



Annette DeFiore

November 19, 2022

Annette C. DeFiore, nee Dowling, loving wife of Matthew DeFiore of 32 years, passed away peacefully on November 19, 2022 in Orlando, FL.

The world became brighter on March 14, 1959 the day Annette was born to Barbara (Verdicchio) Dowling and the late Robert Dowling. Annette spent her childhood on Avenue T in Brooklyn with her parents and grandparents. As an adult, she enjoyed a successful career as a retail manager in the fashion industry. She delighted in dressing her customers to look their best. She enjoyed reading James Patterson novels and going out to dinner with friends and family. Her passing leaves a large gap in the family and her joyous laughter will be dearly missed.

Annette was preceded in death by her father Robert Dowling and her grandparents Concetta and Vincent Verdicchio and Marguerite and Albert H. Dowling, Sr.

Annette is survived by her devoted husband Mathew Defiore, her son Thomas Mastrobuoni and his wife Erin and, her mother Barbara Dowling, her sister MaryElla Conte and her husband Joseph and her grandkids Juliana, Alexis, Patrick and Elisabeth Mastrobuoni . She also leaves many beloved nieces and nephews and a grandniece.

A Funeral service will be at 8:00 PM on Monday, January 16th, 2023 at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc. located at 28 Eltingville Blvd Staten Island, New York 10312.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM and 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Monday, January 16, 2023, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Annette's memory may be made to the St Jude's Childrens Research Hospital.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.scaliahome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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JAN 16. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JAN 16. 8:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Annette DeFiore*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - January 14, 2023 at 03:35 PM

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Beautiful Annette, you will be missed by many. Rest in Heavenly Peace. Love, Carol

Carol Rampino - January 14, 2023 at 05:11 PM

PD

“ *Rest in peace Annette on this one year date. You've been always in thoughts and you will always be.*

Pete DeBartoli - November 19, 2023 at 08:45 PM

PE

Happy New Year sunshine

peter - December 31, 2025 at 10:28 AM

SW

“ *RIP to my first love. ❤️
Scott*

Scott Wagner - October 23, 2023 at 02:27 AM



“ Annette DeFiore

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ Hearing of Annette passing brings sadness with such a loss. Memories last forever and with this I can only say my deepest sympathy to Barbara, MaryElla, Matthew and the entire Family including Deb. Rest in peace Netty

Peter DeBartoli and Family - August 17, 2023 at 08:32 AM

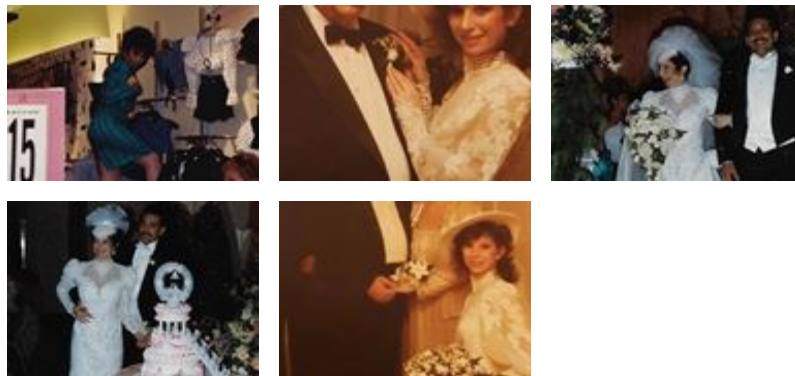


“ I had the joy of knowing and working with Annette on Kings Highway Brooklyn my deepest condolences to the family thinking of you Annette💙

Alan Todd - April 23, 2023 at 11:06 AM



“ 111 files added to the album LifeTributes



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - January 14, 2023 at 03:35 PM

DS

“ My heart is broken and filled with sadness when I heard that my long time friend Netty has passed away. To Mrs D, EllaMae (I'm the only person allowed to call her that) and her husband Matthew and her son and to all the rest who have lost a good person in Annette I have no words other than May she be in Peace.

Debbie Skolnik - January 05, 2023 at 05:58 PM

ME

You were her best friend..she loved you. And yes..only you can call me that.

Mary Ella - January 06, 2023 at 06:07 PM

PD

I'm very sorry for the loss of Annette Mary Ella. May she rest peacefully. I hope for the best your Mother and her loss. Take care of her and yourself ❤️

Pete DeBartoli - November 21, 2023 at 11:31 AM

TH

“ We wished we saw Annette more often; she was so funny. When the family did get together, her stories about her jobs were so funny. Working in Men's retail was her calling; they loved her. One of her steady clients came in to pickup his suits paying for them with a huge roll of dollar bills. Annette's fast quip, "did the stripper club close early last night"? That's Annette.

Therese - January 03, 2023 at 09:26 PM