



## Elsie McGinley

June 18, 1914 - December 10, 2010

Elsie Terrace McGinley of Branford, Ct passed away peacefully on December 10, 2010 at Connecticut Hospice in Branford. Born in North Haven, Ct on June 18, 1914, she was the daughter of the late Antonio and Maria (Rascati) Terrace. She was the wife of the late James F. McGinley and they were blessed to share 63 years of marriage. Elsie's long lifetime was marked by many historic and personal events that she always met with personal strength and determination based on a strong faith. A graduate of Larson College (now Quinnipiac University), Elsie's career choices were performed with a very strong work ethic which served as a model for her family. Her final position, prior to retirement, was with the State of Connecticut's Department of Vocational Rehabilitation. In addition to her parents and husband she was predeceased by siblings Salvatore, Michael, Josephine(Pisani), Clara(Ruocco) and Lillian(Piccolo) Terrace as well as her two beloved sons-in-law, Joseph Bruno and Harry Letize. Left to cherish her memory are her son, James (Denise) and grandsons Daniel and Thomas McGinley all of Newton Centre, Massachusetts. Also her daughter Rita Bruno Letize and her greatly loved and devoted grandson Joseph Bruno with whom she resided in Branford, Ct. Also her loving sisters and brothers-in-law David and Dorothea Murphy of Palm Harbor, Florida and Frank and Antonia Buono of North Haven, Ct. and Clearwater, Florida. Elsie's entire family will be comforted by memories that remind us that good things come in small packages, a testament to Elsie's petite size. Our family extends special thanks to Dr. Mark Perrotti and his staff,

the wonderful care providers of Hospice Home Care as well as the Hospice In-patient Facility staff. Elsie and her family were further blessed by the tender, loving assistance of her home companions, Dot and Deb. Funeral services will be private. Elsie's family will be comforted should friends include us in their prayers or by a donation to Connecticut Hospice, 100 Double Beach Road, Branford, Ct 06405.