



Nenita Castillo

October 10, 1939 - July 31, 2024

Nenita "Nita" Reyes Castillo, age 84, of Hazlet, NJ, passed away on July 31, 2024 at her home. She was born on October 10, 1939 in the Philippines. Nita was a proud graduate of Wesleyan University, Philippines, where she received her Bachelor's degree in Education in 1966. She then worked as an elementary school teacher before following her husband to America in 1971 to seek a better future for her family. She embraced her new country with faith and dedication. Professionally, she retired in September 1999 from Military Ocean Terminal at Bayonne (MOTBY), NJ.

Throughout her life, Nita demonstrated an unwavering commitment to her faith. She was known for her dedication to attending daily mass at various churches in the area, reflecting her deep spiritual devotion and her desire to stay close to God. Her spiritual journey was a source of inspiration to all who knew her. Above all, Nita cherished her role as a devoted daughter, mother, grandmother, sister, and aunt, always putting her family first. Her selflessness and love were a guiding light to her loved ones.

She was preceded in death by her beloved parents Vicente and Virginia Reyes, her husband Leonardo Castillo, her brother Vicente Reyes Jr. and sister Adelaida Poingue. She is survived by her sons Randy Castillo, Ronald Castillo and his wife Diane, Arnel Castillo, and daughter Michelle Bare and her husband John, her deeply cherished grandchildren, Brea, John, Colton, Mateo

and Leonardo, and her siblings Nestor Reyes, Milagros Castillo and Eliezer Reyes.

A Funeral Mass will be offered Wednesday morning, August 14, 2024, at 10:00 AM at St. Benedict Roman Catholic Church, Holmdel, NJ. Interment will follow at St. Joseph's Cemetery, Keyport, NJ. .

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research. (<<https://tribute.michaeljfox.org/tribute-page.php?id=2937&np=true>>)

Nita will be deeply missed, and her legacy of faith, family, and professional achievement will be cherished by all who knew her.

Online condolences may be made to the family at scaliahomes.com

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Cemetery360 Broadway

360 Broadway
Keyport, NJ 07735

Previous Events

Service

AUG 14. 10:00 AM (ET)

St Benedict Church
165 Bethany Rd
Holmdel, NJ 07733

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Tribute Wall

CF

“ *Ciano / Fields Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Nenita Castillo.*



Ciano / Fields Family - August 11, 2024 at 01:44 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Nenita Castillo.*



August 11, 2024 at 11:35 AM

DJ

“ *David and Jesse planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nenita Castillo.*

David and Jesse - August 11, 2024 at 09:36 AM

DJ

“ *David and Jesse purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Nenita Castillo.*



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“ *Cadavillo Family purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Nenita Castillo.*



Cadavillo Family - August 09, 2024 at 02:29 PM