



Mary M. Sleasman

April 20, 1920 - October 17, 2014

Albany-Mary M. Sleasman, 94, died Friday, October 17, 2014 at Teresian House, surrounded by devoted husband John and her loving family. Born in Albany, she was the daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Nolan Hession.

Mary graduated from Vincentian Institute High School followed by work at the New York State Department of Tax and Finance. She was the “best of the best” as a full time mom and homemaker before joining her husband Jack in the family business, the Modern Food Market in Albany. Mary was committed to her Catholic faith and was active in all the church families of her life including Blessed Sacrament Church, St. Teresa of Avila Church and Holy Family Church (Jacksonville, FL.)

Mary and her husband John retired and moved to Jacksonville, Florida in 1984 where they enjoyed experiencing and sharing the lives of their Florida children and grandchildren until returning home to Albany in 2002.

Her family would like to thank the staff of the former Our Lady of Hope Residence in Latham for the love and care that they provided our mother from 2002 through its closing in the winter of 2014. In addition, the family especially thanks the compassionate staff of the 5th floor at Teresian House for treating our mom as their own during her nine months there, in particular the weeks leading up to her passing.

Mary was the lifelong sweetheart and loving wife for 70 years of John J. Sleasman; cherished mother of John (Janice) Sleasman, Mary Ellen (Edward) Smith, Elizabeth Nardiello, Eileen (Michael) Gallo, Margaret (Douglas) Barnhart, Richard (Theresa) Sleasman, and Paul (Anne) Sleasman; beloved 'Nanny' of John Sleasman, Megan Sleasman, Kara (Kelly) Land, Kristina Smith, Nadine (Steve) Baker, Charles (Amy) Nardiello, Scott (Stephanie) Gallo, Andrew (Alison) Gallo, Matthew (Amanda) Sgroi, Gregory Sleasman, Brian Sleasman, Steven Sleasman, and Erica (Scott) Daley; sister of Elizabeth Hession, Bernadette Vermette (late Andrew) and the late John J. (Mina) Hession, Francis (Pat) Hession and James Hession; sister-in-law of Mary Agnes Hession and the late Fred and Eleanor Sleasman, Rev. Martin Sleasman, Christopher and Marie Sleasman, and Marguerite and Paul Maney; Mary is survived by 7 great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews that she loved dearly.

Funeral services Tuesday, October 21, 2014 at 9:30 am from McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany thence to Blessed Sacrament Church, Albany at 10:30 am where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated.

Relatives and friends are invited and may call Monday, October 20, 2014 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the funeral home.

Interment will take place in St. Agnes Cemetery, Menands.

Those wishing to remember Mary Sleasman in a special way may send a contribution to Teresian House, 200 Washington Ave., Ext., Albany, NY 12203.

To leave a message for the family, obtain directions or view other helpful services, please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

St. Agnes Cemetery

48 Cemetery Ave
Menands, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **20**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.
208 N Allen St
Albany, NY 12206
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Service

OCT **21**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Blessed Sacrament Church
607 Central Ave (Father John Bradley Way)
Albany, NY 12206
(518) 489-0188
info@mcveighfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary M. Sleasman*



McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - October 20, 2014 at 12:44 PM



“ *Mary M. Sleasman*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *My sincere condolences. May the words at Isaiah 25:8 bring you comfort during this difficult time " He will swallow up death forever, And the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces."*

Montana W, - January 27, 2016 at 10:14 PM

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“ I miss you already. You were the best mother anyone could have. I will always cherish the time we had with you. The love you and dad shared will continue to shine through all of us. We will take care of dad for you.

Thank you to all my friends who have reached out to me during this difficult time period.

A special thanks to my brothers and sisters who were at mom bedside in her final days. I wish I could have been there with you.

You were all so strong for mom and dad. Thank you so much. I love you all.

Once again mom, rest in peace in the Lords arms.

Peggy Sleasman Barnhart - October 19, 2014 at 07:33 AM

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Peggy Thoughts and prayers to you and your family. Thinking of you...Susan Myers Hinckley

Susan Myers Hinckley - October 19, 2014 at 07:24 PM