

# *Dorothy E. Nahas Rader*

January 3, 2012

Dorothy E. Nahas Rader, Girardville, a longtime Frackville resident, died peacefully Tuesday evening with her family by her side at Schuylkill Medical Center East Norwegian Street.

Born in Frackville, she was a daughter of the late Elias and Elizabeth Haddad Nahas.

She was the owner of Dorothy's Beauty Shop, Frackville, until her retirement.

She was a member of St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church, Frackville, where she was very active in numerous parish activities. She was a member of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court St. James and was a member of the Catholic Daughters bowling league. Dot was a judge of elections in Frackville for several years.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Wilbur "Wib" Rader, in 2000; a son, Ron Rader, in 2011; a brother, James Nahas, in 1982; and a sister, Sara Welikonich, in 2011.

Surviving are two sons, Lou and his wife, Patrice Rader, Ashland, and Bob and his wife, Judy Rader, Pottsville; a daughter-in-law, Louann Rader, Ringtown; a brother, Bob Nahas, New York City; five sisters, Marie Hayek, Virginia, Rose Matthews, Easton, Dale Matern, Frackville, Joan Griffin, Morristown, N.J., and Helene Nahas, Frackville; five grandchildren, Tim Rader and his wife, Melisa, Mike Rader and his wife, Heather, and Tom, Ryan and Lindsay Rader; two greatgrandchildren, Michael and Casey

Rader; nieces and nephews.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Friday at St. Joseph Church, Frackville, with the Rev. Robert Finlan, pastor, as the celebrant.

Interment will be in the parish cemetery, Englewood, Frackville. Friends may call from 9:30 a.m. until the time of Mass Friday at the church. There will be no viewing on Thursday evening. The family prefers contributions, in lieu of flowers, be made in Dorothy's name, to the memorial fund of St. Joseph's Church, Nice and Frack streets, Frackville, PA 17931. Sign the guest book, leave personal condolences and for further information, please visit [www.thomasmsullivanfuneralhome.com](http://www.thomasmsullivanfuneralhome.com). Thomas M. Sullivan Funeral Home, Frackville, is in charge of arrangements.