



Beatrice L. Farina

March 28, 1937 - October 14, 2023

Beatrice "Bea" Loretta Farina (Dooley), 86, left us on October 14, 2023.

Born and raised in Brooklyn by her beloved parents the late Beatrix and Edward Dooley. Bea graduated from Fort Hamilton HS in 1955.

Beatrice and her late husband, Mario Farina, married in 1956. They lived in Brooklyn with their 4 daughters. In 1966, they moved and settled in the Annadale section of Staten Island welcoming two more daughters, totaling 6, known as the "Farina Girls".

Beatrice, a stay at home mom, was a devoted and loving mother to her 6 daughters, always instilling the importance of faith. Every Sunday, Bea ensured that her 6 girls were present at mass.

After dedicating her life to her girls, she then pursued a career at the New York Stock Exchange. Bea was passionate about music, dancing, especially belly dancing.

Beatrice was predeceased by her husband Mario Farina of 36 years, her beloved partner Ali Bolukbasi of 25 years, and her brother, Edward Dooley.

She was heartbroken by the loss of her daughter, Laurette D'Addesa who

passed away at the age of 39 in 2006.

Bea is survived by her daughters, Laura Farina, June-Marie Zaccariello (Pete), Linda Howard (late Kenny), Jill Simeone (Vinny), and Joy Farina Foskett (Chris). She was a dear sister to Veronica Salzano and sister-in-law to Josephine "Pippi" DiCostanzo, and a cherished grandmother to 15 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:00 AM on Wednesday at Our Lady Star of the Sea located at 5411 Amboy Road Staten Island, New York 10312. Entombment will be in Resurrection Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 2- 5 and 7-9 PM on Tuesday, October 17, 2023, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

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

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrott Ave
Staten Island, NY 10309

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 17. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc.
28 Eltingville Blvd
Staten Island, NY 10312

Visitation

OCT 17. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

OCT 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady Star of the Sea
5411 Amboy Road
Staten Island, NY 10312

Tribute Wall



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



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - October 16, 2023 at 04:29 PM

TC

“ *Tom C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Beatrice L. Farina.*

Tom C. - October 18, 2023 at 11:17 AM

TC

“ *My deepest condolences on the loss of your beautiful mother. Her smile so contagious, her laughter heart warming. May the many memories of happy times shared together bring you comfort at this time. May she rest in Heavenly Peace.*

Tom Creegan - October 18, 2023 at 11:05 AM

SH

“ *Lovely lady inside and out, her girls are a reflection of her and I'm sure made her so proud.*

Rest peacefully Bea.

Suzanne Howard and family.

Suzanne Howard - October 18, 2023 at 01:51 AM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



October 17, 2023 at 01:39 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



October 16, 2023 at 07:26 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Beatrice L. Farina.

October 16, 2023 at 07:26 PM



“ Fiserv Sales Family & Friends (Profeta) purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



Fiserv Sales Family & Friends (Profeta) - October 16, 2023 at 06:26 PM

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“ *Fiserv Sales Family & Friends (Profeta) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Beatrice L. Farina.*

Fiserv Sales Family & Friends (Profeta) - October 16, 2023 at 06:26 PM



“ *129 files added to the album LifeTributes*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - October 16, 2023 at 04:30 PM

LB

“ *Love always Diane and Gus Buitrago purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.*



Love always Diane and Gus Buitrago - October 16, 2023 at 11:50 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



October 16, 2023 at 10:41 AM



“ *Sincerely, The Bisignano Family* purchased the *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



Sincerely, The Bisignano Family - October 16, 2023 at 09:03 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



October 15, 2023 at 06:54 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Beatrice L. Farina.

October 15, 2023 at 06:54 PM

PR

“ Phyllis, Ed, Rick & Rhonda purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



Phyllis, Ed, Rick & Rhonda - October 15, 2023 at 06:15 PM

PR

“ Phyllis, Ed, Rick & Rhonda planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Beatrice L. Farina.

Phyllis, Ed, Rick & Rhonda - October 15, 2023 at 06:15 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



October 15, 2023 at 06:04 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Beatrice L. Farina.

October 15, 2023 at 06:04 PM

MF

“ MaryAnna, Charlie, Holly, Dan & families purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



MaryAnna, Charlie, Holly, Dan & families - October 15, 2023 at 02:32 PM

MF

“ MaryAnna, Charlie, Holly, Dan & families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Beatrice L. Farina.

MaryAnna, Charlie, Holly, Dan & families - October 15, 2023 at 02:32 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



October 14, 2023 at 05:35 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Beatrice L. Farina.



October 14, 2023 at 04:51 PM