



## Jennie "Jiovanna" Francisco

May 9, 1916 - April 8, 2020

FRANCISCO, Jennie "Jiovanna"

April 8, 2020. Age 103. Beloved wife of the late John. Loving mother of Frank (Dee Dee) Francisco, Merriann Francisco, Michael (the late Dianna) Francisco, Diana (Kenneth) Kolton, Joanne (Fred) Berg. Proud grandmother of 10, step-grandmother of 2, and 11 dear great-grandchildren. A memorial service celebrating Jennie's life will take place at a later date. Share memories with the family at their "On-Line Guest Book" @ [WujekCalcaterra.com](http://WujekCalcaterra.com).

# Tribute Wall

MH

“Mama Jean would invite me over for dinner after Mr. Francisco had dinner. It was the best food ever! She was always so kind to me & she had a greatest smile! Rest in peace Mama Jean! Love Mark Hickner

Mark Hickner - April 16, 2020 at 01:40 PM

NR

“Jennie was my grandpa Sam Curcuri's girlfriend for years. She was a great lady and always so kind to us. She treated us like her own grandchildren. One of my favorite memories was when her and my grandpa took my sister and I on a train to Toronto to see the Phantom of the Opera. We had such a great time and a lot of laughs. She was a very special lady and I'm sure will be missed by all. RIP “Grandma Jennie”  
Nicole Randazzo



Nicole Curcuri- Randazzo - April 14, 2020 at 05:08 PM

DS

“She was a second mom for us growing up. Jwonderful lady! ❤️ Prayers for your family 🙏

debbie sprader - April 14, 2020 at 11:52 AM

MH

“I am so sorry for the loss to your FAMILY. Knowing now, that your Wonderful Mother is with our LORD JESUS will bring Great Peace to your Hearts. My Prayers are with You Always.

Mike Hoemke - April 13, 2020 at 12:50 PM

PC

“So sorry for your loss. Prayers for the entire family.

Phil Candela

Phil Candela - April 12, 2020 at 06:52 PM

MB

*We are all so sorry for your loss as well. My heart goes out to you all. She was a lovely lady and she sure raised a beautiful family! May she Rest In Peace with our Father in Heaven.*

**Michele Brazier** - April 12, 2020 at 10:56 PM

RH

“ *Our hearts and prayers are with your family during this difficult time. Please know that you are not alone in remembering a truly wonderful woman that meant so much to so many.*

*Pete and Rhonda*

**Rhonda** - April 12, 2020 at 05:36 PM

MH

“ *We are so sorry for the loss of your mother. Jean was an example of love for her family and anyone she met. She extended her kindness to anyone who touched her life. We felt as we were part of her family. God bless your family and hope this will bring you comfort in your days going forward as you heal your pain of loss. We will miss her. Love, Nancy and Mark Hosking*

**Mark W. Hosking** - April 12, 2020 at 11:27 AM

AH

“ *My sincere condolences to the Fransico family. Although I never had the pleasure of meeting her , Ive heard many wonderful things about her from her grandson and my friend Steve Fransico .  
May God illuminate her soul as he illuminated her beautiful life 🙏📖✝️*  
*Avadis Hagopian*

**Avadis Hagopian** - April 11, 2020 at 11:21 AM

MC

“ *Sending our deepest condolences and prayers to the Francisco family during this most difficult time.  
May your sorrows subside knowing that heaven has received a new beautiful angel.*

*Our deepest sympathies..  
Mark Callis & Antoinette Bartolotta*

**Mark Callis** - April 11, 2020 at 11:02 AM

PZ

“ A sweet and gentle soul. I will miss her welcoming smile.  
Until we meet again.  
Rest in peace aunt Jennie  
I love you ❤️

My deepest sympathy to my cousins. ❤️

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**Pamela Zafarana** - April 11, 2020 at 08:44 AM

JZ

“ I love Aunt Jenny. She left me a voicemail on Dec 11, 2016 that I never listened to, saving it for a special moment. That moment was last Sunday night, when she entered into Hospice Care. Just two words: “Hello.... Hello?” What a gift for me to hear her soothing voice again. Aunt Jennie is a beautiful Angel now, as she always has been. She would gently grasp my hand and not let go when we visited.. always ask about my dear wife Linda and the kids.. her presence calmed me more than anyone, ever.

She lives on in us all; thank you all for sharing her, her recipes, and for showing us how a child can honor their parent with such love and devotion. My grief, after losing my own mother, turned soon into determination.. to make her proud of the life I would lead, to shine the very essence of what I admired most..

Take good care and may God lift her close.

Jim and Linda Zafarana Family

T.J. (Kaitlyn), Alexa, Charli (Zach), James, Mac, Nico, and Currie

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**Jim Zafarana** - April 10, 2020 at 11:06 PM

JE

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**jessica\_kreider** - April 10, 2020 at 11:05 PM

SM

“ I believe in the sun even when not shining. I believe in love even when not feeling it. I believe in God even when he is silent. I believe in life even after death. The memory of your mom Jean is cherished by so many. With love to my dear friends The Francisco's~Sandy McKay💕💕

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**Sandy McKay** - April 12, 2020 at 01:00 PM

KV

“ I'll always cherish the memories I have of Jean at the hair salon. She was one of the sweetest ladies I've had the pleasure of knowing. Always enjoyed our weekly visits for many years! Rest In Peace with your heavenly family dear sweet Jean..you will never be forgotten. Love, Karen Vanoverbeke

Karen VanOverbeke - April 10, 2020 at 03:42 PM

PB

“ I have fond memories of Mrs. Fransisco from playing wild rummy, her of course winning every time, to her showing me how to make stuffed artichokes and cassata cake. As of late I treasured my visits with her at Clinton Creek. She always smiled when she saw me and thanked me for visiting. I will miss you so!

Pam Berra - April 10, 2020 at 01:54 PM

CP

She was a beautiful lady, inside and out. My mother loved her from our days on Wilfred St. May she Rest In Peace Love to the Francisco family. ❤️

charlene paglino - April 10, 2020 at 02:46 PM

GK

I haven't seen her in years but her spirit and laughter was so contagious. When I close my eyes I can picture her with that beautiful smile on her face always

Gayle Kalil-Kaiser - April 10, 2020 at 08:41 PM