



## Virginia 'Mom-Mom' Lipari

July 10, 1935 - October 31, 2023

Virginia Mary Cecilia Arata Lipari, aka Mom-Mom, was born in Passaic, NJ, on July 10th, 1935, to John and Angela Arata of Vineland, NJ. She passed away peacefully, at the age of 88, on October 31st surrounded by her loving family.

She leaves a legacy of love behind. She is survived by her three children, Donna Grossman (Stephen) of Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, Beth Lipari-Bruno (Andrew) of Los Angeles, CA and Joe Lipari, Jr (Betsy) of Lafayette, NJ. She has six adoring grandchildren Ben, Max, Joe, Emily, Isabella, and Myles, and one great grandchild, Raelynn, as well as, her adoring siblings, Angela Kords (John), Carol Dalessandro (Bunky), Elizabeth Lipari and her sister-in-law Deanna Arata.

Virginia was pre-deceased by her parents, John and Angela Arata and her loving brother, Jack Arata.

She was a card shark and showed no mercy even if you were 2 years old. If

she

won, she won. A competitive spirit from when she was a basketball phenom in high school. Ginna was a great conversationalist. She had a love of music and passed on that love to her children and grandchildren by playing piano, daily, in the house. Her favorite piece was Debussy's Clair De Lune.

Ginna enjoyed walking 2 miles a day until her 80's, and she left many that were

younger in her dust. She worked in Westfield, NJ as a medical secretary at an ENT

office for close to 30 years. Loved by everyone that crossed her path, Ginna, at

her core was an empath. A happy soul with a beautiful smile that was always ready and contagious. Strong willed. Supreme caretaker. She was a voracious reader and a needle-point extraordinaire. A wine connoisseur who loved being around a kitchen table eating and talking about the day's events, but most of all

she loved ice-cream, because it was easy to eat for breakfast, lunch, or dinner.

Ginna was sassy and savvy, an incredible woman who at her core was a giver.

She is now reunited in heaven with her loving husband, Joseph John Lipari. May her soul rest in eternity and may she be surrounded by angels, as she was an angel to so many here on earth.

In lieu of flowers we are asking that all donations go to Trustbridge Hospice of Palm Beach County, In Memory of Virginia Lipari.

There will be a Celebration of Life, in Florida, this coming Monday, November 6th, at Old Palm Clubhouse in Old Palm, from 12:00pm-3:00pm.

A second Celebration of Life will be held in Westfield, NJ, in January. Service details will be announced upon confirmation.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

NOV 6. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Old Palm Country Club  
11889 Old Palm Drive  
Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418

# Tribute Wall

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“ *BETH I'M SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT YOUR MOTHER. MY PRAYERS GO OUT TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. MAY SHE RIP UNTIL YOU MEET AGAIN.* 🙏🙏

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