



Mary Russo

October 3, 1925 - February 13, 2010

Saugerties – Mary Russo, after a long and courageous battle with cancer died Saturday, February 13, 2010 at Benedictine Hospital. She was 84 years old. She was born October 3, 1925 in Brooklyn, NY, the daughter of Russell and Sadie Hoffman Kahrs. She was pre-deceased by her husband, James Dugan in 1972 and her husband, Joseph Russo in 2006. Survivors include three daughters, Mary Lou Nilsen of Saugerties, Sharon Brown of North Carolina, and Claire DiPietro of Kingston; four sons, James Dugan of Saugerties, Kevin Dugan of Saugerties, William Dugan of Shokan, and Arthur Dugan; a brother, Kenny Kahrs of Brooklyn, and three sisters, Gladys Witcowski of Kingston, Betty Lou Roth of Ohio, and Emma Kahrs of Brooklyn. 23 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren also survive. She was pre-deceased by a grandson, Kevin Dugan; four brothers, Billy, Mickey, Freddy and Russell Kahrs; and by two sisters, Helen Motsey and Virginia Kahrs. Funeral services will be held 10:00 AM Wednesday, February 17, 2010 at Buono Funeral Service, Inc., Main Street Chapel, Saugerties, NY. Interment will follow immediately in St. Mary's Cemetery, Kingston. Friends may call Tuesday 7:00 PM until 9:00 PM at Buono Funeral Service, Inc. In lieu of flowers the family suggests contributions can be made to the UC SPCA, 20 Wiedy Road, Kingston, NY 12401.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Russo*

October 20, 2022 at 08:34 PM



“ *Hello Phallon:
In lieu of flowers, Meg and I are making a donation to the SPCA of
Kingston in your grandmother's honor.*

Love Kim & Meg

Kim Simonetti & Meg Laurendeau - February 16, 2010 at 08:52 AM