



Soledad "Soly" Dietz

May 15, 1920 - April 3, 2013

Soledad "Soly" Dietz, 92, of Kankakee, died Wednesday (April 3, 2013) at Presence Our Lady of Victory nursing home. There will be no services. Cremation rites have been accorded. Interment will be in Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood. Memorials may be made to Presence Our Lady of Victory. Arrangements are made by ClancyGernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. Soledad was born May 15, 1920, in the Philippines, the daughter of Enrique and Eulogia Hollesca Diazana. She was a survivor of World War II in the Philippines, having lived amid combat during Japanese occupation. During the war, she met her future husband, a U.S. Army soldier who was born in Austria. She married Carl J. Dietz on Dec. 5, 1945, in the Philippines. They came to the U.S., after the war ended and started to raise a family in Chicago. After her husband retired, they moved to a house on the bank of the Kankakee River, where she enjoyed outdoor get-togethers with her entire family. One of her favorite pastimes was sitting on the deck, enjoying nature and the serenity of the river. She also enjoyed cooking authentic Filipino dishes. Her interests included needlework, sewing, ceramic pottery, cake decorating and gardening. She is survived by four sons, Edward (Remy) Castano, of Hoffman Estates, Michael Dietz, of St. Anne, John (Debbie) Dietz, of Momence, and Vincent (Nancy Lee) Dietz, of Olympia Fields; three daughters, Catherine Dietz, of Orland Park, Nancy Dietz Rago, of Chicago, and Mary (Kerry) Piunti, of Homewood; eight grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. She was preceded in

death by her parents, her husband in 2005, and her brothers and sisters.

Memorials may be made to Presence Our Lady of Victory Nursing Home - www.presencehealth.org/

Tribute Wall

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“ *Glenn & Stephan Flinchum lit a candle in memory of Soledad "Soly" Dietz*



Glenn & Stephan Flinchum - April 12, 2013 at 08:49 AM

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“ *Dear Family of "Soly," Fr. Donald Wehnert, csv Celebrated the Mass for "Soly," on Sunday April 7th at 10am. Our prayers and sympathy are with you, Your Family here at Presence Our Lady of Victory.*

Martha Harrington,sscm - April 09, 2013 at 12:41 PM

 Marie Fraley

“ *Marie Fraley lit a candle in memory of Soledad "Soly" Dietz*



Marie Fraley - April 06, 2013 at 04:24 PM