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Lawrence “Larry” James Cariota, 81, passed away December 11, 2013. He was born October 22, 1932 in Memphis, TN to Rose and Harry Cariota. He graduated Memphis Catholic High School. He was a member of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. He was a communicant and longtime usher of Holy Rosary Catholic Church. He is survived his wife of 58 years, Beverly; daughters, Janet Shivers (Jim) and Karen Pannell (Wayne); sons, Lawrence James Cariota, Jr. (Laura) and Mark William Cariota (Debi); sister, Mary Cianciola; ten grandchildren; and fifteen great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Amy Rebecca Cariota. Visitation will be 5-8 p.m., Sunday, December 15 and funeral mass will be at 10 a.m., Monday, December 16 at Holy Rosary Catholic Church. Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery. The family requests any donations be sent to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Memorial Park Funeral Home and Cemetery 5668 Poplar Ave. Memphis, TN 38119, (901)767-8930, “Behind the Stone Wall”



Tribute Wall

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Krissy posted:

My papaw was the greatest man I ever knew! Words can not describe the love that he showed his family. He was first a man of God and tried in every way to put God first. He sincerely loved his wife and he showed everyone what true love looks like. He was a very handsome, smart, and loving man who was treasured here on this earth and will be greatly missed. I love you my sweet papaw and thank you for taking me and showing me everything you did. I will miss you so very very much but I will always keep you in my heart. I will never forget what you have taught me or the time we spent together. I will carry on your memory and teach my children what you have shown me! Love you, Krissy

December 17 at 2:05 PM



Karen posted:

On December 11, 2013 My dad left this world to be with his Savior, Jesus Christ. He was my Hero. I love him so much that reality has not set in. Memories will stay in my mind and heart forever. He was the most loving and thoughtful man. He cared so much about me that he would not leave me alone until he knew everything was ok. I feel he will always be here because the heart goes on. He taught me so much but most of all he taught about God's love and the love he had for me will continue by me loving others how he did. Dad you are the best dad ever and oh how I love you and miss you till we meet in Heaven you will be with me in spirit. I LOVE YOU DAD! Your baby girl Karen

December 17 at 10:59 AM



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