



Born to New Life

Sister Anna Pompei, MPF

Sister Anna Pompei, MPF, died peacefully on Monday, April 22, 2024, at St. Joseph Hall, Villa Walsh, Morristown, NJ. She was 101 years of age.

A viewing will be held on Friday, April 26, beginning at 2:00 p.m. in St. Lucy Chapel, Villa Walsh, Morristown, NJ, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 4:00 p.m. Interment at Ave Maria Cemetery will take place following the Liturgy. Arrangements are by Doyle Funeral Home, Morristown, NJ.

A native of Baltimore, MD, Sister Anna entered the Religious Teachers Filippini in 1936. She received the habit in 1939 and professed her Perpetual Oblation in 1942.

Sister Anna earned a teaching certificate from Villa Walsh Normal School in 1946. Throughout her many years in elementary education, Sister Anna attended numerous conferences and professional development workshops. In 1994, she was chosen by her colleagues in the Diocese of Trenton to be honored as "Outstanding Educator of the Year."

In her 84 years of religious life, Sister Anna served as classroom teacher, Principal, and catechist. She worked in the (arch)dioceses of Baltimore, Cleveland, Hartford, Newark, Paterson, and Trenton. In addition, she was appointed local convent Superior. Sister Anna returned to the motherhouse, Villa Walsh, in 2009 and generously offered her assistance wherever needed. Recently, due to declining health, Sister Anna transitioned to St. Joseph Hall.

Sister Anna was the oldest of two children. She is predeceased by her parents, Attilio and Elvira (Pece) Pompei, and her brother Nicholas. She is survived by her loving niece Anna Mary Stinson and her husband, James, grandnieces and grandnephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Sister Anna may be made to the Religious Teachers Filippini, c/o Sister Patricia Pompa, MPF, Villa Walsh, 455 Western Avenue, Morristown, NJ 07960.