



Ruth Adabell Messina

October 8, 1933 - December 22, 2024

Ruth Adabell Messina, 91, of Mooresville, North Carolina. Ruth went to be with the Lord on December 22, 2024. She was born in Cleveland, Ohio, on October 8th, 1933.

Ruth was a proud member of Ohio Order of the Eastern Star, an organization based on charity, truth, and kindness. Which demonstrated her character both inside and beyond the organization.

She is preceded in death by her father; Fred H. Bartley, her mother; Ruth W. Bartley and her husband; Joseph Messina.

She is survived by her son; Joseph M. Messina, her daughter-in-law; Kimberly A. Messina, and Grandchildren; Christi L. Messina and Joseph R. Messina.

Ruth was the definition of a strong independent woman. She remained loyal and devoted to Joseph Messina (husband) even after his passing in 1970. Her love for him never faded, with confidence it's safe to say that they are together again for eternity. Even when faced with loss of her husband, she never blinked an eye when it came to raising her son. Through the actions of Ruth, her son (Joseph) learned what unconditional love, hard work and commitment is. Even when things got rough, she was never one to back down. Ruth left a

legacy that will forever live on through those who had the privilege of knowing her.

A visitation will be held. Family will receive friends and family from 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM on Thursday, December 26, 2024 at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory. Located at 494 E Plaza Dr, Mooresville, NC 28115.

A Memorial Service will follow at 3 PM.

She will be laid to rest at Glenwood Memorial Park, located at 273 Glenwood Dr, Mooresville, NC 28115.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations to The Guardians of the Children Mooresville Chapter, following link: <https://www.gocmooresvillenc.com>

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Messina family. Condolences may be made to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Cemetery Details

Glenwood Memorial Park

273 Glenwood Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

DEC **26**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Funeral Service

DEC **26**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Chapel
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115