



Virginia F. Gratton

April 4, 2020

Virginia F. (Sposito) Gratton, 95, of Monroeville, PA, died peacefully in her sleep on Saturday, April 4, at home, accompanied by her family at her bedside. She was the third of four children born to Jack and Jennie Sposito, also of Monroeville, and sister to Mae, Martha, and Bill, all of whom preceded her in death. Virginia, or Jean, or Ginny, as she was known by some, was a homemaker since 1946, when she married Edward Gratton, who also preceded her in death in 2008. A member of "The Greatest Generation," she graduated from Pitcairn High School in 1942 and immediately joined the work force, supporting the war effort by making helmet liners for our troops at the Trafford Micarta plant. After WWII, she worked at different occupations until she was hired full-time by Kroger, where she remained until 1963. Virginia loved her life, and LOVED her family and friends, and was always giving, without expecting anything in return. And she was loved by all of them. She loved her Lord, as well, and served the church faithfully. A son, Edward, Jr. (Amy), and grandchildren, Marisa (Eddie) Provident, Jillian, Tara, and Aaron, and numerous nieces and nephews survive. The family thanks AGH Home Hospice Services and everyone who extended financial, emotional, and spiritual support throughout her illness. It would be impossible to recognize everyone, but we love you all. Services and burial are private due to the COVID19 pandemic. A Celebration of Life Memorial Picnic is planned for a later date. Memorial contributions can be forwarded to the Hazelwood Christian Church, 118 Glen Caladh St., Pgh. PA 15207 and the Christian

Evangelistic Society of Western PA, Joan Kim, Treasurer, 224 Cherrydell Dr.,
Pgh, PA 15220.

Tribute Wall

VM

“ *Ed and Family,
Please accept my heartfelt condolences on your loss. Your mom was always an “upbeat” person and made you feel that way also. May fond memories help you get through this difficult time. Please know that your mom, as well as your family, will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

Vic Maccarelli

Vic Maccarelli - April 08, 2020 at 01:43 PM

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“ *She loved to putter with her flowers and always enjoyed a new plant or bouquet.*

Jan Shipley - April 07, 2020 at 03:39 PM

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“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Jan Shipley - April 07, 2020 at 03:35 PM

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“ *Dear Ed and family,
We all want to express our deepest sympathies to you all. Jean was
a wonderful, kind, and funny lady. She will be deeply missed.
Love,
Wilma Mcilrath, Kathy and Michael Jordan and family*

Wilma Mcilrath - April 07, 2020 at 10:52 AM

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“ *I'll always remember her baking goodies for our Sunday school she
was a great lady*

John M Stefurak - April 07, 2020 at 08:33 AM