



Mrs. Vincenza F. Starmer

November 16, 1930 - May 21, 2015

Vincenza F. Starmer, "Vee" of Cortland, N.Y., passed away, Thursday May 21, 2015 at her home at the age of 84, Born November 16, 1930 in Cortland, Vee was a daughter of Antonio and Attilia Mantella Ferro and was a Cortland resident her entire life.

Vee was a communicant of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church and a member of the Altar Society as well as the Catholic Daughters of The Americas, Court # 919, Cortland. An active member of the community Vee volunteered her time for the American Red Cross Bloodmobiles, R.S.V.P. and St. Mary's School, where she enjoyed being with the children and tending to the fruit cart in the lunch room. Vee also directed many youth productions and variety shows at the school as well. Additionally, she officiated youth basketball for the recreation department of the Cortland Youth Bureau. But most of all Vee's greatest joy was the time she spent with her family.

Vee is survived by four sons, Stephen (Rhonda) Starmer of Thurmont, Maryland; Ronald (Connie) Starmer, Richard Starmer and Michael (Alice) Starmer all of Cortland; a brother, Salvatore (Elsie) Ferro of Cortland, two sisters, Albertina Lorenzo of Cortland and Jennie (Joe) Emm of Chenango Forks; 13 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild and many nieces, nephews and cousins. Vee was preceded in death by her husband, Cecil Starmer in 1988.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Wednesday at 10 a.m. in St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church with Rev. Joseph Zareski serving as celebrant. Prayers of committal will follow in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery. The family will be present to receive friends on Tuesday from 4-7 p.m. in the chapel of Riccardi Funeral Home 69 N. Main Street, Cortland. Contributions in Vee's memory in lieu of flowers may be made to St. Mary's Parochial School 61 N. Main Street, Cortland, N.Y. 13045

Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.riccardifuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

AP

“ *Nell and I go back to kindergarten - She was so much fun. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Love to all. Angie Partigianoni*

angie partigianoni - May 18, 2018 at 11:05 AM



“ *Vee's smile and her warmth and laughter will be missed by all who knew her. My thoughts are with Steve! Rick, Ronnie, Michael and their families.*

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JE

“ *My prayers and thoughts go out to the Starmer family.*

Jerry Eden - May 18, 2018 at 11:05 AM

JM

“ *Steve, Ronald, Richard, Michael and families, Please accept our sincerest condolences for your loss We have so many happy memories of spending time at each other's homes when we were growing up. May you find comfort in those around you and may the joyful times you shared together help to sustain you at this most difficult moment. I know that Vee fought a brave battle--God bless Her and may her soul rest in peace. I would like to extend my sympathy to my Godmother Albertina,, Sam and Jennie-- My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love Gene & Jo Mirontif*

JO 7 GENE MIRONTI - May 18, 2018 at 11:05 AM

CW

“ Vee will be terribly missed. She was a generous and kind soul and will be cherished in my memories forever.

*My condolences,
Charlotte Winnick*

Charlotte Winnick - May 18, 2018 at 11:05 AM

SH

“ I have many happy memories of Vee. My most vivid memory was a Mother's Day celebration at the Number Five restaurant in Binghamton that was shared with Vee, my mother, Aunt Al, and Rick. I will always remember her laughter, her hospitality, and her sense of humor. Heaven has welcomed a treasure!

Suzanne Helmer - May 18, 2018 at 11:05 AM

JR

“ A wonderful lady, who along with Cecil raised up 4 good men. Another piece of Cortland gone missing.

Jim Reagan - May 18, 2018 at 11:05 AM

AB

“ To the entire Starmer family, Our deepest sympathy to all of you. Vee will be missed by so many. But her memory will be carried by all! Her legacy lives on in her children and her grandchildren. In our thoughts, Amy & Ryan

Amy Buggs - May 18, 2018 at 11:05 AM

VW

“ We will miss Vee very much. My mom and I had the wonderful pleasure to spend some time with Vee last summer as we live out of town/state.

She was truly a joy to be with and so giving of herself. She loved her family so much and was always sharing about them. Love to Vee and the family. She is with the angels now.

Viviane (DeCarlo) Walter - May 18, 2018 at 11:05 AM

BK

“ Vee was like a caring, nurturing, mother to me during my formative years. In fact, all of the Starmer's always treated me in this very loving way.

She provided me with the unconditional love, acceptance, and refuge that I very much needed during my formative years.

I was always welcome at the Starmer's home, and was consistently treated like a member of the family. For this, I will always be thankful.

I'm going to miss you Vee, and I will always love you...

Bob Kaussner - May 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM