



Irene Soraci

July 12, 1921 - December 12, 2010

Irene Soraci, age 89 of Loveland, Colorado died Sunday, December 12, 2010 at North Shore Health & Rehab in Loveland. A memorial mass will be held at 10:30 am Wednesday, Dec. 15th at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 1730 West 12th St. Loveland. Interment will be later at Fort Logan National Cemetery in Denver. Irene Troisi, formerly known as Yola, was born July 12, 1921 in New York, New York to Ernest and Guilia Troisi. She grew up in the Bronx, graduated from High School in Manhattan and attended business school. She worked as a secretary and bookkeeper in New York City. On October 27, 1946 she married Paul Emil Soraci in Manhattan and together they had two children, Paul and Janice. The family settled in Staten Island where she worked alongside her husband, Paul in the family business he started known as Paul's Jewelers in Great Kills. They were active members of St. Clare's Catholic Church on Staten Island and she also kept busy as a volunteer in Richmond Memorial Hospital Women's Auxiliary, while raising their two children. In 1978 when she and Paul retired she shed her name Yola for her much preferred middle name, Irene. They first moved to Berthoud followed by settling in Loveland where they became active members of St. John The Evangelist Catholic Church. She was a member of the Catholic Charities Women; House of Neighborly Service; the Garden Club; Welcome Wagon; and volunteered at the Chilson Senior Center. Irene enjoyed gardening and exercising. She made many friends along the way with her water aerobics and bridge club. She was a gracious hostess and loved to

cook and entertain. Irene is survived by her husband of 64 years, Paul; their son, Paul, and his wife, Lynne of Fort Collins; daughter, Janice, and her fiancé, Ernest Skip Poole, of Hackettstown, NJ; and two grandsons, Logan and Graham Soraci. She was preceded in death by her two brothers, Mario and William Troisi. The family requests that any memorial donations please be made to Stepping Stones Adult Day Programs in care of Goes Funeral Care.

Tribute Wall



“ *Irene Soraci*

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *Dear Janice & Family*

Irene was such a beautiful person and that beauty shines on in her amazing children. She always treated us as family, even though we were in-laws of her great-nephew Patrick. Her kindness towards our family will always be remembered fondly. We hope that your memories and faith get you through this difficult time. With our love, prayers & sympathy. Love Ronnie & Vinny

Ronnie & Vinny Gugliucci - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Uncle Paul, Janice, Paul Jr & Family*

We send our love & deepest sympathy. We are all devastated at the loss of Aunt Yola. Love Chris & Marjorie

Christian Monahan - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ Just a short poem & a few memories from my wife & I. God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be. So He put His arms around you and whispered "come to me" With tearful eyes we watched you, and saw you pass away. Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating, hardworking hands at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us He only takes the best. My Aunt Yola was a kind & patient soul. I Love You very much, some of my fondest memories as a child were spending holidays with you. When the mess was cleaned up & we would all play cards & you taught me how to play bridge & 500 rummy. What a great time. I am comforted by my memories of you & I hope Uncle Paul, Janice & Paul Jr. will be comforted by them as well. I am sorry I was not with you, but we know you are with the Lord. May He Bless & keep you safe. We Love You Aunt Yola.

Patrick & Laura Monahan - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Mrs Soraci was a wonderful, happy person. She and her husband were family friends of my parents for as long as I can remember. She was a strong, caring woman. I will always remember her beautiful smile.
I will miss her but remember her for the caring person that she was.
Janet Faicco

Janet Faicco - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ A Tribute to my Aunt Irene (Auntie Yis to me) You lived your life with grace, dignity & love. You the brightest star in the sky for me, a second Mom. When I was little I always looked forward to seeing you on holidays, you always made it so special for our family. I hated rainy days & dreaded them, till one day my Dad brought me to your house so I could spend the day with you. Even though it was pouring outside, I look back at that day in the kitchen with you showing me how to bake & cook, we had so much fun! After that day I never hated rainy days again. That's how it always was when I was with you. Sunshine in my life, when things for me were so dark. Thank You so much. You will always be special to me & you will always be here in my heart. Love Julia

Julia & Patrick Monahan - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I love you Aunt Yola. Were going to miss seeing you so much. We always had fun being with you. Love you & God Bless You. Love Jennifer

Jennifer Monahan - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ I REMEMBER IRENE COMING TO CONCERTS. SHE WAS SUCH A JOY TO TALK TO. PAUL I HAVE MISSED YOU AND IRENE SO MUCH. PLEASE COME TO ONE OF OUR CONCERTS AND BACK TO BAND.....WE ALWAYS NEED MORE DRUMMERS...GOD BLESS

BARBARA BABBITT - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ *Paul, I'm so sorry to learn about your loss. You and Irene had an awesome life together and you were such a good caretaker!*

I remember her well from the band performances and also occasional parties that were held with the New Horizons Band members.

I hope that you are comforted in knowing that she had a wonderful life with you and your family together and that she is in the better place right now. As we say goodbye, those who have gone before are waiting to welcome Irene to the eternal life.

God Bless you and your family, Paul.

*Sincerely,
Dottie Nazareus, New Horizons Band*

Dottie Nazareus - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *Dear Paul,
Linda and I were sorry to hear about your wife's passing.
I know it had been a long hard ending. We admire the care and love you gave her.
I hope you get a chance to play some golf and play the drums.
Our prayers are with you.
Ben and Linda Brown*

Ben and Linda Brown - December 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM