

SISTER DOROTHEA DELCIANCI

(May 7, 1918 - June 21, 1980)

In Staten Island Hospital, Sr. Dorothea passed to her eternal reward on June 21, 1980, after a long period of suffering.

Sr. Dorothea, christened Angelina Delcianic, was born in Rosebank, Staten Island, New York on May 7, 1918. In 1936, Sister entered the novitiate in Staten Island. She made her first profession in 1943.

On Staten Island, Sister Dorothea taught at St. John Villa Academy from 1945 to 1958. In 1959, she was assigned to St. Roch's Elementary School, where she served as principal of the school and superior of the convent until 1965.

She also had served as principal and superior at St. James Elementary School, New York City, in 1958 and 1959; and at St. Bernard's Elementary School, Plainfield, N.J. from 1965 to 1968.

Her other assignments included teaching at St. Lucy's Elementary School, Newark, from 1938 to 1942, at St. James Elementary School, New York City from 1942 to 1944 at Mt. St. John Academy, Gladstone, New Jersey in 1944 and 1945, and at St. Dominic's School, Bronx, N.Y. from 1968 to 1972.

At the end of the year 1972, Sister Dorothea was in poor health and asked for a leave of absence until such time as she would be fully recuperated. However, her condition grew progressively worse and was never able to return to assume an assignment.

Sister Dorothea was a generous Sister as well as prayerful in all her years of service to the Lord.

MAY SHE REST IN PEACE!