



Marie C. Mattera

May 9, 1927 - June 4, 2023

Marie C. Mattera, 96, formerly of Catskill, NY, passed away suddenly on June 4, 2023.

Marie was born in Brooklyn, NY to the late Evelyn and John Mattera on May 9, 1927 and raised in the mountains of upstate NY. At the encouragement of her oldest sister Rose, Marie spent some time modeling for the Barbizon agency in NYC. On March 2, 1949, Marie enlisted in the U.S. Army as a Private and a member of the Women's Army Corps (WACs). Her time was served in Japan during the Korean War, for which she received the Army Occupation Medal and Korean Service Medal. After the Army, Marie began working as an analyst for IBM in May 1956, where she spent her career until she retired. Marie loved to paint and spend time with her family.

Marie was predeceased by her mother Evelyn, father John, her siblings Rose Watson, Michael Mattera and Lawrence Mattera. She is survived by her sister, Catherine Benevento, and her beloved nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend calling hours at Richards Funeral Home of the Mid-Hudson Valley, Inc. 29 Bross Street, Cairo, N.Y., 12413, on Wednesday, June 14, 2023, from 9:30 A.M. – 10:30 A.M. Mass of the Christian Burial will follow at St. Joseph's Novitiate, 1275 Hearts Content Road, Round Top, N.Y., 12473, will follow at 11:00 A.M. Interment will follow with U.S. Army military honors at The Family Cemetery in Jewett, N.Y.

Condolences and memories may be shared at www.richardsfuneralhomeinc.net.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 14. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Richards Funeral Home - Cairo
P.O. Box # 383
29 Bross Street
Cairo, NY 12413
(518) 622-9503
info@richardsbradysfh.com

Mass

JUN 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph's Novitiate
1275 Hearts Content Road
Round Top, NY 12473

Graveside With Military Honors

JUN 14 (ET)

Family Cemetery
Jewett , NY 12424

Tribute Wall

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“ Cathy and family,
So sorry to hear of Marie’s passing, she was always so sweet and I know the love you shared with her was priceless. Remember the laughter shared-and I know she loved a good laugh so there are likely many!
Think of you often and hope all are well. Reach out if you’d like-love to catch up when you’re up to it!
Love, Sue and Billy Weber

Susan Weber - June 16, 2023 at 03:00 PM

JM

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joe mattera - June 10, 2023 at 12:56 PM

AM

With sympathy 🙏 so sorry to hear of your loss Marguerite m. I read the obituary and realized a conversation we had a long long time ago and have put it together. I believe your Uncle Mike was in my older sister class or she knew him. I then saw your mother’s last name which was the same as yours when u went to CHS. Remember we had lunch once at Chicken Run. Now if you haven’t guessed I will add another clue. You were one of my favorite students at CHS and once we discussed Jewett.

Arlene MacDonald - June 10, 2023 at 02:57 PM

AM

I bet you know now. I am so sorry for your loss. 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

Arlene MacDonald - June 10, 2023 at 03:00 PM

PD

Thank you for sharing these wonderful photos.

Patti DesMarais - June 11, 2023 at 07:55 AM



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Richards Funeral Home of the Mid Hudson Valley Inc. - June 08, 2023 at 09:50 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Marie C. Mattera.



June 07, 2023 at 08:15 PM

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Patti DesMarais - June 07, 2023 at 06:24 PM

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1989 Baby shower - 4 generations

Patti DesMarais - June 07, 2023 at 06:25 PM

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Wonderful photos

Evelyn Scott - June 08, 2023 at 05:43 PM

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Evelyn Scott - June 07, 2023 at 04:18 PM

PD

Thank you for sharing these.

Patti DesMarais - June 09, 2023 at 01:51 PM

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Evelyn Scott - June 07, 2023 at 03:59 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Marie C. Mattera.*



June 07, 2023 at 03:30 PM



“ *Richards Funeral Home Staff sent a virtual gift in memory of Marie C. Mattera*



Richards Funeral Home Staff - June 07, 2023 at 02:21 PM



Richards Funeral Home of the Mid-Hudson Valley, Inc. Cairo and Athens, N.Y. and the W.C. Brady's Sons, Inc. Funeral Home, Coxsackie, N.Y. send our condolences to The Family of Marie C. Mattera during this difficult time.

Richards Funeral Home Staff - June 07, 2023 at 02:40 PM



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Richards Funeral Home of the Mid Hudson Valley Inc. - June 07, 2023 at 02:20 PM