

## Mr. Chester Villano

January 8, 1954 - October 20, 2020

Chester Villano of Hayes Rd. in Marcy, passed away at his home on Tuesday, October 20, 2020. He was 66 years old.

Chester was born in Forest Hills, NY on January 8, 1954. Chester was predeceased by his parents Victor J. Villano Sr., born 12/11/18 – 10/20/96 on and his mother, Margaret (Amante) Villano who passed away on 10/29/79. Originally from Forest Hills, NY, Chester's parents resided in the Wrentham, MA area at the time of their passing. Chester's paternal grandparents were Ignazio and Francesa (Cassata) Villano. Chester was also predeceased by his brother, Victor Joseph Villano Jr. of Wrentham, MA on 1/14/06. He is survived by his sister in law Denise (Curty) Villano, his nephew Vincent Villano, and his nieces, Laurieann Richard and Christine Haskins.

Chester was welcomed in to his Upstate Cerebral Palsy family in April 1989. Those familiar with Chester over the years came to know a dignified, quiet man who had amazing powers of observation. He loved to watch people and greatly enjoyed sitting quietly near his friends but also walking around, watching others. Chester was an absolute connoisseur of coffee and always enjoyed every drop! He will be fondly remembered for his interest in others-- he so much loved watching the expressions/actions of others. Chester appreciated his independence and always presented himself in a dignified and respectable manner. Chester enjoyed sharing gentle kisses to the foreheads

and cheeks to those he was fond of. He will be missed by so many staff and friends at UCP including all at Jones IRA in Barneveld where, until recently, Chester had resided for several years. Those at UCP's Barneveld Day Habilitation program and his former care manager were also so fond of him and his gentle presence. Chester had just recently moved to the D'Amico ICF in Marcy, NY. He was of the Catholic Faith. UCP thanks Hospice Palliative Care for their care and support given to Chester and to staff at D'Amico ICF.

Chester will be laid to rest with his parents at St. John's Cemetery, Middle Village in Queens, NY.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. Please take a moment to connect with Chester's family through the "Memories" section of his obituary. Our prayers go out to all as a sign of our continued support.

# Tribute Wall

PC

“ *Chester was such a pleasure to care for. Special person to just have follow me around. Enjoyed my time with him at U.C.P. Sorry to see of his passing.* ”

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**Pauline Claflin** - December 28, 2020 at 04:12 PM

DJ

“ *One of my Mom’s favorite people I’m sure she greeted him and welcomed him. Sending love to the rest of the D’amico family!* ”

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**Danette Jones** - October 24, 2020 at 07:23 AM

HG

“ *I got to know this sweet man from Jones IRA. I frequently worked in the kitchen where Chester would come and wait for his coffee in the morning. He would give such sweet looks at everyone he encountered. He will be forever missed.* ”

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**heather goodwin** - October 23, 2020 at 03:59 AM

GA

“ *I had the privilege of getting to know Chester at Jones and Day Hab. What a sweet and gentle man, I will miss you. Rest In Peace.* ”



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**Gail** - October 22, 2020 at 09:36 PM

DH

“ *Doretta Hapeman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Chester Villano*



Doretta Hapeman - October 22, 2020 at 08:34 PM

BP

“ *I was privileged enough to know Chester through barneveld day hab. I used to enjoy walking him from the bus to his room. He was such a quiet sweet man. You will be missed Chester RIP*

brittany potter - October 22, 2020 at 08:18 PM

KH

“ *I was lucky enough to know Chester and feel the love he had in his eyes and heart. You have a special place in my heart forever. I'm going to miss you buddy*  
*Kelly Hartley*

kelly hartley - October 22, 2020 at 06:55 PM



“ *Chester, I was so honored to be able to care for you! You always warmed my heart when you would come up to me and look in my eyes and smile. I remember your love of coffee and how dapper you always looked. I miss you coming in the office and sitting down and just hanging out. I miss you but can't wait until I see you again and you can tell me all the thoughts that were behind your soulful eyes.*  
*RIP Lori R*

Lori Roberts - October 22, 2020 at 05:29 PM

DE

“ Chester my coffee buddy from Damico! I had the privilege of meeting Chester when he first lived at Damico in the early 2000s. His days always started with a smile, as he loved when the girls would start joking with him and his roommate. He would join us frequently in the living room for the Lawrence Welk show and Mitch Miller sing alongs. He loved going to Fly Creek Cider Mill in the fall and would sit on the deck to watch the geese, offering everyone his gentle smile. Rest in peace my sweet friend.

Denise E - October 22, 2020 at 05:02 PM

KA

“ I'm so lucky I was able to meet you Chet ❤️ we were able to go on many outings together and hangout! Love you buddy 💜 Rest in Peace.

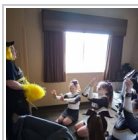
Kaylee Appel - October 22, 2020 at 04:17 PM

JT

“ Chester you were such a sweet and quiet man  
You will be missed dearly. Love , your friend  
Jenn T



Jennifer Talkington - October 22, 2020 at 04:08 PM



“ His hands were always so cold but you could always see his warm heart through his caring eyes ❤️ RIP Cheddar bug you'll be missed



Amanda Martin - October 22, 2020 at 03:57 PM



“ *I had the opportunity to be part of Chester's life from 2007-2012. I was the day time LPN in Chester's Damico home. I remember Chester always walking around, and being curious as to what others were doing. Chester had a gentle soul. RIP my friend*

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**Debbie Barbano** - October 22, 2020 at 11:46 AM



“ *As one of the nurses at his residence, I had the honor , along with a co-worker, of traveling to Mass. with Chester to visit his brother Victor and his wife. We stayed overnight at the co-worker's sister 's home. We went to dinner with Chester and his brother and some other family members , courtesy of his brother. I don't recall now how long it had been since Chester had seen his family in person, but I remember him smiling so much as he looked around the table , especially at his brother. He seemed so happy to be among his relatives. Back at Victor's house, we were treated to some stories about Chester when he was young and saw some photos of him as a child.. His brother talked about what a strong advocate Victor's mother was for him and she actually managed to get him to a concert; I believe it was the Beatles. He also told us that when Chester was younger and at home, one activity he enjoyed was vacuuming and helping his mom. We were all sad when we had to leave to come home. After his brother passed I thought back on that trip and was so happy to have been a part of that. Rest In Peace Chester. Now you are with your Mom and Victor again.*

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**Mary Margaret Garrison-Baker** - October 22, 2020 at 07:54 AM