



Bertha Louretta Mallozzi

June 3, 1943 - January 23, 2007

Bertha L. Mallozzi 1943 - 2007 LEWISTON-On Jan. 23, at 3:15 p.m., Bertha Louretta (Pace) Mallozzi of Warwick, R.I., succumbed to cancer, after an almost three-year courageous battle in her home, surrounded by her loving husband and adoring children. She was born in Providence, R.I., and educated in the Rhode Island school system. She was the very loving and respectful daughter of Robert D. Pace and Annie F. (Hewitt) Pace. She was a homemaker of 30 years, until being employed as secretary at the Auburn Baptist Church, of which her husband is pastor. She was married on July 17, 1965, to Joseph Mallozzi Sr. of Providence, R.I. They came to the Lewiston-Auburn area in August 1985, after a call by the Lord to pastor the Auburn Baptist Church. Their residence has been at 18 Hillview Lane, since that time, where they have raised their four wonderful children. She was an active member and co-worker, with her husband, in the ministry for the last 21 years, where she faithfully attended and served the Lord in many capacities. Her many ministries included Sunday school teacher, choir, visitation, counseling, nursery, vacation Bible school, missions conferences, ladies seminars, mother-daughter banquets, weddings, receptions, couples retreats, secret pals, Labor Day, as well as other picnics and church events. Beside all of this, she found time to minister as a full time wife, mother and grandmother. Her greatest pleasure in life was spending time with her children and grandchildren. She loved having them over and cooking for them. She loved shopping with her girls, buying things for them, her grandchildren and surprising her husband with gifts. She also loved going to cruise night with her husband in their 1951 chopped and customized Ford Victoria named "Betty Lou" after her. She was the ultimate wife and mother. Who can find a virtuous woman? For her price is far above rubies. The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her. Strength and honor are her clothing and she shall rejoice in time to come. She openeth her mouth with wisdom and in her tongue is the law of kindness. She looketh well to the ways of her household and eateth not the bread of idleness. Her children rise up and call her blessed, her husband also and he praiseth her. Many daughters have done virtuously but thou Betty, excelleth them all. (Proverbs 31) She was truly a faithful and virtuous woman of whom her family and church family were proud of. We believe as her loving family, that the Lord was truly pleased with her life. She loved to travel (anywhere) with her husband. Her

most favorite memory was going to the Holy Land for 10 days visiting all the precious places where Jesus walked. She always wanted to go back, she called it the "homeland" and she will, one day, go back with her whole family in the Millennial Kingdom. She is survived by her loving husband of 42 years, Joseph; her four children, three daughters, Wendy Ann Mallozzi-Beane, and husband, Shaun, of Lewiston, Gina Marie Mallozzi of Auburn, Rachel Louretta Mallozzi-Luong, and her husband, Bruce, of Lewiston and son, Joseph Mallozzi Jr. of Lewiston; and two grandchildren, Anthony Joseph Mallozzi and Brandon Christopher Beane; she has two sisters and two brothers and many nieces, nephews and friends back in Rhode Island. She was predeceased by both her parents. She was a very joyful, pleasant and fun-loving person to be around. She has left her family full of love and many wonderful, precious memories. She will always remain in our hearts and be sadly missed by her entire family and all her Christian brothers and sister at the Auburn Baptist Church. The greatest blessing that graces our hearts is the promise of God from his Word, that we will all be together again in Heaven. MALLOZZI - Bertha Louretta (Pace), of Lewiston, died in Lewiston on Jan. 23. . The funeral will be held on FRIDAY, Jan. 26, at 11 a.m. at the Auburn Baptist Church, 227 Poland Road, Auburn. Visitation will be held at Dillingham & Son on Thursday, Jan. 25, from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Condolences and sharing of memories may be expressed on-line at www.LynchBrothers.com Arrangements by the family owned Dillingham & Son Memorial Chapel, 62 Spring Street, Auburn. 784-6449

Tribute Wall

JP

“ We did not know you long, but you touched our hearts and lives. Thank you for being who you were. God Bless you and we will meet again in heaven.

James,Alice,Robert Parker - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

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“ Bertha Louretta Mallozzi

Ward Harrison - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

DJ

“ My memories of Betty go back to 1977 when I was in school with Wendy and Gina. Every time she dropped off and picked up the girls at the bus stop. She always had a happy glow on her face that was contagious to everybody around her. I will always remember her that way. Pastor Joe, Wendy, Gina, Rachel, Joey, and all the rest of your family not mentioned, my heart goes out to you all during this time. I am so sorry for your loss. We will all see Betty again in Heaven thanks and praise to Jesus Christ.

Dale Calkins Jr. - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

DE

“ I have known the Mallozzi family for most of my life. You were like a second family to me through my childhood years...my heart breaks for you and grieves with you as I pray that God will sustain you through and give you strength and peace at this time. I love you! When I think about Mrs. Mallozzi the first thing that comes to my mind is her smile; it's funny because I know that there were times when Gina and I were younger that we'd get in trouble and Mrs. M wasn't too happy with us...but when I look back what I remember is her beautiful smile and her beautiful spirit...she was beautiful inside and out...truly one of this world's most Virtuous Women. I love her dearly and she will be missed.

Dori (Flynn) Elder - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

CD

“ The Apostle Paul said of James and Peter that they seemed to be pillars in Galatians 2:9. Not that they merely seemed to be but that they were like or as pillars. Your Betty, Our Betty to me was and will remain a pillar in the lives of every person who was privileged to know her and who's lives she touched. She is a pillar to me, to my wife, and to our marriage and I am so grateful and fortunate to have known her. Spring and I look forward together with you to the day that we will again see our Betty. Hopefully it will be very soon that we hear the trumpet sound. We love you all.

Carl & Spring Dill - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

KC

“ Mrs Mallozzi was a wonderful woman. I've known her and her family since the mid 70's. She was always a vibrant and cheerful woman. I remember her encouraging me as a young teen. Her smile always preceded her, because she had the joy of the Lord in her heart and on her face. My heart goes out to her family because I know they will dearly miss her presence and uplifting spirit. The comfort of our hearts is that we WILL see her again. Until Heaven, we will miss you Mrs M!

Ken Carroll - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

NC

“ Dear Ms Betty, I only knew you for two years, but those years I learned so very much from you. From the moment I set foot in our church you and your family made me feel like I belonged, I was finally accepted and loved. I know you're not my mom but I always watched the love your children had for you and you for your children and wished that you were. You taught me that the most important thing in life is to love your family with an unconditional love just like Jesus. You could always see Jesus in you just by looking at your bright smile and your glowing eyes, even at your sickest times your grace and beauty shined and resembled just what the bible says it should, like Jesus. I know when you went home to be with our Lord and Savior he said well done good and faithful servant and was so happy that you were home. We will miss you so very much. We Love you Ms Betty. We will continue to pray for Pastor, Wendy, Gina, Rachael, Joey and the grandchildren the hole in your hearts I know must be great and our hearts go out to you. We love you all. Love in Jesus, Nicole, Tom

Nicole Tom Rand and Children - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

BA

“ My Dearest Betty, i am so overwhelmed with sadness ,I know your happy i know you are healed ,but the heartbeat of our church is missingthe center of your beautiful family is missing....I feel most priviledged to have served the Lord Jesus under your ministry you embodied every wonderful word writted in Prov 31, you are beautiful on the outside ..but the beauty that sustains me and my memory.. are those of how truly beautiful you are on the inside.... this has spilled over to your children and family ... i see you even in the twinkle of Brandons eyes....Thank you for all the special private times we shared thank you for ALWAYS being in my corner helping me run the race ...I am forever changed,and look forward to the day when all tears are wiped away and we .will all meet on that Beautiful Shore.. From the bottom of my broken heart ...I Love You xo
Barbara

Barbara - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

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“ I want everyone to know what an amazing lady MISS BETTY was. The way in which she traveled this long road never complaining and always smiling ,though I always knew she was not really feeling as good as she would tell me!!!! Never once did she not praise the LORD for each and every thing in her life.She LOVED her HUSBAND, and all her children!!!! Her only worry was the deep sadness they would have to go through!!!We all know she is in HEAVEN with JESUS! She would not want to come back here. Yet it is such a very hard thing for us to try to go on without her!!!For her family and alot of us HER CHURCH FAMILY, it will be a while before we can go through a day not thinking about her without crying!!!!We miss you so much! your shoes can never be filled ,that is certain. But I ask all who read this to Pray for PASTOR and his Son and Daughters as they try to carry on her ministry in her memory.

ROY & RONNIE - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

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“ My Dearest Mama, Even though you are safely home and I know how happy you are to be walking on shores of Heaven... you have seen Jesus, have been in His arms and have been reunited with your mom & dad whom you have missed so very much. The pain I feel from our separation is unexplainable... you were my life, my best friend, my teacher... I know how selfish this sounds Mama but how do I go on without you? Life as our family knows it will never be the same again. I must find strength in the knowledge you are finally free... free from the sickness of cancer and all the chemo with it's horrible side effects. We know you did that for us with never one complaint. Your courage, strength & trust in the Lord was truly amazing Mama. You are the most virtuous woman I have ever known. I am so thankful that even in your final hours, the Lord allowed us to communicate with each other and say how much we loved each other. I am so thankful you died in Papa's arms & not in a hospital bed with strangers taking care of you. We're so thankful we could do all that for you as it was an honor. You took such wonderful care of us for so many years! Thank you for a wonderful life, I will cherish 40 years of beautiful memories. I promise to uphold all that you have taught me and keep your legacy alive. I will take care of Papa & your babies and we will look forward to the day we are all together, never to be separated again. Who can find a virtuous woman for her price is far above rubies? Her children arise up and call her blessed, her husband also.... Even so, come Lord Jesus! All My Love Forever & Ever, Wendy x0x0x0x0x0x0x0x0

Wendy - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

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“ Dear Mr. Mallozzi, I will always remember your family as a kind and happy one. And Mrs. Mallozzi was one of the reasons. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.

Zoe Moore (Harrison) - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM



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“ I have know Mrs. Mallozzi since I was a little girl. I never saw anything but a smile and kindness on her face. I attended ABC for a long time and her and Pastor Joe were my light. I knew that any thime that I needed anything all I had to is ask. You too are a part of why I am the person that I am. My heart goes out to your family.

Violet Nalley (Page) - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

AT

“ *Pastor Mallozzi and Family, I am so sorry to hear about the loss of Mrs. Mallozzi. She was a very kind woman and she will be missed dearly by all who knew her. My prayers are with you and your family. Sincerely, April Tremblay*

April Tremblay - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

ET

“ *It has been a priveledge and blessing to have known her and to have some fun memories to remember. My prayers go out to the Mallozzi family that God will help them through this time. It will be wonderful when we get to see her shining face again in Heaven!!!*

Eric J. Tremblay - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM

FF

“ *Dear Lord, As I try to put words to express the feelings of sadness I have, it seems impossible. You have in heaven a beautiful Lady that will be missed so much here on earth. She was and will always be a great example to us. She taught us so many things, such as, how to love our husbands, how to love and care for our children, and how to be a good homemaker to make our home a special place for our family with all the extra little touches of note making and decorating. She had wisdom beyond measure, if you needed advice, she was ready and willing with a truthful, honest heart to share her thoughts. She always looked so beautiful and adorned herself modestly. She was a perfect example of a Lady. I know she will be mostly missed by her dear husband (our pastor) and her beautiful children and grandchildren, but I wanted you to know that she meant so much to so many. We don't know how many lives she touched with your beautiful gospel, but I'm sure she had many crowns waiting for her. We don't understand, but know you do. Your ways are not our ways and so we will trust your heart because we know you love us and don't make mistakes. Please cover Pastor Joe, Wendy, Gina, Rachel, Joey and the grandchildren with your love and grace and strengthen their heart for you and your kingdom. May you be glorified in everything... We will miss you Mrs. Betty! Thank you for all you have taught me (us) we will see you later when we all are finally home. Love, Francine*

Francine Ouellette and Family - January 24, 2007 at 04:18 PM