



## **DIEGA "DIGGY" (GRECO) ALIA**

October 2, 1919 - March 3, 2019

Diega "Diggy" (Greco) Alia, 99, of Lakeland, passed away Sunday at Loretto. She was born in Syracuse to the late Guiseppe and Rose (Augello) Greco in 1919. She was an assembler at Pass and Seymour for over 15 years before retiring. She was a longtime communicant of St. Cecilia Church. Diggy was predeceased by her husband Vincenzo "James" in 1992 and her 6 siblings, Patrina, James, Virginia, Angelo, Mary and Josephine.

She is survived by her daughters; Marie Rose (Stephen) Kelsey, of TX and Kathleen (Timothy) Kurtz, of Pennellville, son; Gary (Kim) Alia, of MA, 6 grandchildren; Timothy (Liz), Diane, David, Nancy (Dave), Vincent and Ashley (Mike), 7 great-grandchildren, 8 great-great grandchildren, her sister; Rose Marie Cardoso, of Solvay and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Funeral services will be held 8:45 am Thursday at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME and 9:30 am at St. Cecilia Church, Solvay, where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. Burial will follow in Assumption Cemetery, Syracuse.

Family and friends may call from 4 to 7 pm Wednesday at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Avenue.

Diggy's family would like to thank her extended family and friends, the staff's of Loretto Cunningham's 11th floor and the Heritage.

Donations may be made in her memory to St. Cecilia Church, 105 Stanton Ave, Solvay, NY 13209 or Loretto Foundation, 700 E. Brighton Ave, Syracuse, NY 13205.

Please offer online tributes and memories at [www.bagozzitwins.com](http://www.bagozzitwins.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Assumption Cemetery

2401 Court St.  
Syracuse, NY 13208  
(315) 454-3841

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

MAR 6. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home, Inc.  
2601 Milton Ave.  
Solvay, NY 13209  
(315) 468-2431  
steve@bagozzitwinsfh.com  
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## Funeral Service

MAR 7. 8:45 AM (ET)

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## **Mass of Christian Burial**

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**MAR 7. 9:30 AM (ET)**

St. Cecilia Church  
1001 Woods Rd.  
Solvay, NY 13209

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of DIEGA "DIGGY" (GRECO) ALIA*



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**BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC.** - March 05, 2019 at 12:53 PM



“ *DIEGA "DIGGY" (GRECO) ALIA*

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January 21, 2023 at 02:11 PM



“ *to Kathy Kurtz  
Sorry to hear about your Mom's passing. My Mother also worked at Pass & Seymour so they may have known each other. I will bet she walked back and forth to work too.  
Lou Bellotti*

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**Lou Bellotti** - March 06, 2019 at 06:08 PM



“ *Kathy,  
So sorry to read about your mom. As Mary Anne said - you were very lucky to have enjoyed her for so many years.  
Will be thinking of you in thoughts and prayers -  
Dorothy Ann*

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**DorothyAnn Mancabelli (korszeniewski)** - March 06, 2019 at 01:03 PM

SF

“ *Sally & Joe DeGilio and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of DIEGA "DIGGY" (GRECO) ALIA.*



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**Sally & Joe DeGilio and family** - March 05, 2019 at 02:42 PM

JD

“ *So sorry to hear about your mom, and us unable to get there. It has been a long time since we have been together as one family. Know that her life isn't ended, it's just changed. She is alive in all of our lives with every memory that we all have of her, to numerous to count.*

*To all the cousins we only have one Aunt left, cherish her.*

*Joe & Sally*

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**Joseph & Sally DeGilio** - March 05, 2019 at 02:28 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of DIEGA "DIGGY" (GRECO) ALIA.*

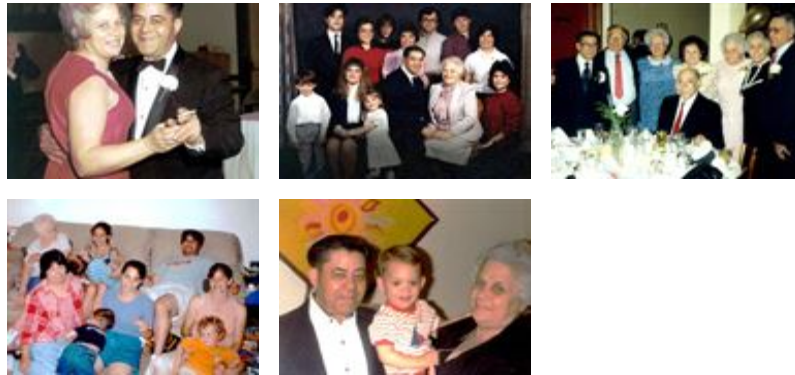


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March 05, 2019 at 01:01 PM



“ 30 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC.** - March 05, 2019 at 11:47 AM

MB

“ *Dear Kathy, my sympathy to you and your family. You were very blessed to have your mom 'til her ripe age of 99!! In this picture she looks like my aunt. No matter what the age it's still difficult to lose a parent. Love and prayers for comfort and strength today and in the days ahead.*

*Mary Anne Jerome Brown*

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**Mary Anne Brown** - March 05, 2019 at 07:28 AM