



## Cornelia "Corky" Dietrich

October 19, 2021

Cornelia "Corky" Dietrich, passed away peacefully in her home on October 19th, at the age of 103. Born Cornelia Braden on July 14, 1918 in Ottumwa, Iowa. She was raised in Utica, Missouri where she met her future husband, Joseph E. Dietrich (1916-1994). Both were faithful members of St. Joseph Cathedral in Jefferson City, Missouri and were a Knight and Lady of the Holy Sepulcher. Until her retirement, Corky was the assistant Chief Clerk for the House of Representatives for the state of Missouri for over 25 years.

Corky moved to Teaneck, NJ in 2004 to be closer to her immediate family. She found a second home at St. Anastasia Church, and quickly made new friends as she became involved with church and in her new community. She was as devoted to her family as she was to her faith; and is survived by her son, Gary Dietrich (Laura), grandson, Joseph (Phil), granddaughter, Elizabeth (Mike) and many nieces and nephews. Her family is also grateful for the loving care of Grace Boamah for the last six years of Corky's life.

Friends and family are invited to visit this Sunday from 4-7PM at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 789 Teaneck Road, Teaneck, NJ. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 10am on Monday at St. Anastasia Roman Catholic Church, Teaneck. She will then be laid to rest at Resurrection Cemetery in Jefferson City, Missouri.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to St. Anastasia Church, 1095 Teaneck Road, Teaneck, NJ 07666.

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

3015 West Truman Boulevard  
Jefferson City, MO 65109

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **24**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Volk Leber Funeral Home  
789 Teaneck Road  
Teaneck, NJ 07666  
info@volkleber.com  
<http://www.volkleber.com>

## Funeral Mass

OCT **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of St. Anastasia  
1095 Teaneck Rd  
Teaneck, NJ 07666  
(201) 837-3354

# Tribute Wall



“ *Cornelia "Corky" Dietrich*

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ *Cornelia "Corky" Dietrich*

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ *Cornelia "Corky" Dietrich*

August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ *What a beautiful lady!! There was something special about Corky-- her graciousness and her warm smile. May the Good Lord watch over her. And condolences to her family, especially Gary, ever faithful son and his wife Laura.*

**Achilles Schiano** - October 22, 2021 at 02:30 PM



“ *Terri Shriver Rankin lit a candle in memory of Cornelia "Corky" Dietrich*



**Terri Shriver Rankin** - October 22, 2021 at 12:09 PM

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“ Gary & family, I'm so sorry to hear about Aunt Corky. I have the fondest memories of visits from her and Uncle Joe. I remember one morning she fried bacon for all of us to help Mom with breakfast and she seemed to truly enjoy it! hahaha That was with 11 hungry kiddos hanging around her. Both of your parents always made me feel so loved. It's been at least 44 years since I last saw them but my memories of them are as vivid as yesterday's. Prayers to you and all your family. Be safe and take care!

Love from Paris, KY

Terri (Shriver) Rankin

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**Terri Shriver Rankin** - October 22, 2021 at 12:08 PM