



## Frances Cewe Rascati

August 3, 1917 - September 23, 2014

In Hamden September 23, 2014 Frances Cewe Rascati 97, of Hamden. Wife of the late Anthony Rascati. Loving mother of Anthony Rascati (Anna) of Hamden, Barbara McNamara (Richard) of Hamden, Carol Franco (Susan) of West Haven, Lisa Magson of Hamden and Rosann Passander (Ronald) of North Haven. Also survived by her 10 cherished grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by brothers Peter, Anthony and Jacob Cewe and sisters Helen DePino, Betty Pesapane and Marion Cadenhead. Frances was born in New Haven August 3, 1917, daughter of the late Peter and Elizabeth Zawadowski Cewe. She and her husband Tony were the owners of Rascati's Market in Fair Haven for many years. She was cherished by her family and will live in their hearts forever.

Her funeral will leave Sisk Brothers Funeral Home 3105 Whitney Ave. Hamden Friday at 10:30 a.m., Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m. in St. Rita Church. Burial in All Saints Cemetery. Calling hours are Thursday from 4 - 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to the Alzheimer's Association 2075 Silas Deane Highway, Suite 100, Rocky Hill, CT. 06067. To leave an online condolence please visit [www.siskbrothers.com](http://www.siskbrothers.com).

# Cemetery Details

## All Saints Cemetery

700 Middletown Ave.  
North Haven, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling hours

SEP 25. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Sisk Brothers Funeral Home  
3105 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT 06518  
(203) 288-7114  
[siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net](mailto:siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net)

## Funeral service

SEP 26. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Rita Church  
1620 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT

# Tribute Wall

BB

“ Carol, Barbara, Rosann, Lisa and Anthony - I am so very sorry to hear about the passing of your mom. I will cherish my memories of her in my heart. You have a beautiful family and the love you have for your mom showed, but she is in a much better place with The Lord!

*With deepest sympathy in the loss of your mom,  
Beth Brescia and family*

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**Beth Brescia** - September 26, 2014 at 11:53 AM

SP

“ My dear, dear Aunt Fran... **THANK YOU!** Thank you for all the wonderful and endearing memories you've given me throughout my life. Memories that stretch all the way back to my childhood when I'd go to Fair Haven with my family and enjoy Sunday with the whole clan. Loved when the kids, in order to get them out of the way, were told to go upstairs to Aunt Fran's house. It was like having our own apartment...it was great! And, there were the times I'd sit there salivating watching you make homemade manicotta. To this day, I have yet to taste any that were any where near as good as yours. A more recent memory was at a picnic at Lake Quassapaug where you sat next to me and we talked about everything from old times to the current woes of the New York Mets. Your knowledge and recall were amazing. You will forever be loved and thought of and cherished as the wonderful person you are... **THANK YOU!**

*steven pesapane*

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**steven pesapane** - September 26, 2014 at 07:33 AM

CF

“ Carol, my sympathy to you and your family! May your Mom rest in peace! With peaceful thoughts Chris Foran, (Mary Clough's friend).

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**Christine Foran** - September 25, 2014 at 03:00 PM

DS

“ To Jimmy and all the family, on all sides of Frances, our deepest condolences and prayers go out to you. We celebrate her wonderful 97 years with you, and hope you will find comfort in all the memories of her. God Bless.

-Donna Graziano-Stellato & Giavanna (Gigi) Graziano along with our family

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**Donna Stellato** - September 25, 2014 at 02:11 PM

RP

“ Mamma, As I woke up this morning realizing you are no longer with us, I don't even want to face the day, but I know you are in Heaven and with Daddy, Grandma, Grandpa, your brothers, sisters and many more! What a Great Reunion it must be!!! Mom, I will always remember the happy look and "surprise" on your face whenever I came to be with you, it warmed my heart! You were always so happy Mom and a pleasure to be around. I will miss you terribly, more than you would ever know. I Love You! Rosann - See more at: <http://m.legacy.com/guestbooks/nhregister/guestbook.aspx?n=Frances-Rascati&pid=172549467#sthash.ILFfXzHj.dpuf>

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**rosann passander** - September 24, 2014 at 10:44 PM

AB

“ Amy B. purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Frances Cewe Rascati.



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**Amy B.** - September 24, 2014 at 09:20 PM

RP

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**rosann passander** - September 24, 2014 at 07:33 PM

JB

“ My Mother and I send our condolences on the passing of your Mother. with deepest sympathy.

*Josephine and Joseph Balzano*

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**Joseph Balzano** - September 24, 2014 at 02:41 PM

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“ Elizabeth's hair Design ~ Liz ~ purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Frances Cewe Rascati.



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Elizabeth's hair Design ~ Liz ~ - September 24, 2014 at 01:53 PM

HL

“ Dearest Anthony, Paula and the whole Rascati family,  
A beautiful woman both inside and out has gone home to be with our Lord. We are truly thankful that we were included in so many wonderful occasions and shared lots and lots of special memories. It was only in the last ten years that she visited our church on a fall day when it was time to rake leaves. Everyone was surprised when they saw a beautiful white haired woman almost 90 years old raking away and putting the young teenagers to shame. Knowing her was knowing kindness and love. Thank you for sharing her. May God bless you all at this sad time of mourning that we share, but know that She is at peace and the Heavens are rejoicing as they welcome her.

Love and Prayers,  
Harry & Heather Gilbert

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Heather Liscio-Gilbert - September 24, 2014 at 09:34 AM

VS

“ I want to send my deepest sympathy to the whole family. Fran/Gram will be missed deeply. She had quite sense of humor and always made me laugh. I had the pleasure of knowing her for many years being a neighbor of Rosann n Ron n Dana. We had the pleasure helping Gram celebrate her last birthday. After singing to her she thanked everyone a.d said to me "You are in like flint" Will miss her smile and great personality.

*RIP my dear friend.*

*Love Jeff n Vivian Schultz*

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**Vivian Schultz** - September 24, 2014 at 04:52 AM