



Ms. Theresa Cazenave Donatto

December 15, 1919 - October 23, 2017

Theresa "Totsie" C. Donatto

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OPELOUSAS-Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM Thursday, October 26, 2017 at St. Landry Catholic Church for Theresa "Totsie" Donatto, 97, who entered eternal life on Monday, October 23, 2017 at Nottingham Regional Rehab Center in Baton Rouge, LA.

Interment will be in St. Landry Catholic Cemetery. Fr. Jim Brady, Pastor of St. Landry Catholic Church will officiate the Mass of Christian Burial.

Theresa leaves to cherish her memory, sons, Charles Donatto of New Orleans, LA, Merlin Donatto (Eleanor) of Opelousas, LA, Byron Donatto (Francis) of California and Carneal Donatto of Opelousas, LA; daughters, Theresa Stewart of Baton Rouge, LA, Mary Ellen Donatto of Eunice, LA, Kathy Donatto of Scott, LA and Sheletta Donatto of Baton Rouge, LA; (10) ten grandchildren, (9) nine great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and special friends.

Mrs. Donatto was preceded in death by her husband, Jessie Donatto; one son, Hubert Donatto; her parents, Oscar Cazenave and Josephine Ennette Cazenave; her stepmother, Octavia Cazenave; two brothers, James and Benjamin Cazenave and one sister, Daisy Cazenave.

The family request visiting hours be observed from 7:30 AM to 9:30 AM at St. Landry Catholic Church. A Rosary will be recited at 9:30 AM. PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL VISITATION WILL TAKE PLACE PRIOR TO THE ROSARY. (The Mass will begin immediately after the Rosary.)

Share words of comfort with the family of Theresa "Totsie" Donatto on her Permanent Life Tribute Page at www.williamsfuneralhomes.net.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to St. Jude's Children Hospital. Final arrangements entrusted to Williams Funeral Home and Cremation Services of Opelousas. 337.942.2037. 817 E. South Street.

Cemetery Details

St. Landry Catholic Cemetery

OPELOUSAS, LA 70570

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **26**. 7:30 AM - 9:30 AM (CT)

St. Landry Catholic Church
1020 N. Main Street
Opelousas, LA 70570
(337) 942-6552

Service

OCT **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Theresa Cazenave Donatto*

January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM



“ *Dear Kathy & Sheletta,
Roads of life take many twists and turns. As such, you may not remember me. I was in Opelousas from Houston visiting my aunt and while reminiscing about the both of you, asked my aunt if she remembered your mom's name. She is the one who told me about her passing and I looked up the obit. Your mom was always so sweet and kind to me when I used to see her at the store (as well as otherwise). Very joyful memories of her. The road has had many twists, but happy and joyful memories of both of you and your friendship from long ago remain with me. My condolences to you and the family. Wishing the best and most wonderful of life for all of you. With fond memories and prayers...
Ed Auzenne*

Edmond Auzenne - January 08, 2018 at 07:59 PM



“ *I met Theresa (Tatsie) about 5 years ago. I was so happy to meet her. I live in Bellevue Washington. My mother was Elsie (Ellis) Goudeau and she used to talk about Totsie) all the time. My dad was Sylvester Goudeau and his mom was Octavia Enette Goudeau. My uncle Joe Enette also used to talk about those good ole days. I loved their memories and want to express my gratitude for meeting her and sorrow for your loss.
with sympathy,
Gloria (Goudeau) Mercer*

gloria goudeau mercer - October 28, 2017 at 04:41 PM

CL

“ *A sweet and beautiful lady, may she rest in peace.*

Cleo Simien Lemelle - October 28, 2017 at 09:04 AM

CL

“ *Dear Merlin,
My condolences to you and your family. I will keep your mom and
your family in my prayers.*

Connie (Ray) Labat

Constance R Labat - October 27, 2017 at 01:42 PM

CW

“ *So sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs Donatto i remember she and
her family from our home town and all of her kids at our school Holy
Ghost High School in Opelousas,La R.I.P.Mrs Donatto*

Cynthia Collins Williams - October 27, 2017 at 09:20 AM

HC

“ *God Bless You Family In Your Time Of
Sorrow.,,,*



Helen Carriere-Crawford - October 27, 2017 at 12:13 AM

AB

“ I am praying for her family and all who hold her dear as they adjust to her transition.



Andrea Brisco - October 26, 2017 at 10:06 PM

KC

“ Mom and I were saddened to hear about Nan Totsie's passing. Please accept our prayers and thoughts for you at this time and always... Ruth and Kevin Collins

Kevin Collins - October 25, 2017 at 08:31 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ms. Theresa Cazenave Donatto.



October 25, 2017 at 12:13 PM

JA

“ Please accept our heartfelt sympathy on the passing of your mother. May the sorrow that your family is feeling in your hearts be lightened by the love that surrounds you.

James (J C) & Juanita Alsandor

James Alsandor - October 25, 2017 at 10:24 AM

DA

“Guys, I am working on Thursday...so sorry I cannot be there for her service. I have a lot of fond memories of your Mom and family. So sorry for your loss and Randee and I send our deepest condolences to the entire family. Rest in Peace.
Shoes



Dennis Auzenne - October 25, 2017 at 09:36 AM

CC

“May the Lord grant Ms. Totsie eternal joy in His kingdom that was prepared for the faithful like her. We shall always remember and cherish our conversations and visits, not to speak of the delicious goodies she baked and willingly shared. Clifton & Ann Carmon

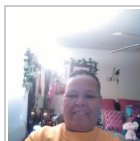
Clifton & Ann Carmon - October 24, 2017 at 10:59 PM

LC

“Leo Cazenave lit a candle in memory of Ms. Theresa Cazenave Donatto



Leo Cazenave - October 24, 2017 at 08:24 PM



“The famiky has the Leger espree family's deepest sympathy's at this time.mrs.ellen donation has always been a famiky friend..may your mother rest in peace..

Margaret Espree - October 24, 2017 at 05:08 PM



Condolences to the family.

James Guidry - October 26, 2017 at 09:36 PM