



Mary "Mica" Oros

September 22, 1920 - January 3, 2016

Mary M. "Mica" Oros, 93 of Aurora, passed away at The Neighbor's Next Door, Aurora on Sunday, January 3, 2016. She was born on September 20, 1922 in Aurora, the daughter of Michael and Emma (Mihalka) Oros.

Mica was a very loyal supporter and member of St. George Church. She also belonged to the Catholic Order of Foresters, the Burlington Northern Veterans Association and the Transportation Communication International Union # 781. She retired from Burlington Northern RR after thirty-six plus years of service. After retirement, she enjoyed being a hostess at several popular establishments in Aurora. She was an excellent cook and was famous for her home-made bread and Kiefla.

Mica is survived by her brother Leroy (Bev), Melvin (Linda) and her sister Jeannie Poirel. Also surviving are sixteen nieces and nephews and many great-nieces and great-nephews. Mica was a very devoted daughter, sister and caregiver to her family, and she will be deeply missed by all.

Mica was preceded in death by her parents, her brothers George (Phyllis), John (Genny), Frank, Michael and her oldest sister Emma (Louis R. Pauly) one niece Michelle Poirel and a brother and sister in infancy.

Funeral services will be Friday, January 8, 2016 from 9:30 am at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY to St. George Church at 10:00 am. Fr. Frederick Peterson, O.S.B. will officiate with interment in St. Michael Cemetery.

Visitation will be Thursday, January 7, 2016 from 3:00pm until 7:00pm with the Rosary service at 4:00 pm at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake St.

Aurora, IL. 60506. (630) 631-5500.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to St. George Church. The family would like to extend a special “Thank you” to Sheila White, and, Becky and Bob from The Neighbor’s Next Door” for the excellent care she received.

Previous Events

Visitation

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

Daleiden Mortuary
220 N. Lake Street
Aurora, IL 60506
(630) 631-5500
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

Rosary

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Funeral Service

JAN 8. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. George Church
720 Rural Street
Aurora, IL 60505
1-630-851-4002

Burial

JAN 8 (CT)

St. Michael Cemetery
Aurora, IL 60505

Tribute Wall

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“ Some of the favorite reflections of my youth was spending time with Aunt Mica. I remember being in awe of her, slightly intimidated, mostly inspired by the way she was sure of herself in the kitchen. Her hands were well seasoned and graceful as she took charge of her precious supplies. I always felt that she carried some magic with her. I tried to learn her recipes but we all know that we can never get it right. I'm still working on the measurements for " a pinch of this." I was most likely the niece that saw her the least so I tried my best to listen to her instruction and wisdom when the time presented itself. I loved her cooking, her demure personality and gentleness. What I found the most mesmerizing was her knowledge of our family history. I would sit with her for what seemed like an eternity to a girl, and picked her brain about our lineage, the family history, our story. She was so soft spoken in comparison. My most prized possession was the Romanian bible she gave me. I filled it up with markings of translated words and phonemic pronunciations. I was fascinated by her faith, although it was nearly foreign to me. She impressed me through her service, her deep desire to bring others joy and her devotion to her passions. I remember everyone always making a big fuss about her being the beautiful one, telling stories about how gussied up she always was and how much pride she took with her collections but my memory will always serve me as I recall her sweet nature, her knowledge and devotion. I have no doubt that those moments spent together were what led me to follow my passion for food, faith and family. It pains me to think that one who has had so much influence on me was not given the incredible amount of attention and love that I know she deserved from me, as we were great pen-pals for many years, I only wish I was more diligent in recent years. She will forever hold a sacred space in my heart. I'm grateful for those of you that took care of her and supported her throughout the years. I hope her story lives on throughout the generations.

Love,
Ashley

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I will always remember Aunt Mica for her kindness. She always treated me so well. Aunt Mica devoted her life to taking care of her parents and others. You never saw her without an apron on, cleaning up and cooking. I will miss her delicious stuffed cabbage and I am thankful for the holidays that she got to come to my home to celebrate them with us. I will truly miss you Aunt Mica. God Bless You!

Cindy Oros Fredericksen

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Growing up in the "family" at St. George Church, we never knew "Mica" as Mary. Always so friendly and gracious to everyone. She sat in the pew in front of me, and would always give me a smile if she arrived after me. My deepest condolences to all the family. IN VECI POMENERIA EI. (May her memory be eternal).

Nellie Tifrea Smith

Nellie Tifrea Smith - January 04, 2016 at 07:20 PM

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Everyone at "The Neighbors Next Door" loved taking care of Mica. She appreciated everything we did and she added so much humor to our day. Her family was very attentive and visited everyday. We will never forget her and we are so happy that she's happy in heaven. Sheila White

Sheila White - January 05, 2016 at 11:48 PM