



Rose Marie Thale

August 3, 2016

(nee Kelly). August 3, 2016. Residence, Shorewood. Beloved wife of the late Jerome Thale. Loving mother of Christopher P. Thale (Barbara Schechtman) Geoffrey F. Thale (Judy Galat), Brian Thale, Margaret M. Thale (Dave Sonoda) and the late John N. Thale (Sarah Simmons). Proud grandmother of Sarah J. Schechtman-Thale, Johanna Thale Galat, Benjamin J. Thale-Galat, Daniel M. Thale-Galat, Jadine Sonoda, Paige Sonoda, Rosie Thale, Rachel Dickson (Juan Lopera) and John Dickson (Emily Edwards). Further survived by other relatives and friends. Rose Marie Thale grew up in Chicago and Florida. She earned a Master's degree from Loyola University of Chicago, raised five children, and taught English at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and Milwaukee Area Technical College. She was a volunteer with the Hunger Task Force, a board member of Repairers of the Breach, a long-time supporter of Casa Maria, and for many years a member of the American Guild of Organists. Service & Reception InfoThe family will greet friends at Three Holy Women Parish, St. Hedwig Church, 1702 N. Humboldt Ave., Milwaukee 53202 on Monday, August 8th, after 9:00 AM followed by the Mass of Christian Burial at 10:00 AM. Interment at Holy Cross Cemetery. If desired, memorials appreciated to the Casa Maria House, 1131 N. 21st St., Milwaukee, WI 53233

Tribute Wall

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“ *The Milwaukee Chapter-American Guild of Organists extends its sincere sympathy to all of the Thale family. Rose Marie was a fine woman as was your dad, Jerry. She was a valued member of our Chapter in the prime of her life. She will be missed.*

Sheri Masiakowski - August 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Your Mother/Grandmother was a dear friend. While our contact has been infrequent in recent years, during the 1980's and 1990's we spoke to her almost daily and would see her regularly. She was a major supporter of all things connected to her love of Pipe Organs and Music: without her support the Miller Organ Concert Series and the Milwaukee AGO's International French and English Organ Music Festivals would probably not have happened. More recently, we would always share long, lively and incredibly stimulating phone conversations on Election Nights as returns began to come in. She was one of the kindest and most generous people we've ever known. Please accept our profoundest regrets and sympathy.*

Paul Kasten & James Burmeister - August 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM