



## JOSEPH G. ANTONUCCIO

November 2, 1940 - June 6, 2020

Joseph G. Antonuccio, 79, of Syracuse, passed away Saturday, June 6th at The Cottages at Garden Grove. He was born in Tunis, Tunisia to the late Joseph and Carmella (Cristaldi-Russo) Antonuccio in 1940. Joe was a lifelong baker, including more than 25 years at Syracuse University before retiring. He enjoyed his trips to the casino where he spent much of his time playing poker. Joe loved spending time with his family, especially his grandsons. He was a communicant of St. Marianne Cope Parish-St. Cecilia Church. He was predeceased by the love of his life, his wife of 52 years, Emily (Togni) Antonuccio in 2016. He was also predeceased by his parents, his stepfather, Francesco Russo, brother-in-law, Michael Whalen and mother-in-law and father-in-law, Alice and Adelio Togni.

Joe is survived by his son, Joseph (Caroline) Antonuccio, of Syracuse, daughter, Lisa (Jeffrey) White, of Syracuse, his adored grandsons, Austin and Nicholas White, sister, Rita Whalen, brother-in-law, James (Judy) Togni, niece, Kristine (Fred) Jeffery, nephews, Shawn Whalen, Daniel (Christina) Togni, Patrick (Samantha) Togni and Christopher (Jillian) Togni and several great-nieces and great-nephews.

Funeral services and rite of committal in Assumption Cemetery are private. BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, Solvay, has care of arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to Make-A-Wish CNY, 5005 Campuswood Dr., E. Syracuse, NY 13057 or at [cny.wish.org](http://cny.wish.org).

“Paisan’s” family wishes to extend their appreciation to the amazing

caregivers at the Cottages at Garden Grove especially to Lisa, Mindy, Denise and Kathy. Their loving care made all the difference.

Please share online condolences and tributes at [www.bagozzitwins.com](http://www.bagozzitwins.com).

# Cemetery Details

## **Assumption Cemetery-Private Burial**

2401 Court St.  
Syracuse, NY 13208

# Tribute Wall



“ JOSEPH G. ANTONUCCIO

January 21, 2023 at 02:11 PM



“ Rita & family,

*So very sorry to read about Joe. My sincere sympathies to you and your family.*

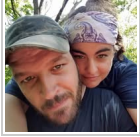
*Mary Downey*

Mary Downey - June 10, 2020 at 07:25 PM

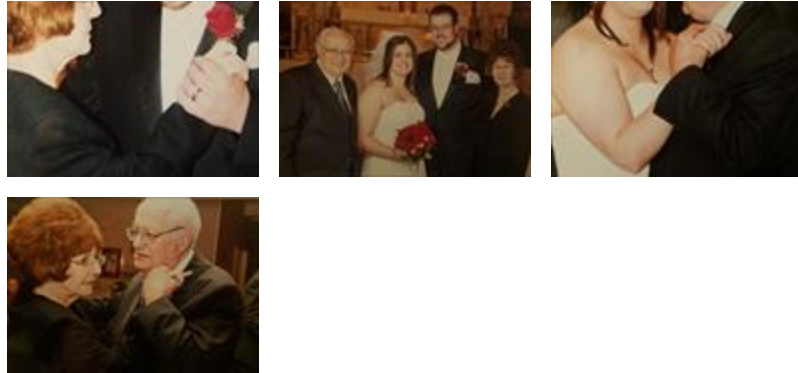


“ *A small snippet on a tribute page could never truly sum up your life. We all remember my Uncle Joe as a very loving, very animated, slightly stubborn, and cheerful man. You loved your family, more than life itself. I know because you always talked about it. The last time we really talked you were so upset that Aunt Emily had left you here. That woman was such a planner, she simply had to get Heaven ready for you. And now you'll have a first row seat to the family you made. I will always love you, the memories will always remain. All the holidays, the large events in each of our lives. The family we all built together. Goodbye Uncle Joe, tell them all we said hello.*

Kristine Jeffery - June 10, 2020 at 02:01 AM



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**Kristine Jeffery** - June 10, 2020 at 01:48 AM



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**Kristine Jeffery** - June 10, 2020 at 01:10 AM



“ *Been thinking about all of the great memories from growing up. Sunday's at Caroline Avenue, Thanksgivings, weddings. The coming of Grandkids and Grandnephews and Nieces. I take comfort in knowing you are with Aunt Emily now. Plus you finally got your seat at that big poker table in the sky, Uncle Joe. I know you'll be pulling the strings for SU and the Buffalo Bills.*

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**Dan Togni** - June 09, 2020 at 03:50 PM

RT

“ Joe and Lisa,  
I am very sorry for your loss. Your father was a very kind man and  
will be missed.  
Bob Tassone

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**Robert Tassone** - June 09, 2020 at 07:29 AM

BW

“ Deepest Sympathy to Joe and Lisa and the whole Antonuccio  
family. Very hard and sad to say good bye to our beloved parents.  
Prayers and thoughts are with you all during this difficult time.

Barbara White

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**Barbara White** - June 09, 2020 at 12:01 AM

RW

“ It will be so hard, not to have you here with us... Love you forever...  
I will miss you for the rest of my life. Your little sister Rita.

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**Rita Whalen** - June 08, 2020 at 03:35 PM

BL

We remember beautiful family meals at your home. You made us feel  
like family. So kind, generous, and welcoming you always were Joe.  
We were blessed to have you for an in law. May you be at peace with  
Emily. Beth and Tom

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**Beth Lindow** - June 08, 2020 at 05:30 PM

TM

Thoughts and prayers to Lisa and family at this difficult time. Mr.  
Antonuccio sounds like a wonderful man. God bless.

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**Tony and Patti Mazzo** - June 09, 2020 at 06:08 AM

RP

*Soo sorry to see this!he is back with with Emily now and happy i am sure. The Passardi family payers are with all.*

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**Ron Passardi** - June 09, 2020 at 06:50 AM