



Dorothy M. Collette

August 22, 1919 - January 14, 2005

Dorothy M. Collette, age 85, of "The Valley" in Syracuse, New York died Friday, January 14, 2005 at James Square Health & Rehab. Centre, Syracuse.

Dorothy was born August 22, 1919 in Syracuse, New York, the daughter of James Dixon and Elizabeth Dean. She retired in 1982 after 31 years with Sears-Roebuck. She was a communicant of Our Lady of Lourdes. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles "Sonny" Collette in 1975.

Dorothy is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, James and Kathy Collette of Syracuse, New York; three grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Services: Thursday, January 20, 2005, 8:45 a.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home and 9:30 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes, 300 Valley Drive, Syracuse where a Mass of Christian Burial will be Celebrated by Father Thomas Fitzpatrick.

Burial: Onondaga Valley Cemetery, 2500 Valley Drive, Syracuse, New York.

Calling Hours: Wednesday, January 19, 2005, 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Dorothy M. Collette*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - January 14, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ *JIMMY, OUR THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. I WILL ALWAYS CHERISH AND REMEMBER THE GOOD TIMES I HAVE HAD WITH AUNT DOT, LOVE MICHAEL, BECKY AND RYAN DIXON*

January 17, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jam you were the best great-grandmother in the world. Even though you didn't really know who we were because you didn't remember anything you did know that we were special to you because you could always identify us by your actions like putting your arms out for us or smiling when we were around. We will miss taking you outside in your wheelchair & feeding you pudding & giving you iced tea to drink. We will also miss doing gymnastics for you. My mom said that if you weren't sick with your alzheimer's you would have been yelling at us for doing gymnastics because you'd be afraid that we would hurt ourselves. All of our love until we meet again. Your great-granchildren: Leanna, Mason, Delainey & Nicki.*

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