



## Katherine Margaret Lanzerotte

September 22, 1914 - September 26, 2017

Dateline: Alton

Katherine Margaret Lanzerotte, died at 2:59 a.m. Tuesday, September 26, 2017 at Rosewood Care Center in Alton. Born September 22, 1914 in LaSalle, IL, she was the daughter of John and Josephine (Rua) Caresio. She married Joseph Leonard Lanzerotte on June 18, 1939. He preceded her in death. Surviving is a son, Paul (Barbara) Lanzerotte of Wood River, a daughter, Joy K. Lanzerotte of Phoenix, AZ, and two grandchildren, Dr. Mark Lanzerotte and Kim Lanzerotte. Along with her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by two brothers and one sister. Visitation will be from 9:30 a.m. until time of funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Friday, September 29, 2017 at Gent Funeral Home. Burial will be at Valhalla Memorial Park in Godfrey. Online guestbook and information may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Valhalla Memorial Park

Godfrey, IL 62035

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 29. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
2409 State Street  
Alton, IL 62002  
(618) 466-5544  
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## Funeral

SEP 29. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Katherine Margaret Lanzerotte*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Katherine Margaret Lanzerotte*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Mom you were so resilient in lieu of all your sufferings you prevailed. My daily call @ 7 pm had two traditions; 1) you'd ask if I'd made a memory. You'd say make lots cause when you get here it's all that sustains you. 2) we had a special way of saying good bye I Love you, I love you too but I live you mote and your replies are long imbedded in my ❤️*

*Your love for Joe ( destiny you told me, meant to be) family, your grandkids walked on water, and your brothers n sister. You often called me Ida as recently as last month.*

*Golf, crossword puzzles giving us all \$2 bills were a few of your passions.*

*You shared many stories growing up w/me I wrote them down and you called on your mom 'Tootsie' when I called, asking she'd. One visit you.*

*I'll keep calling it was our special time for 12 years.*

*And yes I do and always will Live You More.*

*Sweetie / Joyce 🙏❤️🌹*

joyce K Lanzerotte - September 28, 2017 at 09:22 PM

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“ *Scott & Denise Wilson & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Katherine Margaret Lanzerotte.*



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**Scott & Denise Wilson & Family** - September 27, 2017 at 11:53 PM



“ *Full Heart was purchased for the family of Katherine Margaret Lanzerotte.*



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September 27, 2017 at 10:12 AM

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“ In her last years, the vicissitudes of age would often only allow her the strength to speak for only ten or fifteen minutes during my visits before falling asleep.

*Unfailingly, her interest was rooted in questions regarding her family particularly her great-grandchildren, Laura and Michael.*

*With decreased vision, she would often greet me with a surprised "JOE" before remembering that her grandson Mark was now bald, and her husband deceased.*

*No greater honor for me than to be mistaken for him.*

*On her 100th birthday, I asked her what she wished for. Her answer was simply, "To be with Joe, I have lived long enough."*

*Happy 103th birthday, Grandma Kay. I am glad your wish finally came true.*

*Say "Hi" to him for me, I miss you both.*

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**Mark Lanzerotte** - September 27, 2017 at 09:55 AM