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Alice J. "Tiny" Tantorno, age 72, of St. Augustine, passed away on October 28, 2011, at Flagler Hospital. Born and raised in Windber, Pennsylvania, the daughter of Frank and Matilda Pitera, Alice was truly a miracle baby, arriving prematurely, and nicknamed "Tiny" at an early age. The eldest of her siblings, she felt a motherly obligation to be a caregiver and role model. She helped support her family by working in a steel mill for many years doing work normally done by a strong man. She later studied to become a Licensed Practical Nurse and worked in hospitals and nursing homes for many more years. She moved from Levittown, Pennsylvania to St. Augustine in 1987. A devout Catholic, Alice actively volunteered in ministries of the church, was a member of the Legion of Mary, and locally was a member of the Cathedral Parish. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and homemaker. She is survived by her daughters, Tina Louise Tantorno of Yulee, FL, Cecilia Ann Sherman and Theresa Humenick, both of Mountaintop, PA; sons, Michael Patrick Tantorno of Sellersville, PA, Robert S. Tantorno and Daniel F. Tantorno, both of Jacksonville, FL; sisters, Mary Ann Pavlisin, Patricia W. Schriever, Denise Crookham and Catherine V. Rubino; brothers, Thomas E. Pitera, Francis R. Pitera and James A. Pitera; 11 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a sister, Linda Christine Crookham. Funeral Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 1st, at St.

Johns Family Funeral Home, with the Rev. Ed Booth officiating. A visitation, beginning at noon, will precede the service. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery. St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ *My deepest sympathies over the loss of your dear loved one. A few words offer peace during a difficult time, perhaps the words expressed at Revelation 21:3,4 provide you with both comfort and hope along with the realization that soon death will be a thing of the past.*

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