



Kathleen Talbot Scalise

August 24, 1947 - November 7, 2008

Kathleen Talbot Scalise, 61, of New Britain, wife of James Scalise Sr., passed away unexpectedly Friday November 7, 2008 at the Hospital of Central CT. A native and lifelong New Britain resident, she graduated from Pulaski High School, Class of 1965, and received her LPN from Holy Ghost Hospital Nursing School in Cambridge, Massachusetts. Kathy was formerly employed in the Ear, Nose & Throat Department at Grove Hill Medical Center in New Britain for 10 years and was a member of St. Maurice Church.

Besides her husband Jim, she leaves two sons, James Scalise, Jr. of New Britain and Jonathan Scalise and his wife Janet of Southington; a daughter, Cara Carlson and her husband Erik of New Britain; her mother, Nellie Krupinski Talbot of New Britain; two sisters, Karen Cook and her husband James of Wallingford; and Patricia Talbot and her husband Dale Brunetto of New Britain; the lights of her life, her six precious granddaughters, Isabella, Lily, Sofia and Olivia Scalise; Aniela and Nataly Carlson; a brother-in-law, Sam Scalise in New Britain; several nieces and nephews. Kathy was predeceased by her father, George Talbot.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday 9:30 AM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial 10:30 AM at St. Maurice Church, Wightman Road, New Britain. Entombment will be in St. Mary Cemetery Mausoleum. Calling hours will be held Tuesday 4 to 8

PM at Carlson Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Mill Foundation for Kids, 224 Old Cider Mill Road, Southington, CT 06489 or on the Mill Foundation website at www.millfoundation.org. Please share a memory or note of sympathy by clicking on "GUESTBOOK" at the bottom of this page.

Tribute Wall

MI

“ *Cara and Family,*

Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers during this very difficult time. May your two beautiful daughters bring you comfort as you remember your mom.

Dennis and Marybeth Insogna

Marybeth Insogna - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *Jim, Jonathan, Jim, and Cara,*

I was saddened to hear the news of Kathleen's passing. While it has been many years now, I have many fond memories of being in your house with your family and remember how at home I felt and how well I was always treated.

You are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Damon Demady - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KV

“ *My deepest sympathy to all of you for your loss.*

Ken Ventura - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ Jim.

I was shocked to hear the news. I would like to offer my sincere sympathy for such a tragic ending.

May god grant you and your family the courage to handle this unfortunate moment in your lives.

Bob Galati

Bob Galati - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *It is so hard to lose someone you love. PLease know that you are blessed with friends that care and memories of Kathy will help overcome her loss and overtime comfort you.*

Don and Debbie Hallin - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ *Cara and family,*

Our heart goes out to you and your family please let us know if we can do anything during these difficult times and the road ahead.

The Kleefeld Family

Kurt & Tiffany Kleefeld - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KP

“ *Cara, Eric, Jonathan, Janet, and Mr. Scalise-*

Words can't express the sorrow we feel for your loss. Kathy was a very loving, kind, and warm woman who was beautiful on the inside and out. She will be missed. Our hearts and prayers go out to you at this very hard and trying time.

Karla Shafer and Sabadino Parker - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *With our deepest sympathy we pray for your family to have the strength that is needed. Kathy will be greatly missed. Our fond memories of her will always be with us.*

Love,

Mitch, RoseAnn, David, Adam, Stephen, and Grandma

The Pianka Family - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ *We are very sorry for your loss, and our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Adam, Michelle, Morgan & Alyssa Napolitano

Adam & Michelle Napolitano - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Dear Jim, Jim, John and Cara-

I am so sorry for the loss of your wife and mother. I have the fondest memories of her from when John and I were growing up and remember how kind and welcoming she always was to me. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.

*With warm regards,
Mike*

Michael Pacinda - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ Cara, I just heard the news and my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. xo Meg

Meg Cannella Robustelli - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ We are very sorry for your loss, our thoughts are with you.

Rick and Erin Gasparini - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ To our lifelong friend who was more like family to us...we will miss you so very much. All who knew you were touched by your big smile and warm heart...and all who knew you will surely feel the great "void" in their life!!! God Bless You and Your Family

The Candelori Family - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ *The sun dimmed a bit on Friday at the passing of Kathy. The stars in the evening sky shined a little brighter at the arrival of Kathy. We will miss her greatly but we know she will always be watching over those that she loved so dearly. Until we meet again Kathy we will miss you!*

Mike and Judy Guida - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ *We were deeply saddened to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this most difficult time. May the memories you share and the support and love of your family and friends help you through the days ahead.*

*With love and sincerest sympathy,
Ray, Rose, and Corinne*

Raymond, Rose Ann, and Corinne Byrne - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ *Kathy touched many lives, I was one of the lucky ones knowing her for my 28yrs. She was always willing to lend a helping hand. Know that we are here to lend our helping hands in this time of sorrow.*

*Love,
Ashley and Mel*

Ashley & Mel Davis - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. I haven't seen Kathy in over forty years but I was in the Holy Cross Drum Corps with her. She played the fife and later the snare drum. I remember her great smile and fun loving spirit. I'm sure she will be missed by many.*

Beverly Napieracz - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Our deepest sympathies and prayers go out to all of you during this difficult time. May your memories give you strength and the love of those around you help you through the days ahead.

Carrie, Dan & Scarlett McKennie - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ I was so sorry to hear of Kathy's death. I will remember her kindness, talent, generosity, and profound dedication to family.

I will recall with pleasure, a "workshop" she held many years ago to teach a group of women to make cornhusk angels. We had such fun, that evening at her home, creating angels with her helpful guidance. In the weeks that followed, my friend Peggy and I crafted many more and proudly gave them as Christmas gifts to our friends and family.

In recent years, I had the opportunity to observe Kathy's interactions with her granddaughters, in whom she took such obvious delight. She was such an important, positive part of their lives!

I hope the family will take comfort in the fact that Kathy will be remembered by so many of us whose lives she touched.

*With affection,
Kathleen*

Kathleen Sauer - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ There are no words. I will miss Kathy's daily emails. She is in a better place than all of us. May God bless all of you and give you the strength to help you get through her loss. My prayers and thoughts are with you all. With love, Patti Bergin

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

CW

“ Dear Jimmy, so shocked and sorry to read about Kathy. My sympathy to you and your family. I'll always remember my majorette days with her at PHS. Take care of yourself. God Bless.
CindyTorello Wohlfert

Cindy Torello Wohlfert - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LO

“ Jimmy -

You are in our thoughts and prayers. I just talked to Kathy a week ago after not seeing her since our high school days at Pulaski. I just cannot believe that she is gone and I know how hard this must be for you and your entire family. She was such a sweet and special person and I will always remember her in my heart and prayers.

Lou and my Mom Edie and my brother Danny also want to send out their condolences.

Stay strong and remember the memories, when Kathy and I spoke about our high school years together she told me that you had been married 40 years this July. Lou and I also have been married 40 years this past July, imagine both couples high school sweethearts getting married the same year and month. We had such great memories of high school and so much fun.

Stay strong and extend our love to your entire family.

Love, Mary Beth and Lou, Edie and Danny

louandmarybethmorelli - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ We are so sorry for your loss. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. We are here for you if you need us!
Love,
Frank, Colleen, Luke and Avery Napolitano

Colleen Napolitano - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ I went to school with Karen. Patty is married to a fellow fireman of my husband, Dale Balukas. My deepest sympathy to the Talbot family for the unexpected loss of your daughter, sister, friend. I pray that the comfort and peace of Our Lord be upon you during your time of sadness and in the days and weeks to come. There is comfort in the memories you have to share of Kathleen. Fondly,
Debbie.

Debbie Labieniec Balukas - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ I am cousin's with Bill Candelori, Gloria , and Marie and knew Kathy and her sisters very well when we were very young. My deepest sympathy to you Jim and your family.

Ann Abascal Robida - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Jim,
Mere words cannot express the sorrow I feel for you and your family at the sudden loss of Kathy. I shall always remember her bright smile and that look of disapproval at your antics.

May She Rest In Peace,
Bob

Bob Frangione - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PE

“ Miss Kathy was a special friend. In a short period of time we have grown to love her and Jim like family. We will miss her beautiful smile and kindness most of all.

Paul & Eddy - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Cara, our condolences go out to you and your family during this difficult time. You are in our thoughts. Love Tracy and Keith

Tracy & Keith Wolkovitz - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Mr. Scalise, Cara, Jonathon and the entire family. Mrs. Scalise was a beautiful person. She had a beautiful smile and a caring heart. I was blessed to have known her. Cara, I love you and I know God will comfort you with his peace.

DeAndrea

DeAndrea Lighty - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to the entire Scalise, Carlson, Tablot, & Cook family. Kathy was an amazing and unforgettable person her smile filled the room with laughter and love. She was a wonderful wife, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother, sister, daughter, and friend. We will all miss Kathy; she touched so many of our lives. My love and support will always be here for all you. With love and sympathy, Janice

Janice Boucher - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ We are very sad to learn of the loss of our dear friend and classmate, Kathy Scalise. We are sorry that we have not had more contact in the past few years, but we have thought of you often. We think of you and pray for the entire Scalise and Talbot family in this time of great sadness. Fondly, Valerie and David Pagar

David and Valerie Pagar - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Dear Cara & Erik, Scalise, Talbot & Cook Family

Our deepest thoughts and prayers go out to all of you. Kathy was a beautiful person, A wonderful wife, mom, mother-in-law, daughter, sister, friend and a very special grandmother. She will be missed by all but we will remember her with all the wonderful memories. With deepest Sympathy and Love, Pete & Bette

Bette & Peter Boucher - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this difficult time.

John JoAnn Baron - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ Kathy's beauty, generosity, understanding, and love shines in all of you, her family. The best of her will continue to live on in all who loved her. Our deepest sympathies to all of you as we grieve with you. Let your friends and loved ones be your strength in the days ahead. We love you all.

Love and sympathy,
Todd Michele Trevor and Jack Kushman

Michele and Todd Kushman - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LK

“ Erik, Cara and family, Ed and I were saddened to hear of your loss. Our prayers go out to you and our deepest condolences to you all.

Linda and Ed Kozleno - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ No words or actions can express how I feel for all of you. Just remember she was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, mother in law and friend. She does and always will hold a special place in my heart. Love Jen

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

KL

“ Jonathan, Janet and family, we are so sorry to hear about the sudden passing of your Mom. Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time... love, Kristine, Peter and children

Kristine and Peter Leahy - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Our hearts are heavy, full of love and memories of Kathy. Her spirit and spunk of life with her family and friends will never be forgotten. Scalise family, please know you are not alone. LOVE, Joanne Boucher, Erik & Azya Bass

Joanne Boucher - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

FN

“ My sincere sympathy to all of you at the death of Kathleen. May the Lord strengthen you in this time of sorrow. Please know that she will be remembered at my weekend Masses.

Father Joseph Napolitano - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ We are truly sorry for your loss. You are all in our hearts and prayers.

*With our deepest sympathy,
Jason & Barbara*

Jason and Barbara Dupuis - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ May the Talbot/Scalise family know my heart his heavy and I will miss Kathy very much. We emailed each other daily. If there is anything I can do for any of you please let me know. She will be in my heart and prayers forever. With all my love, Patti

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

JT

“ Such a wonderfully welcoming soul can only be remembered with a smile. Our thoughts are with you all.
Love- Jeffrey and Marissa Taylor

Jeff and Marissa Taylor - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Cara, Erik, Jon, Janet, and Mr. Scalise,

We are saddened for your loss, please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

*Love,
The Smith Family*

Daniel and Julie Smith - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM