



## Maria-Lynn Tepatti

October 28, 1954 - February 15, 2024

TEPATTI, Maria-Lynn (nee: Salerno). February 15, 2024. Age 69. Beloved wife of Michael for 47 years. Loving mother of Mary-Lynn Longsworth (Will), Christine King (Kevin), and Michael Tepatti (Susie). Proud and loving Ria and Yaya of her grandchildren Ross, Dominic, Corinne, Mara, Alexander, and Michael. Dear sister of Vince Salerno, Donna Cillette (John), and Tom Salerno (Patty). Predeceased by her loving parents Gasper and Mary Salerno and her brother Frank Salerno. Maria-Lynn had a deep faith and an unwavering love for her family. She found her life's greatest joy in loving her family and being with them whenever possible. Visitation Sunday 5-9pm and Monday 1-8pm with a 7pm Rosary at Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons, Inc., 36900 Schoenherr at Metro Parkway (16 Mile), Sterling Heights. Instate Tuesday 9:30am until time of 10am Mass at St. Anastasia Catholic Church, 4571 John R. (N. of Wattles), Troy. Interment, Resurrection Cemetery, Clinton Township. Memorial contributions to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen ([www.cskdetroit.org](http://www.cskdetroit.org)) or Karmanos Cancer Institute ([www.karmanos.org](http://www.karmanos.org)) are appreciated. Please share memories with the family at their online guestbook at [WujekCalcaterra.com](http://WujekCalcaterra.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road  
Clinton Township, MI 48038

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wujek - Calcaterra & Sons Inc - Sterling  
36900 SCHOENHERR RD  
Sterling Heights, MI 48312

## Visitation

FEB 19. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wujek - Calcaterra & Sons Inc - Sterling  
36900 SCHOENHERR RD  
Sterling Heights, MI 48312

## Rosary

FEB 19. 7:00 PM (ET)

Wujek - Calcaterra & Sons Inc - Sterling  
36900 SCHOENHERR RD  
Sterling Heights, MI 48312

## Instate / Funeral Mass

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FEB **20**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Anastasia  
4571 John R.  
Troy, MI 48089

# Tribute Wall

BY

“ *Bennett and Natalie Yasskin purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*



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**Bennett and Natalie Yasskin** - February 21, 2024 at 04:47 PM

BY

“ *Bennett and Natalie Yasskin planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*

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**Bennett and Natalie Yasskin** - February 21, 2024 at 04:47 PM

MS

“ *Michael S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*

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**Michael S.** - February 19, 2024 at 06:25 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*



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February 19, 2024 at 10:13 AM

RS

“ Rob Snook purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Rob Snook** - February 19, 2024 at 10:11 AM

FR

“ Francelle R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**Francelle R.** - February 19, 2024 at 07:35 AM

MF

“ Mike and the Lafferty Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Mike and the Lafferty Family** - February 19, 2024 at 12:01 AM

MF

“ Mike and the Lafferty Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**Mike and the Lafferty Family** - February 19, 2024 at 12:01 AM

CM

“ Claudia and Chris Mireles purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Claudia and Chris Mireles** - February 18, 2024 at 12:14 PM

TC

“ The Czubaj's planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**The Czubaj's** - February 18, 2024 at 12:04 PM

TP

“ The Pfeiffer's purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**The Pfeiffer's** - February 18, 2024 at 11:41 AM

TP

“ The Pfeiffer's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**The Pfeiffer's** - February 18, 2024 at 11:41 AM

KR

“ I was incredibly shocked and saddened to hear about Maria's passing. Right now I am looking at her beautiful photo with tears forming at the sadness felt by me and anyone who knew and loved her. I can feel her warmth, beauty, and laughter that she spread all around, all the time. I have so many memories of laughing with her and just enjoying being in her presence. I know that she was a devout woman of faith and that God is taking good care of her now. I also know how much she loved her family, and she can rest knowing that she raised amazing children and was loved deeply by Mike, Christine, Mary-Lynn, Michael and all of those precious grandchildren. We all will miss her so much and I will think of her fondly and lovingly.

With Love,  
Kathy Romant

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**Kathleen Romant** - February 18, 2024 at 11:39 AM

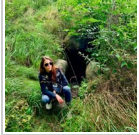
PI

“ Powder Cote II purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Powder Cote II** - February 18, 2024 at 08:11 AM



“ Mike, Mary-Lynn, Christine, Michael and Families,

*Maria was such a special person and I know how much you'll miss her. I'll never forget her kindness and caring, and the many fond memories our families shared. Thinking of you all and sending my love.*

*Love,  
Alexis*

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**Alexis Martin** - February 17, 2024 at 08:19 PM

LF

“ Love, Jim Fleming and Family purchased the Beautiful Whisper for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Love, Jim Fleming and Family** - February 17, 2024 at 08:18 PM

LF

“ Love, Jim Fleming and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**Love, Jim Fleming and Family** - February 17, 2024 at 08:18 PM

D&

“ David &. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**David &.** - February 17, 2024 at 07:58 PM

WF

“ With love, the Rayfield family. purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



With love, the Rayfield family. - February 17, 2024 at 05:28 PM

JN

“ Jeff and Peggy Nyberg purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



Jeff and Peggy Nyberg - February 17, 2024 at 04:26 PM

JN

“ Jeff and Peggy Nyberg planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

Jeff and Peggy Nyberg - February 17, 2024 at 04:26 PM

TT

“ The Steelcase GCC and Midwest Teams purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



The Steelcase GCC and Midwest Teams - February 17, 2024 at 03:33 PM

TT

“ *The Steelcase GCC and Midwest Teams planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*

**The Steelcase GCC and Midwest Teams** - February 17, 2024 at 03:33 PM

ES

“ *Esther lit a candle in memory of Maria-Lynn Tepatti*



**Esther** - February 17, 2024 at 12:50 PM

KG

“ *Karen Gonko purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*



**Karen Gonko** - February 17, 2024 at 12:16 PM

MF

“ *Michael's College Friends purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*



**Michael's College Friends** - February 17, 2024 at 11:49 AM

FM

“ From Pat ,Essam Omar and Suzi Montasir purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**From Pat ,Essam Omar and Suzi Montasir** - February 17, 2024 at 11:19 AM

FM

“ From Pat ,Essam Omar and Suzi Montasir planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**From Pat ,Essam Omar and Suzi Montasir** - February 17, 2024 at 11:19 AM

TF

“ The Benavides Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**The Benavides Family** - February 17, 2024 at 10:46 AM

TK

“ The Cooper Kids planted a grove of 10 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**The Cooper Kids** - February 17, 2024 at 10:10 AM

JW

“ Joe and Anne Marie Walkiewicz purchased the *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet* for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Joe and Anne Marie Walkiewicz** - February 16, 2024 at 09:12 PM

ND

“ When Maria walked into a room, everyone in the room brightened up. She was filled with such spirit and was so much fun to know. I worked with her at Chippewa Valley and loved to talk with her. Her smile was amazing and she was very dedicated to her students and friends. My thoughts go out to her wonderful family. I know from sharing stories with Maria that you are a close clan. May God help you through these days.

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**Nancy DeLisle-Walker** - February 16, 2024 at 08:09 PM

LM

“ May comfort and peace surround the Tepatti and Salerno families during your difficult loss. As a St. Veronica and Regina alumni, friend of Frank Salerno, and sister of Maria's dear friend Cindy Radlick, I express my deepest sympathy and may God be with you in the days to come.  
Sincerely, Lori Monacelli

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**Lori Monacelli** - February 16, 2024 at 07:58 PM

AF

“ Al and Mary Cat Flath purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Al and Mary Cat Flath** - February 16, 2024 at 07:29 PM

GV

“ Gene and Linda Vennettilli planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**Gene and Linda Vennettilli** - February 16, 2024 at 04:29 PM

BM

“ Beth Hill, Emily Burns, Missy McHugh purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Beth Hill, Emily Burns, Missy McHugh** - February 16, 2024 at 02:41 PM

BM

“ Beth Hill, Emily Burns, Missy McHugh planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**Beth Hill, Emily Burns, Missy McHugh** - February 16, 2024 at 02:41 PM

CD

“ I met Maria when I taught 4th grade at Ottawa Elementary. She was a teacher consultant for one of my students. I loved her! She was so kind and funny! She had the best smile. My prayers of comfort and peace are with her family.

Cheri Dwyer

Cheri Dwyer - February 16, 2024 at 01:07 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



February 16, 2024 at 12:52 PM

BM

“ Barton Malow purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



Barton Malow - February 16, 2024 at 12:25 PM

BM

“ Barton Malow planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

Barton Malow - February 16, 2024 at 12:25 PM

PA

“ Our hearts are saddened for the entire Tepatti family. God bless her always. You are all in our prayers.  
With deepest sympathy, The Amine Family



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**Patti Amine** - February 16, 2024 at 11:59 AM

JP

“ I am hit hard by Maria's passing and feel so sad that I haven't been able to communicate with her, but certainly understand. Thank you Christina and siblings for keeping us up to date with the emails. Maria was just pure sunshine to me, always warm and fuzzy and so much fun. I loved being around her. I feel so sad for her last year of life being so tough. She certainly didn't deserve that, but she sure was a warrior. I'm happy that her suffering has stopped and know she will be well received in Heaven. She will always be remembered.  
Joanne Paul

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**Joanne Paul** - February 16, 2024 at 11:41 AM

FB

“ Fondly, Ken & Barb Bekelja purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Fondly, Ken & Barb Bekelja** - February 16, 2024 at 11:16 AM

FB

“ Fondly, Ken & Barb Bekelja planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**Fondly, Ken & Barb Bekelja** - February 16, 2024 at 11:16 AM

LB

“ Love Mom, Dad, your sisters and brothers purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Love Mom, Dad, your sisters and brothers** - February 16, 2024 at 11:07 AM

LC

“ Love, Ryan & Sarah Chandonnet purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Love, Ryan & Sarah Chandonnet** - February 16, 2024 at 10:56 AM

JA

“ Maria was one of the most beautiful people, inside and out, that I ever had the honor of working with. I always looked forward to her smiling face when she came into the board office. Some people have a way of touching your life...Maria was one of those people. Our loss is Heaven's gain. Love you Maria.  
Jane Agrusa  
Chippewa Valley Special Education Secretary

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**Jane Agrusa** - February 16, 2024 at 10:07 AM

YA

“ Your friends at Rockwell Automation purchased the *Written in the Stars* for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Your friends at Rockwell Automation** - February 16, 2024 at 10:05 AM

MD

“ Mark and Rae Davis purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Mark and Rae Davis** - February 16, 2024 at 09:54 AM

BC

“ On behalf of the Capuchin brothers I offer my deepest sympathies on the passing of Maria-Lynn. It is truly humbling to receive memorial donations in honor of her life. Please be assured of my prayers for the entire Tepatti family during this great time of grief. May perpetual light shine upon Maria-Lynn.

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**Br Nick Blattner OFM Capuchin** - February 16, 2024 at 09:53 AM

CW

“ Carolyn W. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Carolyn W.** - February 16, 2024 at 07:58 AM

YF

“ Your NBS Family purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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Your NBS Family - February 16, 2024 at 07:01 AM

YF

“ Your NBS Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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Your NBS Family - February 16, 2024 at 07:01 AM

LF

“ Lori Powe and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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Lori Powe and Family - February 16, 2024 at 06:50 AM

LF

“ Lori Powe and Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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Lori Powe and Family - February 16, 2024 at 06:50 AM

JF

“ Jakinovich Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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Jakinovich Family - February 15, 2024 at 10:18 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*



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February 15, 2024 at 10:18 PM



“ *Jennifer & Rob Krut planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*

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**Jennifer & Rob Krut** - February 15, 2024 at 09:58 PM



“ *Jennifer & Rob Krut purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*



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**Jennifer & Rob Krut** - February 15, 2024 at 09:58 PM



“ *Rachel & Amalia purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*



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**Rachel & Amalia** - February 15, 2024 at 09:28 PM



“ *Carrie & Taso Sofikitis planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.*

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**Carrie & Taso Sofikitis** - February 15, 2024 at 09:20 PM

CS

“ Carrie & Taso Sofikitis purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Carrie & Taso Sofikitis** - February 15, 2024 at 09:20 PM

FS

“ From The Schaffers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**From The Schaffers** - February 15, 2024 at 07:39 PM

FS

“ From The Schaffers purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**From The Schaffers** - February 15, 2024 at 07:39 PM

KW

“ Kris and Jenny Wong planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**Kris and Jenny Wong** - February 15, 2024 at 07:06 PM

KW

“ Kris and Jenny Wong purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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**Kris and Jenny Wong** - February 15, 2024 at 07:06 PM

JS

“ Jim and Diane Seitz planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

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**Jim and Diane Seitz** - February 15, 2024 at 05:43 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



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February 15, 2024 at 05:43 PM

PM

“ Patricia. Montasir lit a candle in memory of Maria-Lynn Tepatti



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**Patricia. Montasir** - February 15, 2024 at 05:37 PM

TF

“ The Henry Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

The Henry Family - February 15, 2024 at 05:19 PM

TF

“ The Henry Family purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



The Henry Family - February 15, 2024 at 05:19 PM

KR

“ Kristin Rosenbloom planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.

Kristin Rosenbloom - February 15, 2024 at 04:57 PM

KR

“ Kristin Rosenbloom purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Maria-Lynn Tepatti.



Kristin Rosenbloom - February 15, 2024 at 04:57 PM