



## Rosemarie Thomas

January 11, 2018

Rosemarie Thomas, (87), departed this earthly life, on Thursday, January 11, 2018, at Life Care Center of Raynham.

Rosemarie was born, in 1930, to the late Albert and Alma M. (Nichols) Thomas, in Brooklyn, NY. She was the youngest daughter of the Thomas family. Three siblings are believed to have preceded her in death, Moses, Nichols, and Palmer Thomas. Her extended family by friend is too long to mention, but know that she was cherished and supported over the years by many people in her life.

Rosemarie was educated in the public school system, in New York, and graduated with training in nursing. She was a proud employee of Kings County Hospital, in Brooklyn, NY, after graduation. However, her work tenure and life changed in 1953 when she officially moved to Taunton, MA and began work at Taunton State Hospital. She had a big heart and cared for people, so her sociable persona allowed her to be embraced in the city of Taunton.

Rosemarie was known for her love of singing and travel. Ask anyone who knew her and they could easily remember Rosemarie's story of touring with A Classic Sound and her accidently meeting with President Bill Clinton or her many vacations across the globe with friends. Rosemarie may have been chosen to remain single, but she was never alone.

In 1990, Rosemarie retired from Taunton State Hospital with over 40 years of dedicated service to the institution. In retirement, Rosemarie continued to enjoy life with travel, through community service by singing in Acapella groups, and faithful service and membership at the Baptist Church of All Nations, in Taunton.

She was lovingly called "Aunt," "Old Gray mare," and "Sister" by many in her circle of influence. However, her most important title was child of God. Rosemarie professed and confessed that Jesus was her LORD and Savior. She was faithful and generous with all people. Rosemarie was known for her "taxi service" for many friends who needed rides to church or into Boston for various appointments.

A Memorial Service will be held at the Baptist Church of All Nations, 61 Winthrop Street, Taunton, MA, on Saturday, January 27, 2018, at 11:00 am.

Arrangements are in the care of Crapo Hathaway Funeral Home.

# Events

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**JAN**   **Memorial Service**   11:00AM  
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61 Winthrop Street, Taunton, MA, US