



Valda George

October 14, 1922 - July 10, 2012

The family of Valda M. George sadly announces that our loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother died at Huntington Hospital on Tuesday, July 10 after a brief illness. Her death comes at a time just shy of her reaching the milestones of what would have been her 90th birthday (October) and 70th wedding anniversary (December). The eldest daughter of Silvio and Alice Bianchi; sister to her deceased brother and sister Renzo Bianchi and Blanche Leonello, Val grew up in the greater New York City boroughs of Brooklyn, Manhattan (Greenwich Village) and Queens (Rego Park) Soon after moving to the Village she met her future husband Dominick playing stickball at age 14. After their friendship had fully developed into true love they were married on December 30, 1942. Soon after Dom returned from service in the Azores they decided to move out to the "wilds" of South Huntington after saving the \$10.00 needed to place a deposit on the home they have resided in since 1950. It was here that they raised their sons Bob and Dan and hosted countless family events and backyard BBQ's. At first a very contented stay-at-home mom who loved to wash, iron and hang her laundry on the backyard line to dry, Val re-entered the workforce when her boys were old enough and over time became a much loved and well respected administrative secretary at both the Beverly Hills and Birchwood elementary schools in South Huntington. This was a position she was meant to fill and excel at as many of her ex Beverly and Birchwood families and fellow faculty members will attest to. And what a storyteller she was! So much so that her mother Alice lovingly nick-named Val

a "chiacchierona" or chatterbox in Italian. Truly, Val will be missed by all who knew her well. Sometimes stubborn and outspoken concerning the things she deeply cared about, she nonetheless always found a kind word or heartfelt thought to express to all those she met or worked with. She loved her husband Dominick, her children Bob and Dan, her grandchildren and their spouses, Heather and Chris, Collin, Kevin and Brooke, Nick and Kelsey, her great-grandchildren Liadan, Brannagh, Gabriella and Kendall and all her extended family including her dear nieces Diane and Linda, daughters of her late sister Blanche as well as their brother Bill who Val always said would have made the best PE teacher ever had he decided to become one. Our family also wants to thank Val's special, long time friends Helen Novinski, Helen Thompson and Joan Cathcart for being there for her throughout the years. An additional heartfelt thanks is extended to all the staff at Huntington Hospital who worked so valiantly over the past week in assisting our wife and mom in her fight to live. Lastly, thanks to our good neighbor Carolyn Thide for her loving, active support of our family during this past week's heavy trial.

Tribute Wall



“ *Valda George*

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“ *I could have sat and listened to her stories for hours. She is missed.*

Lauren Moloney Laker - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM