



## Mr. John F. Rosa

February 21, 1930 - October 11, 2014

Mr. John F. Rosa, age 84, passed away on Saturday, October 11, 2014 at the Sitrin Rehabilitation Center with his loving family by his side, following a lengthy illness.

Born in Utica on February 21, 1930, John was the son of the late Dominick and Lucia (Pietropaolo) Rosa (Rose). He was raised and educated in Utica. At one time, John held a position with the New York Central Railroad. He later gained employment in the field of Construction with the Ryan & McCaffrey Corporation, the position from which he retired. John's life revolved around his loved ones and he cherished the many special occasions he celebrated with them. John was blessed with a warm personality and a wonderful sense of humor. During his leisure time, he enjoyed playing the daily numbers and engaging his family in friendly games of pitch. He also enjoyed sports, often rooting for the underdog. He was a parishioner of St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church.

John is survived by his sisters, Isabelle R. Guido, and Angela M. Rosa, both of Utica; his brothers and sisters-in-law, Michael P. and Florence Rose of New Hartford, Dominick Jr. and Carmella Rose, Patrick Rose, and Ronald A. Rosa, all of Utica; his many special nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, several great-great-nieces and great-great-nephews, cousins, and special friend, Ann Dunham. He was predeceased by his sisters and brothers-in-law, Mary and Joseph J. DeGeorge, and Adeline and Frank Juliano; his sisters-in-law, Lynda M. Rosa, and Frances Rose; and his brother-in-law, Raymond A.

Guido.

The family would like to thank John's physician, Dr. Fred Talarico, and the entire staff of the Sitrin Home especially acknowledging the Rehab Unit for their care and compassion in caring for John.

The family will honor and commemorate John's life in a private gathering. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend his funeral service and Celebration of Life which will commence on Tuesday morning at 10:30 at St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church where his Mass of Christian Burial will be offered by Rev. Mark Kaminski. The family will receive visitors at the conclusion of Mass. Interment will take place in Mount Olivet Cemetery at the convenience of the family. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc. 932 South St. corner of Hammond Ave.

# Cemetery Details

**Mt. Olivet Cemetery**

Whitesboro, NY

# Tribute Wall

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“ *MICHELLE MANCUSO lit a candle in memory of Mr. John F. Rosa*



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**MICHELLE MANCUSO** - October 15, 2014 at 05:25 PM

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“ *Our most sincere condolences on your loss of John. Fred & Janet Griffiths- New York Mills*

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**Fred GRiffiths** - October 14, 2014 at 09:14 AM