

SISTER ANGELICA CRISTIANI, MPF

Sister Angelica Cristiani, MPF, passed away peacefully on Monday, January 13, 2025, at St. Joseph Hall, Villa Walsh, Morristown, New Jersey. She was 100 years of age.

A viewing will be held on Saturday, January 18, beginning at 10:00 a.m. in St. Lucy Chapel, Villa Walsh, Morristown, New Jersey, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 a.m. Interment at Ave Maria Cemetery will follow the Liturgy. Arrangements are by Doyle Funeral Home, Morristown, New Jersey.



A native of Jersey City, New Jersey, Sister Angelica entered the Religious Teachers Filippini in 1938. She received the habit in 1940 and professed her Perpetual Oblation in 1943.

Sister Angelica earned a BS degree in Elementary Education from the College of St. Elizabeth in Convent Station, New Jersey.

Throughout her many years of ministry, Sister Angelica taught grades one through eight in the (arch)dioceses of Baltimore, Brooklyn, Trenton, Metuchen, Newark, and Philadelphia, and served as a local convent superior in Union City, New Jersey.

When Sister Angelica retired from teaching, she graciously offered her culinary skills and services at Villa Walsh, Morristown, New Jersey, St. Joseph by the Sea Retreat House in South Mantoloking, New Jersey, and Villa Victoria in Ewing, New Jersey.

In 2014, Sister Angelica transitioned to Villa Walsh in Morristown, New Jersey, where she generously offered her services where needed. Due to declining health, Sister Angelica entered St. Joseph Hall in December 2024.

Sister Angelica was one of five children. She is predeceased by her parents, Potito and Frances (Christiani) Cristiani and her sisters, Sister Mary Cristiani, MPF, Phyllis Bochicchio, and Frances Mucciolo, and her brother, Carmine. She is survived by her loving nieces, nephews, grandnieces, and grandnephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Sister Angelica may be made to the Religious Teachers Filippini, c/o Sister Patricia Pompa, MPF, Villa Walsh, 455 Western Avenue, Morristown, NJ 07960.