



## JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA

August 24, 1950 - April 2, 2018

Joseph "Monk" Lamanna, Jr., 67, of Fairmount, passed away Monday at the Syracuse VA Medical Center. He was born in Syracuse to the late Joseph and Celestine (Proscio) Lamanna in 1950. Following his high school graduation he enlisted and served with the US Navy during the Vietnam War. He was employed as a Dry Side Operator by Allied Chemical for over 30 years before retiring. Joe was a family man that enjoyed fishing, camping, bowling, softball and was an SU sports fan. He was predeceased by his parents and a brother, John.

Joe is survived by his wife of 28 years, the former Connie Wall, children; Jollette Lamanna, Rae (David) Gassen, Joey (Kendra) Demperio, Nicole (Ryan) Struse, Denise and Stephanie Demperio, 14 grandchildren, 1 great grandson, 3 brothers; David (Judy), Michael (Anna) and Paul (Lisa) Lamanna and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Family and friends may call from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm Friday at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Avenue. Funeral services are private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

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

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

APR 6. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA*



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**BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC.** - April 06, 2018 at 10:05 AM

DI

*Love you always. Rest in peace my friend.*

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**Debra coonradt-sister inlaw** - April 07, 2018 at 10:01 AM



“ *JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA*

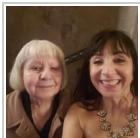
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January 21, 2023 at 02:11 PM

JK

“ *Joe was real "gentle giant!" All around great guy. I loved to watch him hit home runs!*

*John Kinsella Solvay, NY*

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**John Kinsella** - April 20, 2018 at 02:28 PM



“ *I met Joe in 1960, just before I married his cousin Jerry Donato. I remember his kind and jovial manner. I am honored to have known him.*

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**Carolyn Darrah** - April 13, 2018 at 02:11 PM

MK

“ Just found out of Joe passing . Sending prayers and hugs to you all. I graduated with Monk! We share the same birthday. He always was smiling and we hung out at Tom Tarolli's parties. Sorry for your loss. The tribute photos were beautiful. Whst a lovely family he had. May Joe rest in peace!

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**Michaele Langlois Kosecki** - April 11, 2018 at 04:00 PM

DG

“ Paul and Lisa

Tom and Deb send our deepthy sympathy to the families.

Tom Gannon



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**Deborah Gannon** - April 08, 2018 at 02:41 PM

FM

“ Just watched the video. A great big smile in every picture, just as we all saw everyday of his life. A great man that will be missed by many R I P brother, and God Bless ALL your family.

Frank & Andi Marino

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**Frank & Andi Marino** - April 07, 2018 at 08:35 AM

PH

“ I worked with Big Joe for a long time. Guys like Joe no matter what would see the good side of things and like his brother Paul said to me he will be missed dearly but never forgotten. Love and prayers to his family - Paul and Denise H.

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**Paul Heisey** - April 06, 2018 at 11:56 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA.*

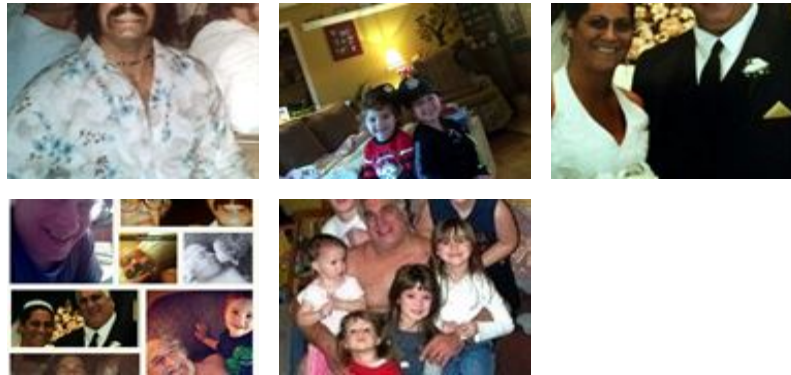


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April 06, 2018 at 09:12 AM



“ *33 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC.** - April 06, 2018 at 08:58 AM



“ *Bill & Mary Sue Walker lit a candle in memory of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA*



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**Bill & Mary Sue Walker** - April 06, 2018 at 07:42 AM

RA

“ Rae lit a candle in memory of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA



Rae - April 05, 2018 at 11:30 PM

VA

“ Heartfelt sympathy to Jolette and Family on the loss of your Dad, Joe. Although I've never met him, I can tell by his smile, he was a great person who loved his family and friends. He adored you Joelette and will live on in your memories of him. LaFamilia! Italian Families feel loss ... especially the loss of great Dad's! RIP Joe Lamanna!

Vicky Cantlin (Ryan's Aunt) - April 05, 2018 at 07:33 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA.



April 05, 2018 at 04:22 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA.



April 05, 2018 at 02:02 PM

BF

“ *Lamanna family;  
Very sorry to hear Joe passed away. My deepest condolences.*

Bob Fiumano - April 05, 2018 at 01:27 PM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA.*



April 05, 2018 at 12:20 PM

ML

“ *Mark Lauber lit a candle in memory of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA*



Mark Lauber - April 05, 2018 at 11:07 AM

MW

“ *Dave, Mickey, Paul & loving family , So sad to hear of Joe's passing , he was truly one of the nicest people I had ever met. A true Solvay guy. Enjoyed playing softball with him & the fun we had are great memories. RIP buddy !!! Love ya man, God Bless.  
Mick & Becky Wysochanski, Sarasota, Florida*

Mick Wysochanski - April 05, 2018 at 10:35 AM

BM

“ His heart was as big as the man!!! A gentle giant!! Always a kind word, smile or wave whenever I saw him!! Whether it was in school or later at Wegmans! He truly will be missed. My sympathies to the family!

Barb Mersfelder-Jacobs - April 05, 2018 at 08:34 AM

GP

“ Connie and family, Gary and I are saddened to hear of Joe's passing. We remember how much we enjoyed getting together with you two at our former friends home. May your special memories sustain the pain you feel. Life is so short....again, our condolences. Gary and Marti Peterson

Gary and Marti Peterson - April 05, 2018 at 08:34 AM

MY

“ Michael Harrison & Sandra Youngfert lit a candle in memory of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA



Michael Harrison & Sandra Youngfert - April 05, 2018 at 08:02 AM

KT

“ To the Lamanna Family, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. God Bless, Kathy Taylor



Kathy Taylor - April 05, 2018 at 07:52 AM

MS

“ *Marc Speziali lit a candle in memory of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA*



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**Marc Speziali** - April 05, 2018 at 02:34 AM

Laurie Parrillo

*Just seeing your picture in the obituary just makes me shake my head in complete disbelief and truly I'm sick to my stomach!! I know they always say that unfortunately death is a part of life but seriously I have such a ha*

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**Laurie Parrillo** - April 05, 2018 at 05:33 AM

Laurie Parrillo

*Huge place in my heart for you, filled with many great childhood memories and I had some of my most favorite times, times where we would laugh so hard, seriously some of my best memories were at your house When I would be there hanging out with Rae! You will be forever loved and forever missed!!*

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**Laurie Parrillo** - April 05, 2018 at 08:03 AM

Kristin Miller

“ *My sincerest condolences to your family during this difficult time. May you find comfort in your memories of him. Sending many hugs your way!*

*Kristin Miller & Family*

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**Kristin Miller** - April 05, 2018 at 12:11 AM

KT

“ Sorry for your loss. He was a respected force in the neighborhood. Never forget him doing his Jaaaaasooooon!!! On the steps yell and we were standing right there in the driveway.

Kevin timmins - April 04, 2018 at 09:59 PM

SO

“ Dear Connie and the Lamanna Family; I send my heartfelt condolences to everyone on the passing of Joe. Everyone in Solvay knew the Lamanna Family, we all went to Boyd school. Joe was a shining light always a smile and a good word. Bigger than life just like his heart and love for family and friends. I'm so happy we were FB friends and stayed in touch, Connie you are amazing, I know it wasn't easy for you and all the kids, I send prayers your way, God Speed Joe.

Sue Tacy Ostuni and Nikki Ostuni

sue tacy ostuni - April 04, 2018 at 07:37 PM

KB

“ Kathy Anthony Brouse lit a candle in memory of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA



Kathy Anthony Brouse - April 04, 2018 at 07:06 PM

BH

“ BARBARA HARRISON lit a candle in memory of JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA



BARBARA HARRISON - April 04, 2018 at 05:05 PM

KT

“ Karen Todeschini lit a candle in memory of  
JOSEPH M. "MONK" LAMANNA



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**karen todeschini** - April 04, 2018 at 04:00 PM

CW

“ Jolette and the whole Lamanna family. My love and prayers to you  
all as you experience a great loss. May your memories give you  
comfort, warmth and peace. May he rest in peace and may  
perpetual light shine upon him. God Bless...

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**Christine Werbeck** - April 04, 2018 at 11:17 AM

LC

*Jolette and Family, I am so very, very sorry for your loss. Please hold  
on to your memories and smile when you think of him!!!! Please let me  
know if there is ANYTHING I can do!! Love you guys!!!*

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**Laurie Clancy** - April 04, 2018 at 03:43 PM

BH

*Connie, Joey & Kendra, I am so sorry for your loss. Life can be so hard  
sometimes and loss can be unbearable. I pray that the pain you have  
now will get less and the good memories take over.*

*Barbara Harrison*

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**BARBARA HARRISON** - April 04, 2018 at 05:08 PM

CF

*Connie, Joey, Kendra & Lamanna Family, We are so very sorry for the  
loss of Joe. He was always smiling and so friendly to all of us! We have  
many happy memories from years past at Jane Drive. Sending love and  
prayers to all of you.*

*Love, Jeff, Caroline, Emma Kate & Daniel Flaherty*

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**Caroline Flaherty** - April 04, 2018 at 05:22 PM



*Connie, so so sorry to hear of joes passing, sorry we lost touch over the years, I also lost my husband at the end of 2016 sending love and prayers your way hope you see this I know it late but I know I kept checking after my husband passed, sty strong Hank gooses for your wonderful families wt love Nancy Simmons Welch*

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**nancy welch** - April 13, 2018 at 10:58 AM