



Cristeta P. Sales

December 15, 1949 - February 1, 2025

Cristeta Palma Sales, born on December 15, 1949 in Manaoag, Pangasinan, Philippines joined her Creator peacefully at St. Peter's Hospital on February 1, 2025 surrounded by her loving family.

Awit as she was affectionately known, was a shining light in the lives of all who had the privilege of knowing her. Her journey on this earth was one marked by love, compassion, and unwavering faith in God. Her passing left a void in the hearts of her family, friends, and many more whose lives were touched by her.

We asked that you remember her not for the way her life ended, but the way it was lived, and for the profound impact on the lives of those who had the pleasure of knowing her.

Awit is survived by her loving daughters, Cherry Sales Venezuela and Charmaine Palma Sales, son-in-law, Manuel Gomez Venezuela, and three beautiful and loving grandchildren, Miguel, Sophia, and Corrine.

Awit is also survived by her sisters, Linda Palma, Rose Palma, Nancy Palma, Marissa Caliwara, Ronda Palma Uy, Bernadette Palma Barrion, brother Deo Palma, and deceased brother, Fernando Palma.

Awit is the loving wife of the late Froilan Diaz Sales who predeceased her in 2011 and loving daughter Charisse Ines Sales who predeceased her in November 2023.

Mommy Awit's life was centered around her faith, family & friends. She taught us the true meaning of love, faith, and generosity, and her spirit will continue to inspire everyone blessed to have known her.

She was an active member of the Flame of Love Rosary Group that she prayed with everyday, a devotee of the sisterhood of Our lady of Fatima, and a long time parishioner at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, where she served as a Eucharistic Minister.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, February 6, 2025 from 9:00am - 11:45am at the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany, NY 12206. Please enter the funeral home from the rear parking lot entrance only.

Funeral Mass follows at 1230 pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, 125 Eagle St. Albany, NY 12202.

Cremation follows after the mass.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 6. 9:00 AM - 11:45 AM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.
208 N Allen St
Albany, NY 12206
(518) 489-0188
info@mcveighfuneralhome.com
<http://www.McveighFuneralHome.com>

Funeral Mass

FEB 6. 12:30 PM (ET)

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception
Corner of Eagle Street and Madison Avenue
Albany, NY 12202
(518) 463-4447

Tribute Wall

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“ Thank you Ate Awit for the beautiful memories. Thank you for teaching me how to pray the Rosary when I was a kid & going to Our Lady of Manaoag church to attend mass @ 0500 or 0600 in the morning. Love you forever Sister.

Bernadette Barrion - February 11, 2025 at 03:07 PM

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“ Thank you, Tita Awit, for your love and support for us Dominican Novices in Manaoag. We appreciate and remember your kindness! We will offer a mass for you.

fr. wilhelm - February 06, 2025 at 03:03 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Cristeta P. Sales.



February 05, 2025 at 03:00 PM

JE

“ she is our first neighbor always a welcoming smile and greeting whenever she is on the front porch tending to her beautiful flowers. thank you for your kindness to us. now you'll be in eternal garden in Heaven.

jes - February 05, 2025 at 02:30 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Cristeta P. Sales.*



February 05, 2025 at 01:22 PM



“ *one of the kindest person i've known.i know the Lord loves you Te.*



toto - February 05, 2025 at 05:45 AM



“ *Will miss your sweet Smile , beautiful face and comforting presence Mommy Awit! Will miss you serving in Church... giving Holy Communion!!! You fought a good fight! Cancer Sucks!!! Rest Peacefully Now! Watch over us...,*

Maria Ethel Tinio - February 04, 2025 at 09:04 PM