



Sr. Rose Gallagher

June 11, 2014

Gallagher, Sister Rose, SNJM

Latham. Sister Rose Gallagher (Nano Gallagher), a Sister of the Holy Names for 60 years, died June 11, 2014 at the Provincial House of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet, Latham.

Daughter of the late William Gallagher and Margaret Ozburn Gallagher, Sister Rose was born on June 5, 1934 in Washington, D.C. She entered the Sisters of the Holy Names on July 24, 1952 and made her first profession of vows on August 23, 1954. She received an M.A. in Religious Education from St. Michael's College, Winooski, VT and did graduate work in history at Villanova University, PA. After teaching in elementary schools in Albany, North Creek, Maryland and Florida, she was involved in religious education in parishes in the Diocese of Richmond, VA, and spent several years as part of the provincial administration of the Sisters of the Holy Names. The centerpiece of Sister Rose's life was her dedicated ministry to the people of Haiti. She spent many years both in Haiti and in working with Haitian refugees in the United States.

The Sisters of the Holy Names are very appreciative of the loving, compassionate care she received at St. Joseph Provincial House.

Sister Rose is survived by her sister, Mary Jane (Ed) Sweet , her brother, Wade John (Rita), her sister-in-law Jane Gallagher, and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brother William.

A prayer service will be held on Tuesday, June 17 at 10:00 a.m. in the chapel of the Provincial House of the Sisters of St. Joseph, 385 Watervliet Shaker Road, Latham. This will be followed by a Liturgy of the Resurrection at 11:00 a.m. and burial in Calvary Cemetery, Glenmont. In memory of Sr. Rose, donation may be made to Fonkoze USA, 1700 Kalorama Road NW, Suite 102, Washington, DC 20005-3512. This organization is dedicated to helping Haitians.

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Haitian peoples I was leave in roanoke virginia left 1993 I did know
if she pass a way peace be with you sister*

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