



Bessie Emma Tayntor

March 17, 1946 - March 20, 2015

Emma, 69, was born and raised in Nedrow, NY, a lifelong resident of the Town of Onondaga. She was predeceased by her parents Carl and Edna Tayntor; and her daughter, Sandy Jean. Emma was employed 25 years as an insurance customer service representative. She is survived by her caring stepfather, Paul (Josephine) Dievendorf; her loving sisters, Hazel (Kenneth) Rittenhouse of LaFayette, NY and Helen Birch of Nedrow, NY; and her stepbrothers, Rusty, Steve, Brian and Gary Dievendorf. Emma was a second mother to her nieces and nephews, Amy, Carl, Michael, Sarah and Kevin; grandnieces and grandnephews, Leanne, Zachary, Richie, Courtney, Ethan, Brynn and Kendall. She played an essential role in their upbringing and was often their first teacher, preparing them to enter school. Emma was very fond of her many friends at Ahepa, including Maddie, and she cherished her memories of their time together. A sincere thanks to everyone at Hematology Oncology Associates of CNY and Crouse Hospital who helped Emma walk through this final journey. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Emma's memory to Hospice of CNY. Calling hours are from 4 to 6 p.m. with a memorial service immediately following on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, Inc., 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, NY 13205. Private burial to follow on Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Bessie Emma Tayntor*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - March 20, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *To Hazel & Helen and Family:*

My sincere sympathy for your loss. I just heard and am saddened that I didn't know before so I could come to the calling hours. I will forever have fond and cherished memories of Emma, as well as your whole family. You all hold a very special place in my heart. Much love to you all at this time of your loss.

Ginny

March 29, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *To Helen and Hazel & family.*

Emma was very lucky to have two wonderful sisters and special nieces and nephews in her life. Helen and Hazel you always took very good care of Emma when she was healthy and also when she was ill. Emma was to me a very kind and caring person and I will miss her, but I know she is in heaven with her mother and father and they are welcoming her with open arms with our lord.

I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time.

Love you. Lisa

March 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *We,all from Ahepha 37 will fondly remember Emma with her vibrant smile and helpful nature. She will be missed very much.*

Jim Corcoran Service coordinator Ahepha 37

March 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Hazel & Ken,*
We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Our hearts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.
Cathy & Keith

March 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *My love for you will never end. A piece of me died with you. Helen and I without you are not complete. Til we meet again.*

March 21, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *We will miss you when we visit. We loved you very much and enjoyed spending time with you when we came up.*

March 20, 2015 at 12:00 AM