



## Mr. John N. Maunz

October 11, 1948 - March 22, 2020

UTICA - Mr. John N. Maunz, age 71, passed away peacefully in his sleep on Sunday, March 22, 2020. At the time of his passing his loving family was in his heart.

Born in Buffalo on October 11, 1948, John was the son of the late Alfred "Bud" and Angeline "Angie" (Talerico) Maunz. A proud veteran of the United States Army, John honorably served his country during the Vietnam War. On June 2, 1990 he married his soul mate, the former Kathleen R. "Kathy" Delia, with whom he shared 29 years of marriage. As a couple, they were inseparable. John is survived by his wife, Kathy; his daughter and son-in-law, Katharine Maunz and Peter Hawkins; two adored grandchildren, Sophia Bon, and Dorje Bon; brothers and sisters-in-law, Alfred "Buddy" and Mary Maunz, and Mickey and Cindy Maunz; sister and brother-in-law, Cheryl and Ray Doolen. He will remain in the hearts of his in-laws, David A. and Wendy K. Delia, and Robert J., Sr. and Julie A. Delia. He will be remembered by his nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews who were all so special to their Uncle John; his goddaughter, Jacqueline and her husband John Carbone who were truly special in the lives of John and Kathy. Family and friends were everything to John. He had special memories of when his loved ones gathered, especially family picnics with his cousins. He was beloved by his aunts and uncles, those living and those who have preceded him. He was predeceased by his father-in-law and mother-in-law, Nicholas A. and Minnie (Peters) Delia; and sister-in-law, Gail Ann Delia.

Kathy extends special thanks to Bill Liberatore, a friend to John for over 30 years; and to Nurse Susan for her compassion and prayers.

Due to current health conditions and regulations, his wife has chosen to delay his Celebration of Life to a time when all can gather to honor his memory.

During this time of social distancing that we are all experiencing, please take a moment to connect with John's family through the "Memories" section of his obituary on this website. Our prayers go out to all as a sign of our continued support.

# Tribute Wall

EW

“ Just found out about John. We were saddened to hear about his death. He was quite the character when he was young. We send our deepest sympathy to his family and friends. May he rest in peace. Bob & Elizabeth Wendler.

Elizabeth Wendler - May 26, 2020 at 05:07 PM

LG

“ Kathy, so sorry to hear about John's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. God bless. cousin Linda Bronga Guarascio



Linda Bronga Guarascio - April 27, 2020 at 08:58 PM

AR

“ Mickey, Buddy & Family,  
Our sincere sympathy for your loss. May he rest in peace and may his memory live on through all of you.  
Sincerely,  
Bill & AnnMarie Ruth

Ann Marie & Bill Ruth - April 03, 2020 at 09:05 AM

EC

“ Kathy, So sorry to hear of John's passing. Never will forget the laughs we had when we did that class at MVCC together. May John Rest In Peace. Love Ellen Christiansen

Ellen Christiansen - April 02, 2020 at 06:25 AM

WG

“ *Buddy/Mickey  
So sorry for your loss our thoughts and prayers are with you and  
your families God bless. Wayne & Sylvia Gentile*

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**Wayne/Sylvia Gentile** - March 29, 2020 at 02:32 PM

KC

“ *My sincere condolences to the Mainz family. Rest in piece John.  
Kookie and Cathy*

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**Kookie Crouse** - March 29, 2020 at 01:40 PM

JS

“ *John was a lovely man, always a gentleman! It was my privilege to  
come to know him as a client, and then as a person. I remember his  
establishment called the Seven Dwarfs with a smile each time I  
drive by it's site. Condolences to his family. Joan Teuchert Shkane*

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**Joan Elizabeth Shkane** - March 29, 2020 at 01:35 PM

TM

“ *Kathy so sorry to hear about John's passing. Prayers to you and  
your family. Theresa Monopoli.*

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**Theresa Monopoli** - March 27, 2020 at 12:37 PM

MB

“ *Kathy, Family, Mickey, Cheryl & Buddy,  
We are so saddened to hear of Johnny's passing, holding all of you  
in our hearts as you find strength throughout each day.  
Love cousins Maryann (Talerico) Bushey & Ron Bushey*

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**Maryann & Ron Bushey** - March 27, 2020 at 10:22 AM

NJ

“ God used me as his vessel to be there for you Kathy and Mickey. I am honored and grateful for this blessing. You will always remain in my thoughts and prayers. "I know how you feel" and I am here for you. God Bless. Nurse Susan

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**Nurse Susan Susan Martellotto Januszews** - March 27, 2020 at 07:09 AM

RD

“ Kathy,  
We are so sorry to hear of John's passing. Love and prayers are with you. Love cousins Michael and Rita

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**Rita and Michael Delia** - March 26, 2020 at 11:47 PM

MM

“ So sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers are with you

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**MOE MOSHATY** - March 26, 2020 at 06:33 PM

VB

“ Kathy,  
I am so sorry for your loss. I always remember John and being so upbeat and happy and mostly loving you. xoxo  
Thinking of you... Vicki Battista

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**Victoria Battista** - March 26, 2020 at 02:19 PM

VJ

“ Kathy,

*I am so sorry to hear about John's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.*

*Val Jadhon*

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**Val Jadhon** - March 26, 2020 at 01:11 PM

SI

Kathy,

*I am so very sorry for your loss. Prayers and love to you and your family.*

*Sharon Indolfi*

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**Sharon Indolfi** - March 29, 2020 at 09:06 AM

ML

“ Kathy,

*I am sad to hear of John's passing...cannot recall a time that I didn't see the two of you together...inseparable! Hoping to see you when the time is permissible..*

*MaryAnn Leone*

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**MaryAnn Leone** - March 26, 2020 at 11:55 AM

KO

“ Kathy,

*It is with a heavy heart that I send you this message. I was so sad when I learned of Johns passing. I think of you often and always with john right by your side. That's where he always was. That's where he will always be. Sending hugs, love, and prayers. Take it one moment at a time and feel the support from all who care about you. Miss you ❤️🙏❤️🙏*

**kristin owen** - March 26, 2020 at 06:25 AM

AG

“ Kathy, I am so sorry to hear of John's passing. My memories of the two of you together always makes me smile because the two of you were always made each other smile. Keeping you in thoughts and prayers. Much love, Andrea Goldberger.



**Andrea Goldberger** - March 26, 2020 at 05:14 AM

JP

“ I always remember John smiling❤️ We're all so sorry for your loss, Kathy.  
*May John rest in peace, always smiling. Love, Jeannie Pawelek*

**Jeannie Pawelek** - March 25, 2020 at 10:39 PM

RH

“ Kathy,  
*So sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Love Regina*



**Regina Heiland** - March 25, 2020 at 06:28 PM

CS

“ Kathy, I am so very sorry for your loss. John was a wonderful man whom I've known for many years. My most wonderful memory is of the two of you attending my aerobic class and all the laughs we had together. He had that wonderful smile and great personality. May he rest in peace. Cherish the memories and God Bless you and your family and this sad time. Charleen Sangiacomo

Charleen Sangiacomo - March 25, 2020 at 04:35 PM

BR

“ Kathy (Zelda),

We are so very sorry for your loss. John was a good man. We share your grief at this very sad and difficult time. May he rest in peace. We love you.

Patrick & Brenda Castelli



Brenda - March 25, 2020 at 11:41 AM

PS

“ Kathy I am so sorry. Thinking of you and sending prayers. Love Paulette

Paulette Sbarra - March 25, 2020 at 10:45 AM

ML

“ Kathy, so very sorry to hear about John passing, always loved seeing the two of you... great memories over the years. Heartfelt sympathy to you and your family.... Love, Mary Ann (jitz)& Tom Ladd

Mary Ann Ladd - March 25, 2020 at 10:14 AM

SP

“ dear Kathy, it was always nice to run into you and John at different places. Always a bi hug and kiss. I will miss that. He was a good man May he rest in peace. Tubby LaPorte

Santo La Porte - March 25, 2020 at 09:36 AM

BF

“ Kathy Buddy and Mickey  
Our deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one. May God bless him and the angels bring him to our heavenly Father  
Bob & Jodi Flo

Bob Flo - March 24, 2020 at 09:07 PM

RS

“ I'm so very sorry to hear of Johns passing. You may not remember me but my family owned the Baskin-Robbins in Riverside Mall for many years when John was selling shoes across the hall. He was a wonderful guy. My parents loved him! He was always a gentleman. May he RIP.  
Roz Sangiacomo

Roz Sangiacomo - March 24, 2020 at 07:46 PM

DM

“ Don Marino lit a candle in memory of Mr. John N. Maunz



Don Marino - March 24, 2020 at 01:38 PM

DM

*My sincere condolences to all of John's family. Thinking of you at this difficult time.*

**Don Marino** - March 24, 2020 at 01:40 PM

CC

“ *Dear Kathy,  
Gene and I send our sympathies. We have such fond memories of John and happy times we shared together. Our tears join yours as we mourn his passing.  
In friendship and love,  
Chris and Gene Corrigan*

**Christine S. Corrigan** - March 24, 2020 at 12:48 PM

CG

“ *Cherie Graziano lit a candle in memory of Mr. John N. Maunz*



**Cherie Graziano** - March 24, 2020 at 11:39 AM

CG

*Kathy, I was so saddened to hear about Johns passing, he was a great guy, so much fun and one of the nicest people I have ever met. He just adored you, I will keep you in my prayers daily, take good care of yourself, love you and god bless.*

**Cherie Graziano** - March 24, 2020 at 11:41 AM

NP

“ *Kathy and family  
Mary and I send our sympathy and prayers, we remember your  
times in Naples, .and dinner at our condo, many laughs and  
discussions. May you and your family find peace in your heart, and  
may John rest in peace in the Lords hands.*

*Nick & Mary Parrotta*

*Naples,Florida*

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**Nick,Mary Parrotta** - March 24, 2020 at 11:36 AM

KE

“ *My dearest Kathy, someone as special as John will never be  
forgotten. Hold tight to memories for comfort, lean on your friends  
and family for strength, and always remember how much you are  
loved.*

*Karen Evans*

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**Karen Evans** - March 24, 2020 at 10:28 AM

AC

“ *Kathy & Family We Are So Sorry For Your Loss, Our Thoughts And  
Prayers Are With You And Family. Andy & Linda Convertino*

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**Andy Convertino** - March 24, 2020 at 09:52 AM

DC

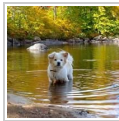
“ Kathy, my heart breaks for you with the passing of your dear husband, friend and partner in crime! I will always remember John's contagious smile and the kind words he always had for anyone he met. May you find peace in your memories and know that I send hugs and much love to you during this most difficult time. Love  
Debbie Carcone

Debbie Carcone - March 24, 2020 at 08:13 AM

DP

“ Kathy, so sorry to hear about John. May he Rest In Peace. God Bless take care love cousin DeeDee. ❤️

Dee & Joe Pekala - March 24, 2020 at 06:52 AM



Kathy, I am so sorry to hear of John's passing. So many fond memories of John. I am sheltered in Fla, hoping to be back for his celebration of life. Sending Love & Hugs to you Kathy

Sally Chwazik - March 24, 2020 at 10:20 AM

CA

Kathy I was so saddened to hear of John's passing. He was a much loved man and will be missed by many. My prayers are going out to you now, that you may heal. John is in Heaven now and free of pain. Your work is done. You took wonderful care of John. Kathy thinking of you always with love and support. Remember all the wonderful memories you shared together to heal your heart and give you strength. Love always Carol

Carol Abiusi - March 24, 2020 at 11:29 AM

BC

Kathy, We are so sorry to hear about John's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and all of John's loved ones.  
Benny and Ann Coriale

Ben Coriale - March 25, 2020 at 10:39 AM

SC

“ *Kathy my love I will miss our dear John so!! He will be in our hearts forever! We will celebrate as he wished when all is well in the world again!!*

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**Susan Fitzgerald Culkin** - March 23, 2020 at 07:59 PM

BE

“ *Kathy and Family Very sorry to hear about John passing. A great man and always a wonderful smile . May he Rest In Peace Nikki and Tony Fraccola*

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**Belmont-Fraccola** - March 23, 2020 at 05:13 PM

PM

“ *A beautiful man with a contagious smile  
He will be truly missed*

*Pam Marrone*

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**pam marrine** - March 23, 2020 at 02:59 PM