



## Mrs Maria Kissane

January 30, 1963 - July 5, 2018

Maria Kissane nee Santelli

Dearly Beloved Wife of Matthew D. Kissane; Loving Mother of Eugenia Mary; Beloved Daughter of Frank and the late Eugenia Santelli; Dear Sister of Joe (Karen), and Anna "Bea" Santelli; Loving Aunt, Sister In Law, Cousin, and friend of Many. Visitation Thursday, July 12th, 3-9pm at Carbonara Funeral Home 1515 N. 25th ave. Visitation Saturday, July 14th, 9:30am until time of mass 10:30am at St. Alexander Church, Villa Park. Interment Private. Please Visit Maria's tribute at [Carbonarafuneralhome.net](http://Carbonarafuneralhome.net) 708-343-6161

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 12. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Carbonara Funeral Home  
1515 N 25th Ave  
Melrose Park, IL 60160  
(708) 343-6161  
<https://carbonarafuneraldirectors.com/>

## Visitation

JUL 14. 9:30 AM (CT)

St Alexander's Catholic Church  
300 S Cornell Ave  
Villa Park, IL 60181-2671  
(630) 833-7730

## Service

JUL 14. 10:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs Maria Kissane*

October 05, 2023 at 03:04 AM



“ *Mrs Maria Kissane*

September 08, 2022 at 03:08 AM



“ *Thank you all for your memories, Maria was always looking out for others. I don't know what I will do without her now, please keep Eugenia and me in your prayers-Matt*

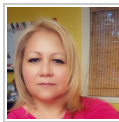
**Matt Kissane** - August 20, 2018 at 05:00 PM



“ *Luisa Berrones lit a candle in memory of Mrs Maria Kissane*



**Luisa Berrones** - July 18, 2018 at 11:52 AM



*Maria was a great person great friend I sure will miss are talks at work and after work. My most sincere condolences to the family may God give you strength during this most difficult time. God Bless you and your family Luisa Berrones*

**Luisa Berrones** - July 18, 2018 at 12:05 PM

CW

“ Matt & Eugenia, Maria was a beautiful person inside & out. She loved you both so much. I remember the first time that Maria brought baby Eugenia in to meet all of us at HR Direct back in 2010. Eugenia was so tiny.

Maria talked often & fondly of her family & love of Italy.

I worked with Maria for 7 1/2 years. So many wonderful memories.

Matt, Maria loved when you would stop in with Eugenia, especially at Halloween. Maria was so happy & beaming when she walked Eugenia around to see all of us. I will remember Maria's smile & laugh, and her love for you & Eugenia.

Heaven has gained a beautiful angel. I know Maria will be with you & Eugenia always in your hearts. I pray for you and your families, that God will watch over you and give you peace & strength during this most difficult time and going forward.

God bless you all.

Chris Ward



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Chris Ward - July 12, 2018 at 06:34 PM

BJ

“ Dear Matt, Eugenia and all the family, I can't even imagine how hard this time is for you. Maria was such a beautiful person inside and out. She filled the room with happiness and laughs. Her stories about being Italian, or how she started working at Advocate (because she loved Advocate), and about you and her baby girl... she loved being a mom.... this will be missed so much. Many blessings to you and Eugenia for peace and comfort to help you through the coming days. I'm gonna miss her, Brenda



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**Brenda Jacobs** - July 12, 2018 at 11:40 AM

CV

“ Maria and I have worked together for over a decade now. We would chat everyday about our families, activities we were doing on the weekend, and shared many many laughs and tears together. Maria always had a smile on her face, even through the hard times. She loves her family so much and couldn't wait to show the latest pictures of Jenna. Her life was full of love, friendship, and happiness. My prayers will always be with Matt and Eugenia and the rest of her family. I will never forget her stories of Italy, her family, and especially her love for Matt and Jenna. My life is forever changed with her passing, but I know she is with us. I feel her spirit in everything I do, especially in the kitchen. I can still hear her voice and that laugh. I am so heart broken, but know she is no longer in pain and her spirit lives on.

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**Cheri Vilimek** - July 12, 2018 at 11:38 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.*



July 12, 2018 at 11:29 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.*



July 12, 2018 at 10:38 AM



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**Cheri Vilimek** - July 12, 2018 at 08:23 AM



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**Cheri Vilimek** - July 12, 2018 at 08:22 AM

DC

“ Dear Matt and Eugenia, and the rest of her family as well. Maria loved you all, spoke of you all so lovingly and was always so proud of pictures of family, especially Eugenia, that adorned her work space. I will always remember her insight to issues and how she viewed her life; she loved it. Her smile and laugh will remain in my heart, and how she blessed so many lives. She was so proud of her heritage, Italy and her family and shared so much with us. May the Lord bless all her family, she wasn't on earth long enough but spread so much laughter, thoughts and recipes with so many. We will surely miss Angel Maria.

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**Diane Cairel** - July 11, 2018 at 02:00 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.



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July 11, 2018 at 12:12 PM

DB

“ Dearest Matt and Eugenia -  
Maria's love for you and all her family was always apparent. I am sorry for your loss and the loss we all feel for losing this beautiful woman. You are in my thoughts and prayers.  
With love,  
Deb Burmeister

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**Deb Burmeister** - July 11, 2018 at 10:44 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.



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July 11, 2018 at 10:14 AM



“ *Maria and I went to grade school and high school together. We lost touch over the years but she will forever have a special place in my heart. So very sorry for your loss!*



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**Tammy Thomas-Roth** - July 11, 2018 at 07:54 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.



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July 11, 2018 at 12:46 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.



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July 10, 2018 at 10:50 PM

LL

“ Dear Matt, My heart goes out to you and your sweet daughter. I only met Maria once & regret I didn't get to know her better. But I know you well enough to know that she must have been a Saint! Please extend my condolences to her entire family. Leslie Lee

Leslie Lee - July 10, 2018 at 03:50 PM

EH

“ Matt and Eugenia,  
  
Out thoughts and prayers are with you at this most difficult time,  
  
Betty and Woody Hansmann

Elizabeth Hansmann - July 10, 2018 at 02:27 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.



July 10, 2018 at 12:00 PM

MS

“ Matt, my condolences brother.  
Hang in there as many of us love you!

Mark Schiele

Mark Schiele - July 10, 2018 at 11:31 AM

TJ

“ *Our hearts are saddened by your loss and our thoughts and prayers are with you*

Tasha Jackson - July 10, 2018 at 10:27 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.*



July 10, 2018 at 10:03 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.*



July 10, 2018 at 02:06 AM

 Rich  
Orth

“ *My deepest condolences Matt.*

Rich Orth - July 09, 2018 at 04:15 PM

CM

“ *May you be comforted by the outpouring of love surrounding you. No words can truly reduce the pain my deepest condolences to your family.*



Cindy Martinez - July 09, 2018 at 04:09 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs Maria Kissane.*



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July 09, 2018 at 02:23 PM



“ *I never knew Maria, but I am friends with Matt through comedy. My heart breaks for the family and hope they can find comfort and peace*

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**Rick March** - July 09, 2018 at 01:44 PM



“ *Maria genuinely loved her husband and daughter.....she was a special, special woman - and I feel truly blessed to have known her. Maria was an earth angel now a heavenly angel who will live in our hearts until we meet again. May God bless her family and friends and may He fill them with His never ending peace and love.*

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**Marie Antoinette Hejnal** - July 09, 2018 at 01:41 PM



“ *Matt and Eugenia, My heart is saddened because of your lost. Hearing Maria talk about becoming and being a mom was the days she could talk forever! It was her greatest joy. She loved you both with all her soul. God always gives us rainbows after the thunderstorms in life . . . May God's peace be with you both in your time of grieving. May you find comfort in cherishing memories of your beloved one.*

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**Cathy Cook** - July 09, 2018 at 01:21 PM

DK

*Matthew & Eugenia, I am so sorry for your loss. Maria was always so full of life. I know this is so difficult for both of you & for all of your extended families & friends. Please know that all of you are in my prayers. Love, Donna Kissane*

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**Donna Kissane** - July 10, 2018 at 09:16 AM

JH

“ *My heart is heavy, your loss has left all of us deeply saddened. Maria loved each one of her family members, Matt, Eugenia, her father, Joe, and Bea including her nieces and nephews, she spoke of them every day with joy and pride. My sincerest condolences, may your heart and soul find peace and comfort.*

*Jacqui Hale*

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**Jacqui Hale** - July 09, 2018 at 01:10 PM

 Matt  
Smith

“ *May her memory be a blessing.*



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**Matt Smith** - July 09, 2018 at 11:06 AM

TH

*My deepest sympathies to you and your family, Matt.*

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**Tom Hayes** - July 09, 2018 at 12:58 PM

SW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Maria's Loved ones. I pray the Lord sends down his best Angels to cover and comfort them during this trying time and those to come. May the sorrows be comforted by great memories and reflection of the time you all shares. Maria was always a sweet warmhearted person and I will miss her beautiful smile.



*Shakeda Wade*

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**Shakeda Wade** - July 09, 2018 at 10:42 AM

DW

“ Maria was a true gem, she was full of life, she was sweet, and could always share a story about something, I adored the way she love her family, Matt and Eugenia. I loved her many stories about Italy and her life as an Italian woman, she made me want to travel to Italy. She will be miss by her Advocate work family, her smile, her cooking recipes, her laughter, and her over all kindness!!! My Condolences to the Kissane Family, and my prayers to Matt & Eugenia for comfort and peace at this difficult time

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**DeVonna Warren** - July 09, 2018 at 10:41 AM

MR

“ Maria.. A beautiful woman with a beautiful heart..  
My condolences to Maria's family.  
My God bless you and give you strength at this difficult time



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**Ms Rhonda Robinson** - July 08, 2018 at 10:11 PM



“ *Con il cuore pesante affronto la tua assenza. Sei andato troppo giovane. La mia amica per tutta la vita. Il mio Dio sia sempre con te*  
*Maria Patrizia Santelli.*



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**M** - July 08, 2018 at 03:42 PM



“ *I will miss her. She brought light, life and laughter to those who knew her. My deepest condolences to Marias family-*



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**Gail Corrigan** - July 08, 2018 at 10:20 AM