



Blanche Potts

January 21, 1919 - August 8, 2010

Blanche Potts, 91, beloved wife, mother and grandmother, died on August 8, 2010. Born Blanche Sokolowski on January 21, 1919, she was a seamstress during and after WWII. She married Walter Potts, former mayor of Deptford, NJ, on April 25, 1942 who predeceased her. As well as a caring and generous homemaker, she was employed as a wirewrapper for RCA and other local companies, was active in the Democratic Party and worked local elections for many years. Blanche, a founding member of Most Holy Redeemer Parish, very much enjoyed her years as a choir member. Most of all, Blanche will be remembered for her devotion to her family, especially her grandchildren whom she adored, and her kindness and generosity to her friends. Her stories, handed down to her children and grandchildren, of her youth as a farm girl and maid in eastern Pennsylvania during the Great Depression will never be forgotten. Blanche is also predeceased by her son Michael Potts, her parents, Jacob and Stella Sokolowski, her sister Genevieve Skowronek, and her brother Zigmond Sokolowski. She is survived by her children, Lawrence Potts of Deptford, NJ, and Bernice Brody of Hopewell Junction, NY, her grandchildren Jessica and Allison Brody, nephew Edward Skowronek, nieces Carol Skowronek and Arline Sidle, and great nieces and nephews. Relatives and friends are invited to attend a viewing Wednesday 7pm to 9pm and Thursday 8:30am to 9:30am at BOUCHER FUNERAL HOME, 1757 Delsea Dr., Deptford. Mass of Christian Burial 10am Thursday at Most Holy Redeemer Church, Westville Grove. Interment Gloucester County Veterans

Cemetery, Williamstown. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to St. John of God Community Services, 1145 Delsea Dr., Westville, NJ 08093.

Tribute Wall



“ *Blanche Potts*

November 27, 2022 at 03:45 PM



“ *I am SO sad to learn about Cousin Blanche's death now, in 2019. I have many sweet memories of her and wish my cousins peace and love. God bless you all, Grace Bubulka*

Grace Bubulka - April 09, 2019 at 05:08 PM



“ *Larry and Bernice lost their best friend. Someone who put their needs and wishes above all things. It was good that they had a chance to minister to her in her later years. I'm sure she appreciated their help and concern. I hope we can all pass on that feeling of caring for others in our lives so Mrs. Potts legacy will live on. To Larry, I can only say that I know how you feel. It helped me to pack up all my Mother's health care items, walker and wheel chair and pass them on to the next needy family. I also threw away all the papers and notes about her illness and health needs. At the burial service, I left all my resentment and bad feeling towards my relatives and life in general in the grave with my Mother, to start a new. Thanks for being my friend all these years - Larry.*

Glen Dalessandro - August 15, 2010 at 10:58 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathy to Bernice and her family. We know she can take comfort in celebrating the beautiful life of her mother, Blanche, and the warm love of Jeff, Jessica, Allison, her family, and friends. We send our love, affection, and prayers. Tom & Anita*

Anita & Tom Liguori - August 12, 2010 at 08:23 AM

BB

“ We were sorry to hear about your Mother. Hope all of you are doing well, you are in our thoughts and prayers.
Love you all Brian and Marian

Brian Brody - August 11, 2010 at 03:16 PM

CH

“ I have such wonderful memories of Cousin Blanche and her family in New Jersey. She was a beautiful woman inside and out and I'll always remember her laughter that would cheer up any family get-together. God bless her children, Larry and Bernice, and all who loved her.

Cousin Grace Hatmaker - August 11, 2010 at 02:47 PM

JL

“ Dear Larry and Bernice, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. I have such fond memories of Cousin Blanche, as our families shared many wonderful times together during our childhood. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.
Love, Cousin Joan

Joan (Bubulka) Link - August 11, 2010 at 02:02 PM

CT

“ Bernice, I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time. Love, Ciri

Ciri Tursi - August 11, 2010 at 12:09 PM

DS

“ Dear Larry and Family - So sorry to hear about your mom. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. Love, Jerry and Debbie Sternberg

Debra Sternberg - August 11, 2010 at 12:09 PM

JW

“ Dear Bernice and Jeff,
My thoughts are with you in this difficult time. Having lost my mother not so long ago, I know how difficult it is. But she will be with you every day in your heart.

JoAnn Winson - August 11, 2010 at 09:30 AM

JS

“ In our prayers.

Jerry & Debra Sternberg - August 11, 2010 at 08:07 AM

DL

“ As a friend of Bernice, I know that your whole family feels the effects of this death. My prayers and thoughts are with the family during this time.

Dr. April Lauper - August 11, 2010 at 08:04 AM

SC

“ My most sincere sympathy to Larry and Bernice, Jeff, Jessica and Allison

Sue Copple - August 10, 2010 at 09:41 PM

CS

“ Thinking of all of you - you are all in our thoughts and prayers. Ciocia Blanche, my very special aunt, will surely be missed. She now joins her sister, Genevieve, my mother.
The Southern Branch of the family, Carol, Ken and Robbie

Carol Skowronek - August 10, 2010 at 06:57 PM

LW

“ Dear Bernice and Jeff,
My heart is with you. Your mother was remarkable.

Lilian Wu - August 10, 2010 at 06:16 PM

SC

“ Bernice and Family, what a beautiful tribute to your mom. She sounds like she was a wonderful woman, and I am sure the memories of her life and her legacy will carry with you always. God bless her soul and may she rest in peace.

Susan Cuesta - August 10, 2010 at 06:10 PM

GC

“ Bernice and Jeff, I am very sorry about loss of your loved one. My thoughts and prayers are for you and your family at this time.

Girija Cheruvu - August 10, 2010 at 03:42 PM

BC

“ Dearest Bernice, Sincerest sympathies for your loss, and am sending your family heartfelt prayers during this sad time. May all your lovely memories of both of your parents wrap you in a blanket of comfort whenever you need it. Loads of love and God's blessings, Barbara Clark

Barbara Clark - August 10, 2010 at 03:17 PM

VB

“ *Bernice,
I was saddened to hear the news of your mother's passing.
Although I did not know her, I do know the special bond between a
mother and a daughter, and I miss my mom who has been gone
almost four years. Although this is a difficult time for you and your
family, I pray that soon you will be able to cherish those special
memories of her in your heart.*

Vi Brown - August 10, 2010 at 02:24 PM

DA

“ *To the family of Blanche,
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I have very fond memories of not
only Blanche, but also Walter when I was also a member of the
choir at Most Holy Redeemer. Now She is in heaven singing with
the ANGELS.
Please know that your entire family is in my thoughts and prayers at
this difficult time. Always remember the good times, and know that
Blanche will always be with you.....
Donna Auerswald*

Donna Auerswald - August 10, 2010 at 11:37 AM

SK

“ *Blanche Potts*

Sarah Kumin - August 10, 2010 at 09:48 AM

MT

“ *Bernice, we were so sorry to hear that your Mom passed away.
Wanted you to know that our thoughts and prayers are with you,
Jeff, Jessica and Allison.*

Marilyn & Bob Tursi - August 10, 2010 at 07:46 AM

MI

“ Dear Bernice, Jeff, Jess, and Allie, please accept my deepest sympathies for your loss. She was a great woman, and she was so proud of you all. I am sorry I will not be able to join you at the services, but you will certainly be in my thoughts and prayers.
Love,
Marge

Marge Inden - August 09, 2010 at 09:16 PM