



## Rita Acchione

August 28, 1933 - June 7, 2026

Rita Acchione, a lifelong Michigan resident, passed away peacefully on June 7, 2026, at the age of 92. She was born in Detroit, Michigan, on August 28, 1933.

Rita's life was centered on faith, family, and the people she loved. She shared a beautiful marriage of 70 years with her beloved husband, Larry, creating a lifetime of cherished memories together. A devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, and friend, Rita's greatest joy was the time she spent with her family.

She was the loving mother of Sandy (Jim) Barrett, Lauren (Tom) Balames, and Lynn Waun. Rita was an exceptionally proud grandmother (Ommie) of Elizabeth (Justin) Pattyn, Robbie Barrett, Taylor (Christopher) George, Katherine (Michael) Neuman, and Jillian Waun. She was also the adoring great-grandmother of Lincoln Pattyn and Maren and Rory George, each of whom brought immense happiness to her life.

Rita is further survived by her dear sister, Gloria Bercel. She was preceded in death by her sisters, Margie Stelzer and Wilma Danielak.

Rita will be remembered for her grace, kindness, strength, unwavering devotion to her family, and the love she freely shared with all who knew her.

Her legacy lives on through the generations of family she nurtured and loved so dearly.

Mrs. Acchione will lie in state Friday from 10:30 a.m. until the time of an 11:00 a.m. Funeral Mass at St. Francis/St. Maximilian Catholic Church, 62811 New Haven Road (west of North Avenue), Ray Township.

She will be deeply missed and forever remembered by her family and all who were blessed to know her.

Memorial donations in lieu of floral tributes may be directed, in Rita's memory, to the Health Well Foundation 20440 Century Blvd. Suite 250 Germantown, MD 20874 <https://secure.healthwellfoundation.org/forms/donate>

# Upcoming Events

## Instate in church

JUN **12**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Francis - St. Maximilan Church  
62811 New Haven Road  
Ray, MI 48096

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