



Anthony L. Tafuri

July 12, 1947 - June 24, 2019

Anthony L. Tafuri, 71, passed away on Monday, June 24, 2019, at New York Weill Cornell Medical Center in Manhattan.

He was born and raised in the Coney Island section of Brooklyn. In the 1970's he moved to Staten Island, settling in Annadale. Anthony, referred to as Tony by his family and friends, graduated from Grady High School in Brooklyn, and then received his Bachelor Degree in Engineering from Fairleigh Dickinson University.

He was a civil engineer with AT&T and Lucent Technologies for over 20 years, and then furthered his career working for a private engineering company for 15 years.

Tony had a knack for building and designing trains in his spare time and he enjoyed collecting and running them. He loved using technology and was a wiz at computers and any type of electronics. Tony's passion was lighthouses, which he was an avid collector of.

Above all, he treasured time spent with family and loved doting on his grandchildren, who were his pride and joy.

He was the beloved husband of 31 years to Jodi Tafuri and former spouse to

Doris Berger. Loving father to Tara Corrado and her husband, Anthony. Cherished grandfather to Samantha and Ryan Corrado. Dear brother-in-law to Evan Helfman, Toby Simone and the late Ellen Simone. He is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews and his devoted furry friend, Bailey.

The family will receive friends from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. on Friday, June 28, 2019 and Saturday, June 29, 2019 at the John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd. (at Eltingville Station), Staten Island, New York.

A Funeral Service will be at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 29, 2019 at the Funeral Home. Cremation services will be private.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 28. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Anthony L. Tafuri*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - June 27, 2019 at 04:17 PM

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You are truly missed Tony.

lori karanikas - July 13, 2019 at 12:21 AM

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My sincerest condolences Jodi and Tara and the entire Tafuri family. I'm happy I was able to spend some time with him and Jodi when they came to visit me in Florida. I will cherish that memory. Tony was always there to help. He was talented and he enjoyed life. He will be missed dearly.

Mandy Mike

mandy rice - July 20, 2019 at 04:05 PM



“ *Anthony L. Tafuri*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *America the Beautiful* was purchased for the family of Anthony L. Tafuri.



June 29, 2019 at 08:54 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Anthony L. Tafuri.



June 28, 2019 at 08:44 AM



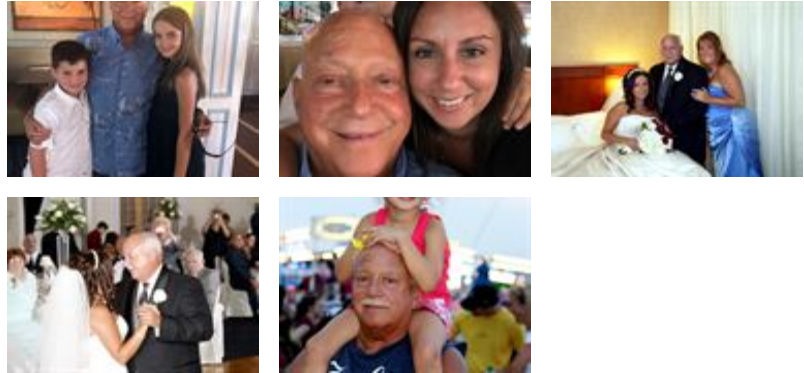
“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Anthony L. Tafuri.



June 27, 2019 at 03:58 PM



“ 85 files added to the album Life Tributes



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - June 27, 2019 at 03:13 PM



“ Artur Slabuszewski purchased the Sacred Garden Spray for the family of Anthony L. Tafuri.



Artur Slabuszewski - June 27, 2019 at 03:10 PM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Anthony L. Tafuri.



June 27, 2019 at 03:02 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Anthony L. Tafuri.



June 26, 2019 at 09:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Anthony L. Tafuri.



June 26, 2019 at 03:37 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of Anthony L. Tafuri.



June 26, 2019 at 02:01 PM