



Vlasta Chmara

March 26, 1929 - May 30, 2021

Vlasta "Val" Chmara, nee Kacin. Beloved wife of the late Ernest Chmara. Loving Mother of Ellen (Rich) Machala, Arlene (Merrill) Ehrenberg, Patricia (John) Queroz, the late Elaine (late Mike) Burns and the late James Chmara. Proud grandmother of Rick (Amanda), Becky (Steve), Teri (Brian), Sarah, Rachael (Shaun), David, Patrick, Liz (Tom), Marnie (Morgan) Maya and Daniel and cherished great-grandmother of Kathy, Ally, Michael, Jason, Kyla, Kelsey, Kennedy, Will, Miles, Mason and Maelyn. Fond sister of the late Charles (late Evelyn) Kacin and dear aunt of many nieces and nephews and a trusted friend to many. Val was a member of SPA South Polka Club. Visitation is Thursday 3 PM to 7 PM at Foran Funeral Home, 7300 W. Archer Ave. (55th street just west of Harlem). Visitation Friday 10 AM until time of prayers at 10:45 AM. We will go in procession from the funeral home to Two Holy Martyrs Parish, St. Symphorosa Church for an 11:30 AM Mass. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Memorial Park

7750 W. Ceramk Road
Forest Park, IL 60130

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 3. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Foran Funeral Home - Summit
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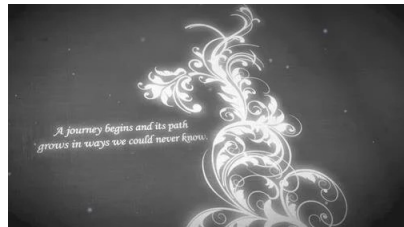
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Two Holy Martyrs Parish - St. Symphorosa Church
6135 South Austin Avenue
Chicago, IL 60638

Tribute Wall



“ *Foran Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Vlasta Chmara*



Foran Funeral Home - June 02, 2021 at 03:15 PM

MO

Beautiful

Mark okel - June 03, 2021 at 04:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Vlasta Chmara.*



June 02, 2021 at 10:50 PM

LM

“ My Mother Patricia (Griffin) Gurnicz and Val were life long friends. They worked together at Automatic machine company when they were teens, straight out of High school. In the 40s. They took sewing lessons together in the evenings. In 1947 they went to North Ave Beach on the 4th of July. 2 young handsome men were there that day. Ernie and Eugene. The rest is history. Val dated and married Ernie and Patti dated and married Gene. The first born Gurnicz child Christine is goddaughter to the Chmara's and the Gurniczs were godparents to their son James. They remained friends for the rest off their lives. Patti is now 94 and she has only fond memories of all their time together. The entire Gurnicz family sends condolences to the entire Chmara family. May Val rest in peace. And may you all find peace in your memories
Laura (Gurnicz) McPartland

Laura McPartland - June 02, 2021 at 07:59 PM

RM

Wow! I love this! Thank you for sharing!

Rachael McDonald - June 02, 2021 at 08:20 PM

LM

Correction . They Worked at Automatic Electric co.

Laura McPartland - June 03, 2021 at 06:39 PM

LA

Rachael. I have pictures . Connect with me?

LauraMcPartland - June 24, 2021 at 01:44 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Vlasta Chmara.*



June 02, 2021 at 07:24 PM



“ *VLASTA she was a Great person beautiful ❤️ kind, loving Mother.Love her son and daughters with all her Heart ❤️ we will dearly miss her. May God bless her soul. Eddie.*

Edward Quiroz - June 02, 2021 at 06:28 PM



“ *262 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Foran Funeral Home - June 02, 2021 at 03:03 PM

DC

“ *David & April Chmara purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Vlasta Chmara.*



David & April Chmara - June 02, 2021 at 01:56 PM

TF

“ *The Rada Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Vlasta Chmara.*



The Rada Family - June 02, 2021 at 01:26 PM

GF

“ *Our dearest sympathy to our honorary lifetime member and former officer.
With love and prayers.*

*Officers & Members
Senior Polka Association South*

Gerry Farganus - June 01, 2021 at 11:51 PM

TM

“ *The K sisters...Kyla, Kelsey, and Kennedy McDonald purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Vlasta Chmara.*



The K sisters...Kyla, Kelsey, and Kennedy McDonald - June 01, 2021 at 09:25 PM

JF

“ *Having just gone through the passing of my Mother, Katie, recently, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Foran Funeral home did an excellent job with my Mother's arrangements. God bless you and your family and so sorry for your loss.*

Barbara and John Fox



John and Barbara Fox - June 01, 2021 at 01:06 PM