



MATTHEW J. SALVATORE

September 21, 1936 - July 5, 2022

Matthew J. Salvatore, 85, passed away Tuesday July 5th at Crouse Hospital. He was born September 21, 1936 to the late Gigetto “George” and Alice (Testi) Salvatore in Syracuse. He was a 1954 graduate of Solvay High School. He was an avid SU fan and enjoyed watching football, basketball and golf on television. Recently he became a fan of the series “Yellowstone” on TV as well. Following high school, Matt worked at the Syracuse State School before enlisting in the US Navy, where he served at St. Alban’s. Upon his return from the Navy, he went to work at Allied Chemical for many years, retiring as a Foreman. Matt was also overjoyed to have worked at the Regional Market for 25 years with a special son-like pal, Paul. Matt was a guy’s – guy. He was an avid outdoorsman, past president of Camillus Sportsman’s Club and enjoyed his contacts with members and club activities, especially trap shooting. Matt was truly a devoted husband and father for 64 years. He is survived by his wife, the former Norma Antolini, son Dr. Matthew Salvatore, sisters, Giovanna Bernardon and Rosemary Wood, several nieces and nephews and an especially greatly pampered little dog – Mandy.

Family and friends may call from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM Monday July 11th at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Avenue. Funeral services will be held 8:45 AM Tuesday at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME and 9:30 AM at St. Marianne Cope Parish – St. Cecilia Church where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. The Rite of Committal and entombment will follow in St. Mary’s Cemetery – Our Lady of Hope Mausoleum, DeWitt.

Donations may be made in Matt's memory to the CNY-SPCA, Humane Assoc. of CNY, Helping Hounds Dog Rescue or to a charity of choice. Please share online tributes and memories at www.bagozzitwins.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Our Lady of Hope Mausoleum

4100 E. Genesee St.
DeWitt, NY 13214

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JUL 11. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

JUL 12. 8:45 AM (ET)

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2601 Milton Avenue
Solvay, NY 13209
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Mass of Christian Burial

JUL **12.** 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
MATTHEW J. SALVATORE*



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - July 08, 2022 at 12:58 PM



*Matt and I met back in 1978 or '79 when we were the first renters of his house on Lancaster. Matt purchased this house to rent to pay for his son's college education. He was that kind of a guy. Over the year that we rented the house we got to know. Matt, pretty well and Norma too, especially when we rented some excess rooms to some women from Syracuse people we knew. Anyway, that caused the big brouhaha and I remember the meeting we had across the kitchen table about it as soon as it came to light. Norma was not happy about it and of course Matt had his wife's back. But I really think he knew where we were coming from. We needed rent money and the girls could pay. It all worked out. Years later I stopped by to see Matt and Norma at their house with my wife and kids. It was a great time. I'm sorry I lost touch with Matt. I really am. He was a great guy. Respectfully and gratefully,
David Stratton*

Dave Stratton - August 10, 2022 at 03:45 PM



“ **MATTHEW J. SALVATORE**

January 21, 2023 at 02:11 PM

JM

“ *Matt was one of the best! Always one to acknowledge you, no matter where or when. My sympathies to family and friends.*

John Montreal - July 24, 2022 at 10:36 AM

AD

“ *I grew up with Matt and both his sisters. My parents and his were life long friends also. Matt was best man at my wedding and I was at his. My oildest daughter Denise is Matt and Normas godchild. I have lived In Rochester since the 60's and have not seen him much but I'll always remember him as my closest friend growing up and I will always remember him with great love.*

He will be missed.

Art DaVia

Art DaVia - July 16, 2022 at 07:28 PM

BF

“ *Salvatore family;
I am very sorry to here that Matt passed away. I knew Matt from working at Allied Chemical. My deepest condolences to you all.*

Bob Fiumano - July 13, 2022 at 12:36 PM

MC

“ *Marion Callahan purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of MATTHEW J. SALVATORE.*



Marion Callahan - July 09, 2022 at 12:36 PM

FB

“ I have had the distinct pleasure of calling Matt Salvatore a friend and mentor since 1986. He embodied so many fine attributes that one could hope to find in a person- honesty, compassion, faithfulness, devotion to family, just to name a few.

Matt offered me important advice about what it takes to be a successful person as well. Not just successful in a monetary sense, but what it takes to be a good husband and father to my wife and children. He will be greatly missed by me and my entire family.

Sincerely,

Dr. Frank Bruno

Frank Bruno - July 08, 2022 at 08:41 PM

CB

“ Matt and family, your dad was a very nice person. He always stopped to chat when I was out running or walking my dog. He was one of the good ones! Please accept my condolences. I will be thinking of you during this difficult time. Cathy Baratta

Cathy Baratta - July 08, 2022 at 05:17 PM



“ 71 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - July 08, 2022 at 11:44 AM

MB

“ *With deepest sympathy to the Salvatore Family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

The DePalma and Bottrill Families

Miles Bottrill - July 08, 2022 at 09:54 AM

DR

How many Sundays did we see Matt at Gino and Gina's, sitting at the table having coffee? Those are my earliest memories of him. A good Man with a great sense of humor. A great Friend to many, especially Frank.

Our tables here are emptying out. Gina's table is nearly full. The company is good, the conversation is loud, the coffee is hot, and Gino is making polenta. All is right in their world. So should all be right in ours knowing that they, our loved ones, are there ready to meet Matt when he arrives.

May he rest in peace. May you, Norma and Matt, be comforted in your grief.

Sincerely,

David Rudari

David Rudari - July 08, 2022 at 10:22 PM

MC

Remembering so many wonderful years of sharing dinners, vacations, pampered pets, fun and laughter with Matt. Bob and I were fortunate to have known and shared so much with one of the truly great men.

With love Marion Callahan

Marion Callahan - July 09, 2022 at 12:00 PM

KB

Norma and Matt Jr., I am so very sorry for your loss. Matt was a wonderful man and a great friend to my parents. They so enjoyed dinners and travels with your parents. May you find solace in your cherished memories of Matt.

In sympathy, Kathy (Callahan) Beckman.

Kathleen (Callahan) Beckman - July 10, 2022 at 10:03 AM

RP

So sorry to hear about this. I have know Matt for more years that i care to remember. All or payers are with him the Passardi family

Ron Passardi - July 11, 2022 at 03:18 PM