



Sister Charles Helene McNeelis SSJ

October 6, 1925 - December 15, 2014

Sister Charles Helene McNeelis, SSJ, formerly Patricia A. McNeelis, of Chestnut Hill, formerly of Wheeling, WV and Conshohocken, PA died peacefully in her sleep at the Saint Joseph Villa, Flourtown, PA on Monday, December 15, 2014. She was 89 years old. Born in Conshohocken, PA, she was a daughter of the late Charles and Helen (Delaney) McNeelis. She was a graduate of the St. Matthew's High School in Conshohocken, PA and the Duquesne University. She took her first vows with the Sister of St. Joseph of Wheeling, WV in 1949. She took her final vows in 1952. When her mother became ill in the late 1960's, she requested to be transferred to the SSJ of Chestnut Hill to be closer to her family. Sr. Charles taught in Drexel Hill and Warminster, PA, where she ended her teaching career. She then became the school secretary at the Our Mother of Consolation Parish in Chestnut Hill. In later years, Sr. Charles moved to the St. Joseph Villa and worked in their physical therapy department.

Sister Charles is survived by one brother-in-law: Charles D. Guarino, of Lansdale, PA; and many nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews. Sr. Charles was pre-deceased by four siblings: Regina C. (William E.) Nash; Helen M. McNeelis; Charles A. "Bud" McNeelis; Mary C. Guarino.

Religious, relatives and friends are invited to her Funeral Mass at the St. Joseph Villa, 110 West Wissahickon Avenue, Flourtown, PA 19031 on Friday,

December 19th, 2014 at 3:00PM. Celebrating the funeral Mass will be Rev. Gerald Dennis Gill. Burial will be in the Villa Cemetery. The viewing will be from 1:30 - 3:00PM Friday at the Villa. Memorial gifts may be made in her name to the St. Joseph Villa at the above address. Condolences may be made by visiting www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com. The Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home, 600 Washington Street, Royersford, PA is in charge of the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Villa

110 West Wissahickon Avenue
Flourtown, PA 19031

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 19. 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

St. Joseph Villa
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Mass

DEC 19. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JC

“ Thank you Sister Charles for your prayers, I wish I could have talked to you before your passing. Please continue to keep my family in your prayers and thoughts....and when you see Jesus today, please thank him for saving my life.....

Rest in peace....forever your friend

Joe

joe campanini - August 29, 2016 at 09:42 AM

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“ I miss you Sister Charles. I still think of you often. I loved you and loved taking care of you and seeing you Each morning. We had our ups and downs but I know you cared about me just as much as I did you . You wanted the best for me. You would be proud of me and my new job. Thank you for making me look forward to coming to work everyday , for your smile and all of your advice . You are in heaven now . All your sacrifices have paid off. Watch over me.

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“ TO MY DEAREST AUNT PATSY, YOU HAVE BEEN WITH ME MY ENTIRE LIFE !!YOU HAVE TAUGHT ME TO FIND THE GOOD IN WHATEVER LIFE BRINGS. AS YOU SAID,"IT'S ALL IN HIS PLAN, AND HANDS!" THANK YOU FOR YOUR LOVE THAT WAS ALWAYS UNCONDITIONAL. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SMILE THAT WAS ALWAYS OFFERED. THANK YOU FOR YOUR DELANEY~MCNEELIS COMMENTS THAT ALWAYS REMINDED ME OF MY MOM ! AND LAST BUT NOT LEASE THANK YOU FOR BEING A MOM TO ME AFTER YOUR SISTER, MARY (MY MOM)PASSED IN 2001!!PLEASE GIVE HER, AUNT HELEN, AUNT JEAN, UNCLE BUD, AND NANA A GIANT HUG AND KISS FOR ME !! XO MARY GRACE....PS. THANKS FOR MY NAME !!!

mary grace arnold - December 16, 2014 at 06:52 AM