



Elizabeth A. DeRenzo

May 23, 1938 - July 12, 2025

Elizabeth A. DeRenzo, age 87, passed away on Saturday July 12th 2025. Loving mother of Theresa (David) Roberson, Nancy (Otto) Novota, Janet (late Patrick) Giblin, Lynn (John) Gemmellaro and Laura (Keith) Ross. Cherished grandmother of Brian, David (Katie), Eric (Cesli) Jonfranco, Nicole (Richard) and Hunter. Fond sister of Antoinette. Elizabeth will be dearly missed by her nieces and nephews. Elizabeth was very proud of her education, achieving her M.Ed in Instructional Leadership from the University of Illinois at Chicago and her B.A. in Art/English from Saint Xavier University. Elizabeth was very active in her community and dedicated her time to many organizations. She was the president of the Auxiliary Board of Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital (2018) as well as being on the Board of Directors as the Health Advocacy Committee Chairperson (2016) and a Weekly Volunteer in various roles in the hospital since 2007. Elizabeth also dedicated her time to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation "Race for the Cure", as a Coordinating Committee member.

Visitation is Wednesday, July 16, 2025 from 4 PM to 8 PM at Foran Funeral Home, 7300 W. Archer Ave.(55th street just west of Harlem). Visitation at the funeral home on Thursday from 10:00 AM until time of Prayers at 11 AM. We will go in procession from the funeral home to St. Daniel the Prophet Church for a 11:30 AM Mass.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Foran Funeral Home - Summit
7300 West Archer Ave
Summit, IL 60501
(708) 458-0208
contactus@foranfuneralhome.com
<https://www.foranfuneralhome.com/>

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Mass

JUL 17. 11:30 AM (CT)

St. Daniel the Prophet Church
5358 South Nashville
Chicago, IL 60638

Tribute Wall

RW

“ 3 files added to the album Betty & Toni



Richard Wendling - July 16, 2025 at 01:41 PM

SC

“ Dearest Terri,

I was heartbroken to hear about the passing of your mother. Please know that my heart is with you and your family in this time of deep loss.

May you feel God's comfort surrounding you in the days ahead, and may sweet memories of your mom bring you peace. She must have been a remarkable woman to have raised someone as kind and faithful as you.

"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." — Psalm 34:18

If there's anything I can do—whether practical support or simply being present—please don't hesitate to reach out. You are not alone.

*With heartfelt sympathy and prayers,
Shelice*

Shelice Crowley - July 16, 2025 at 11:33 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Elizabeth A. DeRenzo.



July 16, 2025 at 11:05 AM



“ John Fusilero and Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Elizabeth A. DeRenzo.



John Fusilero and Family - July 15, 2025 at 03:00 PM



“ Union Pacific Railroad purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Elizabeth A. DeRenzo.



Union Pacific Railroad - July 15, 2025 at 01:19 PM



“ Kevin and Debbie Wendling and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Elizabeth A. DeRenzo.

Kevin and Debbie Wendling and family - July 15, 2025 at 12:42 PM

KF

“ Kevin and Debbie Wendling and family purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Elizabeth A. DeRenzo.



Kevin and Debbie Wendling and family - July 15, 2025 at 12:42 PM

LE

“ Lene lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth A. DeRenzo



Lene - July 15, 2025 at 12:44 AM

BG

“ So sorry for your loss Eric and Cesli...Grandma and Grandpa G

Beth Gott - July 14, 2025 at 09:28 PM

WF

“ Willie Jude and family purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Elizabeth A. DeRenzo.



Willie Jude and family - July 14, 2025 at 08:34 PM

KC

“ *John and I are so sorry for the loss of your sweet mother “Dearest Betty”
May your memories be a comfort during this difficult time.
John and Karen Charleson*



karen charleson - July 14, 2025 at 07:09 PM