

Mary Jane Casciato, 89, born September 22, 1917 in Youngstown, Ohio to Pietrina and Stefano Carano, died peacefully at her home on December 30, 2006 with her husband of 69 years at her side. Mary is survived by her husband John; her three children, Elaine (Ed) Ajamie, John and Bob; six grandchildren, Tom Ajamie, Terry (Bill) Labadie, Jean Ajamie, Jackie (Peter) Labadie, John (Marnie) Ajamie and Heather Casciato; six great-grandchildren, Mary Helen, Joe, Danny and Kayla Labadie; Malia and Kaili Ajamie. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, January 2, 2007 from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. with a 7:00 P.M., Rosary at Whitney & Murphy Funeral Home, 4800 E. Indian School Rd., Phoenix, AZ. Funeral Mass

will be on Wednesday, January 3, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 5045 E. Thomas Rd., Phoenix, AZ. Interment will follow at St. Francis Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please made donations to Hospice of The Valley, 1510 E. Flower St., Phoenix, AZ 85014 or St. Vincent de Paul Society, PO Box 13600, Phoenix, AZ 85002. Published in The Arizona Republic on Jan. 3, 2007