



Eleanor Buchholz Napolitano

May 19, 1920 - February 6, 2014

Eleanor Buchholz Napolitano, 93, of New Britain, widow of James Napolitano, passed away Thursday February 6, 2014 at Bel Air Manor in Newington. Born in Middletown, she lived in New Britain since 1924. Eleanor worked at Fafnir Bearing Company and later at Metric-Aire in New Britain for 10 years, retiring in 1982. She was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church in New Britain.

Surviving is a son, Thomas Napolitano and his wife Dana of Farmington; a daughter, Joan Arasimowicz and her husband Steve of New Britain; a sister, Lillian Blanchette of Boscowen Green, NH; a sister-in-law, Irene Buccholz of Reedville, VA; a grandson, James Yaskolka of New Britain; four great grandchildren, Caralee, Justin, Jeremy and Victoria; several nieces and nephews. Besides her husband, she was predeceased by 5 brothers, Arthur, Buck, Al, Reinhardt and Edward Buchholz.

Funeral services are Monday 11 AM at St. Matthews Lutheran Church, 99 Franklin Square, New Britain. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery, New Britain. Calling hours are Sunday from 5 to 7 PM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. Memorial donations may be made to St. Matthew's Lutheran Church. Please share a memory or note of sympathy by clicking on "Send Condolences" at the bottom of this page.

Tribute Wall

PG

“ Tommy and Joanie,

Harry and I just got back from a trip late last night and learned about Aunt Ellie. Both Harry and I want to express our deepest sympathy to you both...the last time I spoke with Aunt Ellie was unfortunately, several years ago when my Mom was already sadly in her final stages of Alzheimer's disease...we talked for close to an hour reminiscing about old times, family members, and the great "Buchholz" reunion at Schultzen Park in NB...we are so sorry we were not here to attend services but know we would have been there if we could have...

Take care,

Harry and Patti Gannon

Patti Gannon - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Our deepest sympathy to Tommy and Joanie and the whole family...keep all the wonderful memories alive and she will always be with you..God Bless..*

Ann & Rich Yaskolka - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Tommy & Joanie,

I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. My thoughts and prayers are out to all of you during this difficult time.

Jennifer DeLeon - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MZ

“ Mrs. Napolitano was a wonderful sweet woman who always had a warm smile and kind word for everyone. My heartfelt sympathy and prayers go to her family. She brightened my day and will be missed! I take comfort in knowing she is at peace.

Maria Zmijewski - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Tommy and Joanie,

Your Mom, Ellie, was such a super lady. She was a great friend of the Schmidt girls, especially my Mom. She always had a smile to light up the room. She was a hugger before hugging was popular! Lorraine and I offer our sympathy and prayers in the loss of your Mom. I can't attend the service because I will be in Colorado. I will carry you in my heart.

Dennis Wry - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

NB

“ I have many nice memories from long ago on Landers Avenue. I would have loved to see you all. I am in Florida until March 1 with much love and my sympathy

Nancy Bryant - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Eleanor Buchholz Napolitano

Nancy Bryant - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Tommy, She is finally at peace. My heartfelt condolences. Dori

Dori Kowar - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM