

SISTER MARY THERESA ANDREOLI, DM

Date of Birth – September 26, 1929

Date of Death – May 3, 2022

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Sister Mary Theresa Andreoli, age 92, a member of the Daughters of Our Lady of Mercy, Villa Rossello, Newfield, NJ, went to her eternal rest on May 3, 2022, at Misericordia Nursing Center, York, PA. where she had been a resident since 2008. Prior to that she had been missioned at the Provincial House in Newfield, NJ from 1990 to 2008.

Sister Mary Theresa, born in the town of Penne, Province of Pescara. Abruzzi, Italy, was the daughter of the late Dominic and Rose (Massimi) Andreoli. When Sister was a child, she and her family came to the United States and eventually settled in the Harrisburg, Camp Hill area. She entered the Congregation of the Daughters of Our Lady of Mercy, in Newfield, NJ in 1956 and professed her vows in 1959.

Having obtained her bachelor's degree in education from College Misericordia, Dallas, PA. in 1966, Sister Mary Theresa then served as a dedicated teacher in elementary parish schools staffed by the religious order in Hazleton, Old Forge and Steelton, PA, in Berkeley Heights, Vineland, Newfield and Brigantine, New Jersey, as well as in Springfield, MA. She also served as a Title I teacher in Vineland, NJ for several years. After her teaching career, Sister Theresa served as cook for the community at Villa Rossello, Newfield, NJ.

Sister Mary Theresa was a sincere, humble and joyful person with a heart of charity toward all. She was a generous person who wished to share whatever she had with others.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by brothers Annunzio, Antonio and Ario Andreoli, and by nephews Dominic, Frank and Samuel J. Andreoli.