



## Mrs. Carmella Pope

January 29, 1920 - March 28, 2015

Carmella E. Pope Nee Spata--Oldest Hairdresser in Melrose Park. Dearly Beloved Wife of the late Frank Sr. Loving Mother of Frank J. (Joanne) and Mary Ann (Chris) Battaglia. Cherished Grandmother of Jeanna (Frank) Bifero, Frank John Pope, and Tiffany Tiano. Great Grandmother of 4. Dear Sister, Aunt and Friend of Many. Past President of the Melrose Park Historical Society. Visitation Tuesday from 3 until 9 P.M. at Carbonara Funeral Home 1515 North 25th Avenue, Melrose Park. Funeral Wednesday 10:00 A.M at the funeral home to River Forest United Methodist Church, 7970 West Lake Street in River Forest for 11:00 A.M Service. Interment Oakridge Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Carmella Pope*

October 05, 2023 at 03:04 AM



“ *Mrs. Carmella Pope*

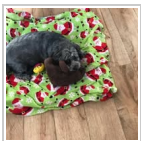
September 08, 2022 at 03:08 AM



“ *I just received the news of Mrs. Pope's passing. I am so sorry for you loss and as the others have mentioned here I have fond memories coming to the "shop" growing with my mom, grandmother or by myself. May it comfort you knowing that your parents are together once again and for eternity continuing to be that amazing team that they always were.*

*Nancy D'Anza=Campanella*

**Nancy D'Anza-Campanella** - April 07, 2015 at 11:16 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear that Carm has passed away. Some of my fondest memories of living in Melrose Park are spending time at the Pope's while Mary Ann braided my hair and Carm styled my Mother, Lena and we told stories and snacked on whatever wonderful treats they whipped up. She was one of the sweetest women I've ever met and I know she will be missed by her family and friends. Frank, Mary Ann, Joanne and all the grandchildren and great grandchildren, my heart goes out to you.*

*Terri Pastorelli*

**Terri Pastorelli** - April 03, 2015 at 12:18 AM

PC

“ Prayers to all

Phyllis conforti - March 31, 2015 at 12:41 PM

PC

“ Carmella was a beautiful lady inside and out always was so very sweet and kind just loved her !! xoxoxo phyllis conforti

Phyllis conforti - March 31, 2015 at 12:40 PM

SC

“ Dear Frank & Joanne,

*You were such wonderful caregivers to your mom/mother-in-law. Being able to care for a parent is one of the greatest privileges a child can do for them. You did all you could do and now it was time for her to 'graduate' from this life and have peace in everlasting life with her Lord. We understand your loss and will keep you all in our prayers.*

*Love, Suzanne and John.*

Suzanne Comitz - March 30, 2015 at 10:32 PM

JM

“ Joe & Christina Miedzianowski purchased the Victorian Teacup Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Carmella Pope.



Joe & Christina Miedzianowski - March 30, 2015 at 08:30 PM

JS

“ Frank, Joanne and family,  
I am so sorry for your loss. She was a pillar of Melrose Park. I have a lot of memories, especially that she gave me my first "perm". I remember going to the shop with my grandmother. She will always be with you in your memories, cherish them as you cherished her.  
joanne Shuma

joanne shuma - March 30, 2015 at 05:56 PM

PG

“ Pam Gauss purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi  
phyllum for the family of Mrs. Carmella Pope.



Pam Gauss - March 30, 2015 at 03:48 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family  
of Mrs. Carmella Pope.



March 30, 2015 at 01:40 PM

VS

“ Sending our thoughts and prayers to your family. Your old neighbor  
Danny and Vicky Spair

Victoria A Spair - March 30, 2015 at 12:26 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Carmella Pope.*



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March 30, 2015 at 10:33 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Carmella Pope.*



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March 30, 2015 at 10:24 AM



“ *Carmella was a cherished friend for 68 years. Her warm smile and welcome was always there when we visited. She and her late husband, Frank Sr. made you feel at home with their generous and caring hospitality. She was a loving Godmother to my daughter Cynthia who was happy to remember her Godmother with calls and visits. Our Love and sympathy to her two children, Mary Ann (Chris). Frank Jr. (Joanne), their families and her extended relatives, and friends.  
Mrs. Millie Ratkovich, Cynthia & Ted Bronson, Nicole & Teddy*

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**Mildred E. Ratkovich** - March 29, 2015 at 11:42 PM