



## Mary Silva

May 25, 2022

It is with our most sincere sympathy and regret that we announce that Mary Catherine Silva, R.N. (nee Dottino) passed away on May 25, 2022, just 25 days after celebrating her 100th birthday. She was married to her beloved husband, Carlos Raul Silva, M.D. until he passed away in 2014. Mary is survived by two of her children, Martha Welch, R.N and Raul Silva, M.D., her 8 grandchildren (Lilia, Victoria, Jess, Erika, Carolyn, Jessica, Kevin and Ryan) and 10 great grandchildren (Carter, Mason, Jake, Natalia, Julianna, Christian, Ella, Bryce, Sienna and Adalynn) and their respective spouses, all who will miss her dearly. She was predeceased by her oldest son, Carlos Albert, and her oldest grandchild, Carlos Eugenio. She was born in Fairview N.J. and was the first woman in her family to go to college and become a professional. Mary worked as a nurse in numerous settings, including St Mary's Hospital and North Hudson Hospital in N.J., and after a brief period of retirement returned to her life's mission at Avante Nursing Home in Boca Raton, Florida. She continued working into her late 80's keeping to her oath to help and support her patients. She lived a life of sacrifice and dedication to her family and the patients that she tended to lovingly throughout her illustrious and extended career, always putting the needs of others before hers. She emphasized the importance of education and thanks to her hard work and encouragement, her offspring were fortunate enough to attend some of the premier universities in the United States. She leaves behind a lasting legacy, she will be terribly missed but never forgotten. Visitation will be held at Barrett Leber Funeral

Home at 148 Dean Drive Tenafly N.J. on Saturday May 28, 2022, from 8:00 am-10:30 am, with Funeral service to begin at 10:30 am. Entombment to follow at Madonna Cemetery in Fort Lee immediately after.

# Cemetery Details

## Madonna Mausoleum

2070 Hoefleys Lane  
Fort Lee, NJ 07024

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 28.** 8:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Barrett Leber Funeral Home  
148 Dean Dr  
Tenafly, NJ 07670  
(201) 568-8043  
<https://www.barrettleberfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

**MAY 28.** 10:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mary Silva.* ”



May 26, 2022 at 05:13 PM



“ *Fue un placer haber conocido a la mujer más fuerte y dulce que jamás había visto, descansa en paz Mary porque así lo mereces, nuestras condolencias a toda la familia que ya la siento mía.* ”



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