04 AM

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“ 2 files added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Kathy Shaginaw** - April 24, 2019 at 05:30 PM