

JOSEPH L. KENNEY

October 9, 1938 - July 25, 2024

Joseph L. Kenney, 85, of Solvay, passed away Thursday, July 25, 2024 at home surrounded by his family. He was born in Syracuse to the late Joseph and Marian (Penta) Kenney in 1938. Joe was a 1957 graduate of Solvay High School and SUNY Morrisville with his Associates Degree in Horticulture. He served with the Air National Guard of New York and the US Air Force, serving with the 138th Tactical Squadron during the Berlin Recall from 1961-1962. He owned and operated Kenney Landscaping since 1960. Joe loved restoring vintage vehicles and was a longtime communicant of St. Marianne Cope Parish-St. Cecilia Church. He obtained his private pilot's license and flew his own plane for many years.

Joe is survived by his wife of 55 years, the former Virginia Balduzzi; children, Shannon (Steven) Martini, of Syracuse and Christopher (Christa Lemczak) Kenney, of Camillus; 3 grandchildren, Joseph and Julianna Martini and Claire Kenney; sister, Joan Toohey, of Solvay; step-sister, Sally Olech, of Camillus; step-brother, Warren Grube, of Newport, TN; niece, Lisa Schwartz, of Marlborough, MA and nephew, John Toohey, of Solvay, NY.

Family and friends may call from 4:00 to 7:00 PM on Tuesday, July 30, 2024 at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Avenue in Solvay. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 9:30 AM Wednesday, July 31, 2024 at St. Marianne Cope Parish-St. Cecilia Church, 1001 Woods Road, Solvay. The Rite of Committal with Military Honors will follow in Onondaga County Veteran's Memorial Cemetery, Onondaga Hill.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to St. Marianne Cope Food Pantry, 105 Stanton Ave, Solvay, NY 13209.

Please share online tributes and memories at www.bagozzitwins.com.

Cemetery Details

Onondaga County Veteran's Memorial Cemetery

4069 Howlett Hill Rd.
Syracuse, NY 13215

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JUL 30. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME
2601 Milton Avenue
Solvay, NY 13209
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<http://www.bagozzitwins.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 31. 9:30 AM (ET)

ST. MARIANNE COPE PARISH; ST. CECILIA CHURCH
1001 WOODS RD.
SOLVAY, NY 13209

Tribute Wall



“ *Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of JOSEPH L. KENNEY*



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - July 29, 2024 at 04:39 PM

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“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Mr. Kenny's passing. He was such a sweet man and wonderful dad. My condolences to the entire family.*
Jackie Shields

Jackie Shields - August 01, 2024 at 11:18 AM

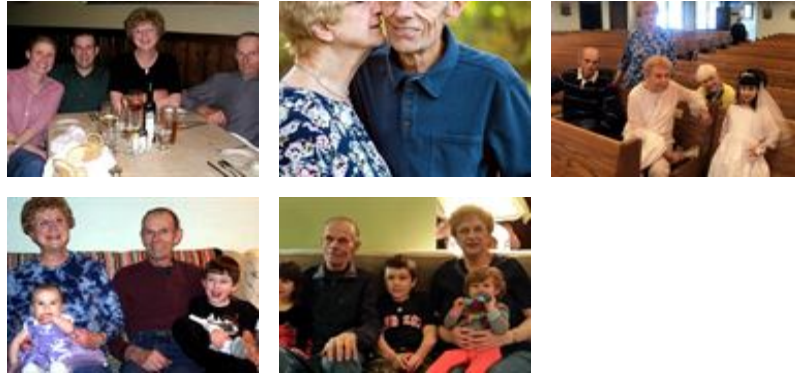
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“ *Please accept the most heartfelt sympathies of Le Moyne College. We hope the love and memories that you will forever hold in your heart bring you peace and comfort during this difficult time.*

Le Moyne College, Office of Alumni - July 29, 2024 at 01:36 PM



“ 45 files added to the album Life Tributes



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - July 29, 2024 at 12:32 PM



“ David M. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of JOSEPH L. KENNEY.

David M. - July 29, 2024 at 09:10 AM



“ Sending love and prayers of comfort to all of Mr. Kenney's family during this difficult time. He was so nice to us, when we were little, as he did much landscaping at my parents' home. We probably drove him crazy as we ran around while he worked but he was always wonderful to us.



Cyndy Carr - July 28, 2024 at 10:37 AM



Sorry to hear about Joe. He was a great guy and landscaper. He always had patience when my 5 year old was trying to help him with the trimming.

Sharon Ann - August 18, 2024 at 01:19 PM

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Virginia and family, we were sorry to hear of your loss. We are sending belated condolences since we have been out of state the past few weeks. I (Tom) have many pleasant memories of Joe from my childhood days to present . . . Joe was a pleasure to know over the years. Our sympathy to all of you. Tom & Irene Acquisto

Tom Acquisto - August 27, 2024 at 01:43 PM