



## Tillie M. Salaty

April 3, 2018

(nee Wesolowski) Born to Eternal Life April 3, 2018 at the age of 97 years. Preceded in death by her loving husband Edmund and grandson Daniel Salaty. Loving mother of Lorraine (Don) Paynter and Ronald (Cheryl). Beloved Grandma of Steve (April) Salaty, Wendy (James) Huot, Laura (Aaron) Gaskell, Tammy Flynn and Brian (Kristy) Salaty, great-grandma of Chelsea, Jade and Marcus Flynn, Emily Gaskell, Dray Flynn, Anna Gaskell, Veronica Huot, Megan Salaty, Grant Gaskell, Maximus Huot, Alex and Greysen Salaty and great-great-grandma of Kingston Flynn. Further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Tillie grew up on farm in Crivitz, Wisconsin. She had 5 brothers and 6 sisters. She was the 3rd youngest and her father, Peter Wesolowski, passed away when she was only 3 years old. Tillie was close with her mother, Mary (Paluch) and worked hard on the farm including picking beans.

She came to Milwaukee when she was 17 and saw city lights for the first time. She worked a variety of jobs and went home a few times to help her mother. Eventually, she met Ed and they married on April 18, 1942. They were a wonderful couple who were happy to live and work together everyday! They enjoyed owning Star TV for 50 years. The store started selling radios in the 40's and really took off with the introduction of TV sets, especially color TV's. Tillie was very active in the store, even picking up 100 new TV's one truckload at a time!

She was a longtime member of the Basilica of St. Josaphat Parish. In her

retirement years, she was proud of raising funds by doing various craft projects with her fellow Christian Women at the Basilica. She made many lasting friendships crafting with the ladies.

Throughout her life, Tillie loved to work. She was an excellent cook, especially of baked goods. Her chocolate chips cookies are legendary as she baked hundreds of batches over the years for her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She was a trail blazer in a time when most women stayed at home. She worked side by side with Ed and earned her place as the family matriarch who was loved and respected by all who met her.

In lieu of flowers please consider a memorial to the Children's Hospital of Wisconsin.

Visitation Thursday, April 12 at the Rozga-Walloch Funeral Home (4309 S. 20th St, Milwaukee) from 4:00-7:00 PM. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Friday, April 13 at 11:00 AM at the BASILICA OF ST. JOSAPHAT (601 W. Lincoln Ave., Milwaukee) (PLEASE MEET AT CHURCH).

Entombment St. Adalbert Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Adalbert Cemetery

3801 S. 6th Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53221

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 12. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Rozga Funeral & Cremation Services - Rozga-Walloch Chapel  
4309 South 20th Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53221  
(414) 281-7145  
<https://www.rozgafuneral.com/>

## Mass of Christian Burial

APR 13. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Basilica of St. Josaphat  
601 W. Lincoln Avenue  
Milwaukee, WI 53215

## Cemetery Committal Service

APR 13. 12:15 PM - 12:30 PM (CT)

St. Adalbert Cemetery  
3801 S. 6th Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53221



# Tribute Wall

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“ *May her gentle soul rest in perfect peace with the Lord.*

*Freda*

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**Freda Adogamhe** - April 13, 2018 at 04:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Tillie M. Salaty.*



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April 11, 2018 at 02:41 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tillie M. Salaty.*



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April 09, 2018 at 10:07 AM

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“ *I was so sad to hear of Auntie Tillie's passing. I loved her so much and always loved visiting her when I was in Milwaukee. She was such a wonderful person in every way. She will be missed by all of us who knew her.*

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**Elaine Schuck** - April 06, 2018 at 05:00 PM