

Caterina (Rita) Scigliano

It is with sadness that we announce the passing of Caterina (Rita) Scigliano on September 1, 2024. Rita was born on October 30, 1944, in San Giovanni in Fiore, a small town in the Calabria region of Southern Italy. She moved to Canada and married her husband Giuseppe in Vancouver. Shortly after, Rita and Giuseppe moved to the island and started their family in Victoria. Giuseppe left us too soon, in 1997.

Rita is also predeceased by her parents Pietro and Teresa, her sisters Rosina and Marietta and her brother Saverio. She is survived by her sister Angelina and her three sons, Francesco (Jennifer), Renato (Melissa) and Marcello (Janai). She was so proud of her grandchildren Carly, Siena, Rocco and Marcus and her face lit up whenever she talked about them.

We are so grateful to the staff at the Heights at Mt. View, where Rita resided for the last ten years of her life. It warmed our hearts greatly to hear her community express to us how much she will be missed. We are also comforted by the fact that she is now resting in peace, dressed in her best, nails and hair perfect, drinking her favourite root beer and cappuccino and enjoying some mortadella, provolone, and dolci.

A small family service will be held at Holy Cross Catholic Parish, 4049 Gordon Head Road, Victoria, on Wednesday, September 11, 2024, at 11:30 am. Rita's final resting place will be with her husband Giuseppe at Royal Oak Burial Park.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to [Baptist Housing Mount View Heights Care Society](#).

Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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