



## Rosalie Laura Vaccarello

November 20, 1932 - October 6, 2020

Rosalie Laura (Formusa) Vaccarello, passed away at 87 years old on October 6, 2020, after a long battle with Parkinson's disease. Born in Chicago, Rose was the beloved wife of the late Frank "Cheech" Vaccarello and devoted sister of the late Mary Ellen Robertson. She is survived by her 6 children: Mary, Thomas (Daphne), Virginia (Joseph), Philip (Anita), Vincent, and Frank (Carmen); 12 grandchildren: Mara (Christopher), Christopher (Alexandra), Daniel, Alyssa, Bianca (Carlos), Matthew G. (Emylee), David (Ashley), Matthew C., Joseph, Andrew, Laura, Frank, Danielle, and Andrea; 8 great grandchildren: Raquelle, Aria, Aquilina, Nikolai, Hezekiah, Gianna, Josiah, and Maddison; many nieces and nephews.

Rose was deeply devoted to her family, friends and Catholic faith. She loved to cook and entertain, and enjoyed the friendship and interaction that came with "breaking bread" together. She held many positions, but of note was her years of employment as a cardiologist technician at Gottlieb Hospital in Melrose Park, IL. Upon her retirement she continued to help others through volunteer work at the Catholic Church and with the Italian American Society.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Saturday, October 24, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. at Saint Angela Merici Catholic Church, 575 S. Walnut Ave, Brea, CA. The wearing of masks and social distancing is required while attending services. Rose will be laid to rest following the Mass at Memory Garden Memorial Park

in Brea, attended by immediate family only. Condolences can be sent to the Vaccarello Family at: 326 Jasmine Dr., Brea, CA. 92821

# Cemetery Details

## Memory Garden Memorial Park

455 West Central Avenue  
Brea, CA 92821  
<http://www.memorygarden.com>

# Previous Events

## Mass

OCT **24**. 10:00 AM (PT)

St. Angela Merici  
575 S Walnut Ave.  
Brea, CA 92821

## Graveside Service

OCT **24**. 11:15 AM (PT)

Memory Garden Memorial Park  
455 W Central Ave  
Brea, CA 92821

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.*



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October 23, 2020 at 05:35 PM



“ *The Gamarra Family from Peru purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.*



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**The Gamarra Family from Peru** - October 22, 2020 at 04:44 PM



“ *Donna Montforton purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.*



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**Donna Montforton** - October 22, 2020 at 06:48 AM



“ *Peace Eternal Wreath was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.*



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October 21, 2020 at 06:01 PM



“ *Rose Impression Casket Spray* was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.



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October 20, 2020 at 06:36 PM



“ *Son YI purchased the Deepest Faith* for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.



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**Son YI** - October 20, 2020 at 04:28 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.



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October 19, 2020 at 01:08 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.



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October 18, 2020 at 10:18 PM



“ *Glorious Grace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.



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October 18, 2020 at 11:14 AM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.



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October 17, 2020 at 06:40 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray* was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.



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October 17, 2020 at 06:12 PM

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“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



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**Anita** - October 16, 2020 at 08:14 PM

DY

“ We surely miss our card parties. Especially when Rosie sang and entertained us.  
May you be at peace always. Love Debbie & Betty

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**Debbie A Yeager** - October 16, 2020 at 04:37 PM

CA

“ Found a few more gems.



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**Carlos Alcantara** - October 16, 2020 at 01:38 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Frank** - October 15, 2020 at 10:18 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.



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October 15, 2020 at 06:58 PM

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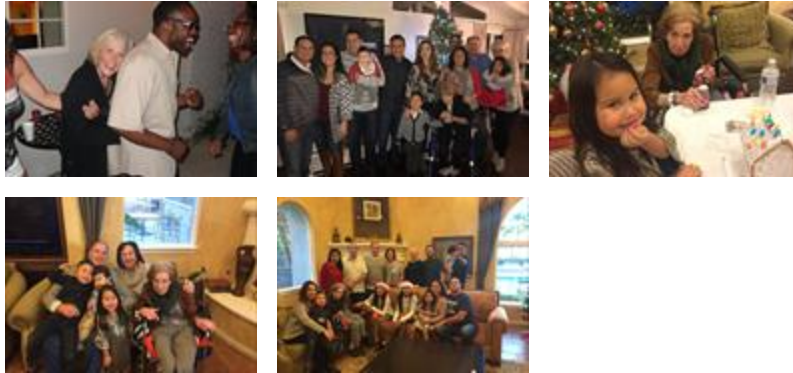
“ We had some wonderful times as next door neighbors. I remember Rosie opening a window wide in the middle of winter. I asked her why and she said with four boys sharing the room it needs daily airing even in the dead of winter. She shared her tips on making the best spaghetti gravy in the world and partying Saturday nights with the surrounding friends was almost a weekly occurrence. We miss all of you.

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**Claire and Marv Beyer** - October 15, 2020 at 03:46 PM

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“ 64 files added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Carlos Alcantara** - October 15, 2020 at 11:44 AM

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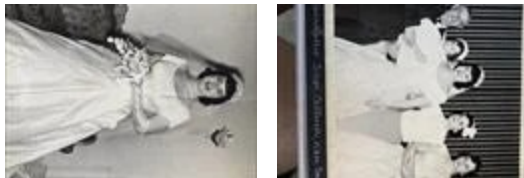


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**Carlos Alcantara** - October 15, 2020 at 11:38 AM

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**Ginny Vaccarello** - October 14, 2020 at 07:58 PM

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“ *Rose and Cheech, May 14, 1955*



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**Ginny Vaccarello** - October 14, 2020 at 07:56 PM

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*So so beautiful..*

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**Debbie A Yeager** - October 16, 2020 at 04:34 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Rosalie Laura Vaccarello.*



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October 14, 2020 at 04:28 AM

LE

“ *We send our deepest condolences to the entire family. We loved Rosie; her zest for life, her quick wit and wonderful sense of humor, but most especially her big heart. We pray that loving memories will give you comfort and strengthen you through the difficult times.*  
*With love,*  
*Lea, Erin and Katrina*

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**Lea** - October 13, 2020 at 11:40 PM

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Tom Vaccarello - October 12, 2020 at 08:18 PM

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Tom Vaccarello - October 12, 2020 at 08:14 PM

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Tom Vaccarello - October 12, 2020 at 08:09 PM

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*Rose with dan v and mary pavlides....*

Tom Vaccarello - October 12, 2020 at 08:10 PM



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**Tom Vaccarello** - October 12, 2020 at 08:06 PM



*Rose out with the girls*

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**Tom Vaccarello** - October 12, 2020 at 08:08 PM