



Mr. James "Jim" Doti Sr.

January 10, 1948 - May 10, 2017

UTICA - Mr. James "Jim" Doti, Sr., age 69, joined those who went before him when he passed away on Wednesday, May 10, 2017 at the Abraham House with his loving family by his side.

Born in Utica on January 10, 1948, James was the son of the late Joseph C. and Rose (Calabrese) Doti. He attended T.R. Proctor High School. A veteran of the United States Army, Jim honorably served his country state side during the Vietnam Era. On November 4, 1972 he married the former Anne Lovecchio with whom he shared 44 years in a union graced with great love. They honored each other in so many ways.

Jim worked for 25 years at Carparelli Brothers in their Block Plant. He subsequently held a position at Revere Copper & Brass, Inc. for 15 years as a forklift operator retiring in 2014. He was a perfectionist when he performed any job, at work or at home. Jim had a dynamic work ethic and a quiet demeanor. He was non-judgmental and never spoke disparagingly of others. He had friendships that lasted a lifetime and he was an attentive audience to those good guys. They laughed a lot as the years rolled by.

Jim's home was his castle. He had a respect for maintaining it and a plan for every season... and you better mow the lawn right! Jim was a responsible and sensible man. He was so proud of his two sons and the respectful young men they became. In teaching them the values, morals, and traditions of his upbringing, Jim led by example. He was a parishioner of St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church.

Jim was a car enthusiast with a serious hobby, and he loved every moment of it, including socializing with fellow car buffs. He restored a 1955 red and white Chevy Delray to original condition. On Tuesday evenings, Jim drove his Delray to Dave's Diner where area automobile aficionados arrived in droves to show off their wheels. Every July, Jim and Anne attended the Syracuse Nationals classic car show. For them it was like a scene from American Graffiti, a place where he and his wife made the acquaintance of some awesome friends from all along the East coast.

Jim is survived by his wife, Anne; his sons and daughter-in-law, Jim, Jr. and Katie Doti, and John Doti and fiancée Talia Marchese; and his precious "Little Man" who he loved so much, his grandson Lucas James Doti. He also leaves his sisters and brothers-in-law, Janet and Kim Kallen, Josie and Fran Diana, and Kenneth Sinclair; nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, especially John R. Doti who was "his brother", Pat Clemente, Nick and Gail Demma, and John and Joanne Demma; each of them had a place in his heart; and his friends and neighbors who were a great support. They were blessed with the kindness and generosity of heart that will never be forgotten... and you all know who you are. He was predeceased by his sister, Theresa Sinclair; his niece, Lisa Sinclair; and his in-laws, Constantino "Carl" and Marie (Celia) Lovecchio.

The family is grateful to Dr. Sudershan Dang, Dr. Atul Butala, the nurses and staff of the Regional Cancer Center, the personnel of Hospice & Palliative Care, Inc. and the Abraham House. In the sequence of his journey, all were as kind and generous as they could be, and for that, they will never be forgotten; and a heartfelt thank you to Rev. Mark Kaminski for his blessings and spiritual guidance.

Visitation will be held Monday from 4:00-7:00 at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. Jim's funeral service and Celebration of Life will commence on Tuesday 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. Interment will take place in Calvary

Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

2407 Oneida Street
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 735-2727

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Eannace Funeral Home, Inc.
932 South Street
corner of Hammond Ave.
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 724-6714
eannacefh@roadrunner.com

Tribute Wall

SB

“ *jim, so sorry for the loss of your dad may he rest in peace.*

sal barbero - May 18, 2017 at 04:30 AM

RV

“ *To Ann Jimmy & John
We are heartbroken to hear of your loss, I always liked and respected Jim, Anne oh how he loved you and his family in many ways like myself
Our prayers are with you*

Ricky & Marylou Vellone - May 15, 2017 at 11:37 PM

JT

“ *I am so very sorry for your loss and the loss of a very close friend...Jimmy, Johnny, Michael Yozzo, Doug Pacillio, Mike DeSantis,Dick Martell,Bobby Talerico, Dennis DellaGala,Louie Migliaccio and more and myself, Jimmy Tebsherany were a clan...we spent every day riding our bikes and hanging around Conklin School at night or playing touch football in Chicago Market Parking Lot or drinking coffee at DanDee Donuts...we were all so very close right up til we all went into the Service and then after..Jimmy had the best looking bike of all of us and how we talk about cars! He is going to be missed so very much...Jimmy Tebsherany*

Jimmy Tebsherany - May 15, 2017 at 10:25 AM

JM

“ *What a great man he was! Thinking of all of you during this difficult time.*

Jeanna Marraffa - May 15, 2017 at 07:35 AM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mr. James "Jim" Doti Sr..*



May 14, 2017 at 11:43 AM



“ *To Anne and family, my deepest sympathy at this very sad time. Hold close the memories you shared, they can never be replaced.*

Sharon Campola and family

Sharon Campola - May 14, 2017 at 09:49 AM



“ *I am sorry for your loss, Jim and I were part of the Leeds St. gang growing up and spent many a day running around the neighborhood. Although life presents us with different paths, we occasionally ran into each other. Jim always had time to ask how things were going. Most recently, over this past summer, I would see him at Mo Jo's Coffee on Albany St.. There we sat and talked about the old days.*

Michael Elefante

Michael Elefante - May 14, 2017 at 06:26 AM



“ *It was fun building the blue Monday puzzle with you!! Ha! We will all miss you so much!!*

germaine brennan - May 13, 2017 at 06:14 PM