



Mr. Frank F. Traglia

June 25, 1926 - November 28, 2017

UTICA - Mr. Frank F. Traglia, age 91, was well-prepared for his journey home to the Lord on Tuesday, November 28, 2017. His passing occurred at the Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare Center with his family by his side.

Born in Utica on June 25, 1926, Frank was the son of the late John and Mary (Mastronicola) Traglia. He attended Mary Street Elementary School and was a graduate of T.R. Proctor High School. A proud veteran of the United States Marine Corps, Frank honorably served his country during World War II from 1945-1946 stationed in Guam in the Pacific Theater of Operations. On October 8, 1949 he married the former Virginia Serway with whom he shared respect, admiration, core values, and 60 years! They sacrificed many things while raising their family, but the greatest thing they had, their love, lasted forever.

For 20 years, Frank was employed as an Inspector at Vernon Downs, but for much of his life he worked with his brother-in-law at Serway Brothers manufacturing countertops. He also worked on his own as a designer and builder of plastic laminate countertops for patrons in the Utica area. Frank was a good husband, a guiding father, and a proud and loving grandfather. A sports fan, he favored the NY Yankees and the NY Giants. He was a parishioner of St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church and a member of the Holy Name Society and the Knights of St. John Commandery #385.

Frank is survived by his children and their spouses, Glen and Carol Traglia, David and Julie Traglia, John Traglia, Dan and Kathy Traglia, James and

Angela Traglia, Frank and Laurie Traglia, Gina and Adam Goichman, and Jacqueline and Stephen Drwal; his grandchildren, Tom Traglia, David and Andrea Traglia, Nicole and Art Mosher, Sarah and Pete Mastrovito; Jon and Tricia Traglia, Dan Traglia, Alexa Traglia; Jim Traglia, Christy Traglia; Bernadette Traglia; Zachary Goichman, Justin Goichman; Noah Traglia; and Alexandria Drwal; and his great-grandchildren, Jacob, and Alena; Owen, and Aiden; Peter, and Emily; Alexander, Jayden, and Kiern; and Lucia. He also leaves his nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and in-laws, Helen and Ron Miner, Freda Orbinati, Raymond and Betty Serway, and Joan Serway. He was predeceased by his sister and brother-in-law, Josephine and Anthony "Cory" Cortese; in-laws, George and Jeanette Serway, Fred "Fritz" and Sophie Pelose, Alice and Constantine "Tino" Puleo, Albert "Chuck" Orbinati, John Serway, and Alec Serway; and his daughter-in-law, Ellen A. Traglia.

The family is grateful to Dr. Alicia Detraglia and NP/Natalia for their professional expertise; the staffs and residents of the Magnolia and Hawthorn Houses at the Charles T. Sitrin Health Care Center who were of great comfort; and the clergy who prayed and consoled the family, Rev. Joseph Moskal, and Rev. Sylvester Sarihaddula.

Visitation will be held Sunday from 2:00-4:00 at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. By family request, please omit floral offerings. The Knights of St. John Commandery will offer ritualistic services at 3:30 at the funeral home. Frank's funeral service and Celebration of Life will commence on Monday morning at 9:30 from the funeral home and at 10:30 at St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church where his Mass of Christian Burial will be offered by Rev. Mark Kaminski with Military Honors conferred.

Committal prayers will take place in Calvary Chapel followed by entombment in Calvary Mausoleum.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Mausoleum

2407 Oneida Street
Utica, Ny

Previous Events

Funeral Service

DEC 4. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church
422 Tilden Ave.
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 732-1177
<https://www.stanthonystagnes.com/>

Tribute Wall

AC

“ *To the Traglia Family:
I am so deeply sadden to hear of your loss. Frank was such a wonderful man. I will hold dear, always, the happy memories of being with Frank and Virginia in their home. My thoughts and prayers are will you all. Cherish each memory and may the memories ease your sadness. God Bless you!*
Ann Colucci.

Ann Colucci - December 15, 2017 at 05:01 PM

DB

“ *Gina and Family, my condolences to you and your family. I am sorry to hear about your Dad's passing. May he rest in peace.*

Debbie Barbero - December 04, 2017 at 07:41 PM

ST

“ *My love and prayers are with your family, now and forever.*

Shirley Testa - December 03, 2017 at 12:22 PM

ED

“ *With deepest sympathy.*

Family of cousin Joseph Petrillo

Eileen D'Agostino - December 02, 2017 at 08:01 PM

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“ *The de la Vega Family (Grab) purchased the Love's Embrace Roses – Red for the family of Mr. Frank F. Traglia.*



The de la Vega Family (Grab) - December 02, 2017 at 06:18 PM

DW

“ *To James, Angela, Jimmy and Christy,
We are so very sorry for your loss.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you all
The Mabbett's - Dan, Denise, Daniel and David*

Denise Wiliczka-Mabbett - December 02, 2017 at 12:30 PM

RS

“ *We have many years of fond and happy memories of Uncle Frank and Aunt Virginia. Uncle Frank was full of life and love and we always smile at the thought of him! We wish his loving family, our dear cousins and their children and grandchildren, much peace as Uncle Frank makes his final and most rewarding journey.
With all our love,
Rich and Nicki Serway and family*

Rich and Nicki Serway - December 02, 2017 at 11:23 AM

HD

“ *Hank and Family - So sorry for your loss. My Dad spoke highly of your father.*

Helen Montana Darjany

Helen Montana Darjany - December 02, 2017 at 08:57 AM

TT

“ Jim, Hank, Gina and the whole family--I'm so sorry to read this news. You're dad was an amazing man. You're all in my thoughts and prayers and I hope you're good memories will help you through this. Wish I was there to express my condolences.

Tom De Tore

Thomas De Tore - December 01, 2017 at 06:42 PM

TM

“ Tom Marchitelli lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank F. Traglia



Tom Marchitelli - December 01, 2017 at 10:16 AM

TM

“ My deepest condolences to Jimmy, Hank and the rest of the family!! I am so sorry for your loss!! Mr T. was a great man and will be dearly missed....

Tom Marchitelli and family.

Tom Marchitelli - December 01, 2017 at 10:15 AM

MI

“ Thinking of all the Traglia family durring this time. May you find peace and God's grace durring this time.



Michele - December 01, 2017 at 03:36 AM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Mr. Frank F. Traglia.*



November 30, 2017 at 04:56 PM



“ *Leah lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank F. Traglia*



Leah - November 30, 2017 at 08:45 AM



“ *Mark Serway lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank F. Traglia*



Mark Serway - November 29, 2017 at 10:06 PM



Your Dad was a very wise man, but at the same time, he had a great sense of humor and was a very special. He will be missed greatly and remembered often. We are truly sorry for your loss. Mark and Suzanne Serway

Mark Serway - November 29, 2017 at 10:13 PM



So sorry for your loss of your Dad, we hope you can take comfort in the fact that he's reunited with your Mom. Love, John and Gloria Joyce

Gloria Joyce - November 30, 2017 at 02:42 PM

JM

To the Traglia family...our condolences for the loss of your father from the Montanaro's

Joseph Montanaro - December 03, 2017 at 05:45 AM