



## Anna Kolasa

July 24, 1920 - April 4, 2009

Anna Kolasa (nee Furgal), 88, passed away at her home in Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan on April 4, 2009. Anna was born on July 24, 1920 in Buffalo, New York. Her parents, Stanley and Mary (nee Majewski) Furgal were both Polish immigrants. She grew up on Detroit's Westside and graduated from Chadsey High School. After high school she worked in the downtown offices of SS Kresge. Later she handled bookkeeping for the family real estate business.

For 52 years, Anna was the dear wife of the late Zenon John Kolasa. She was also the dear mother of Diane (Michael) Zucker of South Lake Tahoe, CA, Robert (Eileen) Kolasa of Lake Forest, IL and Laura (William) Ridella of Detroit, Michigan. She was the beloved grandmother of Kelsey, Thomas, Carter, Carolyn, Christina and George. Loving sister of Helen (Al) Mlynarczyk, the late Jean (John) Zrembski and Matty Furgal. Dear sister in law of Halina (the late Julius) Lewandowski and Laura (the late Mitchell) Malicki. Also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

# Previous Events

## Service

APR 9. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Hyacinth  
3151 Farnsworth  
Detroit, Mi

# Tribute Wall



“ *Laura and family, I just found out of your loss and my prayers and thoughts are with you. (Karen Williams)*###imported-begin###*Karen Montreuil*###imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 09:24 AM



“ *Laura, Diane, Robert and family,*

*We're sorry we can't be with you today, but we send our condolences on the loss of your kind mother. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Love,*

*Stephen, Amanda, Aimee and Nolan*###imported-begin###*Stephen, Amanda, Aimee and Nolan*###imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 08:58 AM



“ *To the Family, May each of you find comfort in knowing that God is "near to those that are broken at heart; and those who are crushed in spirit he saves." (Psalm 34;18) He has promised to soon "swallow up death forever...and wipe the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25;8) Take care,*###imported-begin###*valerie thompson*###imported-end##

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April 08, 2009 at 12:11 PM



“ Every time I have visited Robert's family in Detroit it was as if I was among my own extended family. I think that the gift of hospitality is a gift from God and that the Kolasas' always exhibited this -and still do. Anna and Zennon made connecting with others a priority and it shows through their kids and grandchildren. Robert, one could not ask for a better brother-in-law than you. Robert, Laura and Diane, God bless you guys.

Randy##imported-begin##Randy Urban##imported-end##

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April 08, 2009 at 09:20 AM



“ Diane,  
I am very sorry for your loss. I am thinking about you during this difficult time. Thank you for keeping in touch. Laney##imported-begin##Laney Dollard Robinson##imported-end##

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April 07, 2009 at 08:17 PM



“ Laura and Family

You are in my thoughts and prayers. May you find comfort in all the beautiful memories you have of your Mom.

Elaine Stefanski##imported-begin##Elaine Stefanski##imported-end##

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April 07, 2009 at 06:35 PM



“ *To Diane, Laura and Robert and all of your family - I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. She was a gracious and gentle hostess in my visits to her and your dad's home. May God help you with your sadness and glorify your celebration of her life.*

*Love,*

*Sally LePla###imported-begin##Sally LePla###imported-end##*

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April 06, 2009 at 10:44 PM