



## Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio

August 21, 1932 - April 19, 2011

Mr. Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio, Jr., age 78, of Utica, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, April 19, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Syracuse with his loving family by his side.

Born in Utica on August 21, 1932, Nicholas was the son of the late Nicholas and Carmella (Cavallo) Frattasio. He was raised and educated locally. A proud US Army veteran, he served his country during the Korean Conflict. On March 9, 1960, he married the former Shirley A. Rocco, they shared 51 years of a beautiful family life and lasting memories - a truly unique relationship that family and close friends appreciated.

At one time, Nick held a position with the family concern, Utica Veal Company. A good, caring man, his family was first and foremost in his life. He was accommodating and supportive to the needs of his wife and steadfast in tending to the well being of his daughters and grandchildren. Nick was an avid fisherman and he found a thrill in auto racing, especially stock cars. He had an interest in reading mysteries and detective novels, and enjoyed his daily visits and comradery shared with "The Boys" at the station. He was a fan of the Yankees, Giants, and SU Orange. He was a member of the Disabled American Veterans (D.A.V.) Stars & Stripes #82 and a member of the Commanders Club. He was a parishioner of St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church. Nick is survived by his wife, Shirley; his daughters and son-in-law, Mary Anne Wells, Tricia Frattasio, both of New Hartford, Marie "Gina" Moulton of Utica, Jolene Frattasio of New Hartford, and Chanel and Jim Bernet of Rome, NY;

and his adored grandchildren, Sydney, Celena, Erica, and Joey. His extended family includes his nieces and nephews, George Frattasio, Geoffrey and Mary Jo Frattasio, Frank and Cheryl Dare, Joe and Karen Dare, Judy and Tony Testa, Dave and Mary Jo Dare, Michele and Levi Dousharm, Marie and Dave Koester, Adam Rocco, Jill and Steve Conley, and Joanne and Lou Paciello; great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins including Elaine Furgol, in-laws, Rocco J. Rocco of Texas, Joseph and Joanne Rocco, Frank and Deborah Rocco, all of Utica; and his friends, Junior Bianco, George Bottoni, and Mike Rossi. He was predeceased by his brother and sister-in-law, George A. and Judith Frattasio; a nephew, Gary Frattasio; and his in-laws, Marie and Frank A. Dare. The family is grateful to the staff of the Intensive Care Unit at St. Joseph's Hospital for the kindness and compassion rendered to Nick.

In order that the traditions and ceremonies of the Sacred Triduum of Holy Week may be respectfully and properly observed, the family will honor and commemorate Nick's life in a private gathering. By family request, please omit floral offerings. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Nick's funeral service and Celebration of Life which will commence with Military Honors on Monday morning at 10:30 at St. Anthony & St. Agnes Church where his Mass of Christian Burial will be offered by Rev. Anthony P. LaFache. The family will receive visitors at the conclusion of the Mass. Entombment will take place in Christ Our Savior Mausoleum at Calvary 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

## **Calvary Mausoleum**

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

# Tribute Wall



“ Eannace Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



Eannace Funeral Home, Inc. - April 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Nick was a good family man who was respected and admired as we were growing up. My heart goes out to the Frattasio family for this great loss. I love you all and the fond memories of years ago.



Joe Arcuri - December 28, 2012 at 12:13 AM

MA

“ Mary Anne lit a candle in memory of Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



Mary Anne - April 19, 2012 at 08:30 AM

DD

“ Dianne DelMedico lit a candle in memory of  
Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



Dianne DelMedico - May 06, 2011 at 10:13 AM

FO

“ Fran Ollerenshaw lit a candle in memory of  
Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



Fran Ollerenshaw - April 25, 2011 at 11:07 AM

JF

“ Jolene Frattasio lit a candle in memory of  
Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



Jolene Frattasio - April 24, 2011 at 10:58 AM

LS

“ Leslie Spina sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



Leslie Spina - April 23, 2011 at 07:55 AM

LS

“ Shirley, Maryann, Jolene, Tricia, Marie, Chanel and all of the kids, We are so sorry for the loss of Nick. Stay strong. We are thinking of you! Love, Leslie and Gaetano



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**Leslie Spina** - April 23, 2011 at 07:55 AM

JC

“ Jill Conley lit a candle in memory of Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



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**Jill Conley** - April 22, 2011 at 07:54 PM

JC

“ Rest in peace Uncle Nick. Forever in our hearts! Our deepest sympathy to Aunt Shirley, Maryann, Tricia, Gina, Jolene, Chanel and of course all the grandkids... Love all you guys. Steve, Jill , Alexa and Robert.

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**Jill Conley** - April 22, 2011 at 07:54 PM

MR

“ A precious one from us has gone. A voice we loved is stilled. A place is vacant in our heart. Which never can be filled. May you rest in peace Uncle Nicky, God Bless.

Love,  
Maria Rocco

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**Maria Rocco** - April 22, 2011 at 04:01 PM

MR

“ *Maria Rocco lit a candle in memory of Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio*



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**Maria Rocco** - April 22, 2011 at 03:38 PM

RS

“ *Robert Santiago lit a candle in memory of Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio*



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**Robert Santiago** - April 22, 2011 at 10:36 AM

JA

“ *Jane Arnison lit a candle in memory of Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio*



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**Jane Arnison** - April 21, 2011 at 04:29 PM

DB

“ *We will always remember nick he will be in our hearts forever Love, Dana,Grande&Eddie*



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**Dana Burgos** - April 21, 2011 at 11:44 AM

EL

“ Erica Land lit a candle in memory of Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



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Erica Land - April 21, 2011 at 06:50 AM

KF

“ My condolences to Shirley, Marie, Mary Ann, Trisha, Chanel, Jolene and all of Nick's beloved grandchildren. May Nicky rest in peace. You are all very special to me as was Nick. I know you are my cousins but Nicky was like an uncle to me, my favorite Uncle actually. He was not a man of many words but he was always happy being with his family and joking around with us. I love you all very much and am praying for you's all. Miss you's, wish I could be with you at this difficult time. God bless.

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Kimberly Furgol - April 20, 2011 at 10:36 PM

KF

“ Kimberly Furgol lit a candle in memory of Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



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Kimberly Furgol - April 20, 2011 at 10:15 PM

M(

“ So sorry for the lost of your Husband, Father and Grandfather. Uncle Nickie was very special to me and I'm glad that he was a part of my life. I will treasure the memories that I have of him and will miss him dearly.

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Mary Jo Dare (Chicky) - April 20, 2011 at 09:39 PM

DR

“ Deanna Rose lit a candle in memory of  
Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



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**Deanna Rose** - April 20, 2011 at 02:52 PM

SF

“ Stephanie Furgol lit a candle in memory of  
Nicholas M. "Nick" Frattasio



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**Stephanie Furgol** - April 20, 2011 at 11:51 AM



“ I thought more of Nick than words can describe. I will miss him dearly. I am so glad I got to see him to say goodbye. He was so happy to see me. This is yet another reminder of how short life is and that we should cherish and love one another. I will always remember the good times I had with Nick. He was much more than a Brother-In-Law to me and the emptiness I now have inside me must be filled with his memories. -- Frank Rocco

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**Frank Rocco** - April 20, 2011 at 10:35 AM