



Tonita A. Granado

May 21, 1924 - June 2, 2017

Tonita A. Granado passed away peacefully on June 2, 2017 at home surrounded by family. Born to Narciso and Antonia Avila May 21, 1924 in Richmond, CA. Growing up in Point Richmond, CA, she married John C. Granado in 1946, moving to Napa in 1955 to raise their still-growing family.

A homemaker for years she also worked in the early years of Justin-Siena High School teaching typing and sewing. She enjoyed summer vacation traveling with family throughout the U.S., Canada and Mexico. She loved to volunteer helping to serve meals at The Table and counting the weekly Mass collections for St. Joan of Arc Church in Yountville. For years she was an active member of the YLI and the Napa Valley Association for the Retarded where she donated countless hours advocating for the disabled. Her greatest love was her family and we will miss her daily. She will forever be in our hearts.

She is survived by her sons J.J. (grandson Jon Jon), Nick, Joel, David, daughter Annette Irwin (Lon) and many nieces and nephews. She is predeceased by her husband John who passed away Feb. 12, 2017, her son Narcy who passed away in 1958 and all her siblings. All are invited to a Memorial Mass June 14, 2017, 10:00am at St. Joan of arc in Yountville with reception to follow in church hall.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Collabria Care of Napa Valley or St. Jude Hospital.

Events

JUN **Memorial Mass** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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St. Joan of Arc

6404 Washington St, Yountville, CA, US, 94599

Comments



“ Mrs. Granado was such a kind, patient sewing teacher at Justin-Siena. One of the favorite classes I had as an elective at JSHS and to the family, my deepest sympathies in your loss. She was a teacher who left an impression on me and I too, still sew and look back on how much she inspired my willingness to learn a lifelong skill.

Kerri Hammond-Abreu, Class of 1977

Kerri Abreu - June 17, 2017 at 05:31 AM



“ Ruth Moale lit a candle in memory of Tonita A. Granado



Ruth Moale - June 14, 2017 at 11:08 AM



“ Mrs Granado was my sewing teacher at Siena. She was a wonderful sweet lady that was very patient and kind. I learned how to sew because of her gentle way. So sorry for your loss Granado family. With Sympathy, Ruth Clark Moale, Siena High School 1970.

Ruth Moale - June 14, 2017 at 11:07 AM



“ A great teacher! I loved her sewing class in high school. I still sew today. Thank you for the great memories of class.

Nancy O'Byrne - June 09, 2017 at 08:10 AM