



Charles F. Callahan

February 5, 1945 - September 17, 2018

Charles F. Callahan, 73 of Seminole, Florida, formerly of Brooklyn, passed away on Monday, September 17, 2018 at Suncoast Hospice in Seminole, FL surrounded by family and friends.

He is survived by his loving daughter, Kelly Cirnigliaro and his son, Jason; fond son-in-law, Scott Cirnigliaro; dear brothers, Joseph and Rob; cherished grandson, Michael; and former spouse, Jackie. Charles is also survived by many loving family members and friends.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 23, 2018, at The John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd. (at Eltingville Station), Staten Island, New York

A Memorial Mass will be offered at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 24, 2018 at Holy Child Church located at 4747 Amboy Rd Staten Island, New York 10312.

If so desired, contributions to Make-A-Wish Foundation at www.wish.org would be greatly appreciated.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **23.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Staten Island, NY 10312

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Service

SEP **24.** 10:00 AM (ET)

Holy Child Church
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Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Charles F. Callahan* ”



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - September 22, 2018 at 05:13 PM



“ *Charles F. Callahan* ”

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM

HM

“ I was searching the Web today for some old NY Telephone cronies and Charlie was one that I focused on. He was a great friend back in the day when we worked at 1166 Ave of Americas. I was new to the Testing Team but he welcomed me with open arms. On my first day we went across the street and we had a few beers for lunch. Every Paddy's day we went across the street had a few beers and walked up to watch the parade. He loved his Irish heritage and was extremely proud of it. . Although Charlie was short in stature, he was a Giant when it came to integrity, friendship, honesty and loyalty. He was a great man and a pleasure to be around. He was so much fun, you were always laughing when Charlie was around. He made sure everyone was having a good time. He was taking from us too soon. I'm sure all the Angels are laughing now. You took one of the best. RIP in Charlie.

Hugh Mohan

Hugh A Mohan - February 19, 2023 at 04:53 PM

JS

“ John Scalia lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Callahan



John Scalia - September 30, 2018 at 11:05 AM

MJ

“ Dear Charlie, I am going to miss you so much. I met you when I was 12 years old when you were dating ,my big sister. Then you two got married and you became my brother in law.

We had many funny, even comical times, that only you and I could laugh at. Like the time you let me drive your car in the Sears parking lot. Or when we got stuck in the rain with the Spitfire, when we were supposed to pick up Jacqueline. Or when I had had it with Doo-Wops and brought over my Rock albums and taught you a little bit about them. Or when I took you to your first Rock concert of Foghat. We had lots of fun.

More recently when I moved to Florida I couldn't wait for you to see my family and especially my Dominick, your Godchild. Florida was new to me so I always had to call you to find out if we were having a Hurricane. You always found a way to make me laugh even when I sad especially when I lost my mother.

I'm really gonna miss you Charlie and by the way I'm wearing the Foghat guitar pick you gave me the last time you visited. Bye, bye my big brother, hope I get to see you again up in heaven.

Signed

Michele Juliano-Paraspolo

Michele Juliano-Paraspolo - September 23, 2018 at 12:44 PM

JB

“ I am so sorry for the loss of Charlie .Although I only knew him for a relatively short time in the scheme of things I had always enjoyed his company immensely

jim bacon - September 23, 2018 at 10:48 AM

JM

“ Charlie, there are so many fond memories of you.

We both grew up in Brooklyn, NY, geographically close to each other. But we didn't meet until 2003 in Florida when I visited my Ole' Bklyn friends. And that friendship lasted to the present. During that time I realized how much you were loved by your family, close friends, & everyone who knew you.

Your recognizable traits were also memorable. Your ability to share all of the information in your head with all of us, all the time, was amazing. And if we had questions, you had instantaneous answers, or at the very least, later or tomorrow. Who needed the Internet, just ask Hoozie.

And your info on all that was Doo Wop, was also astounding. You should have been a DJ.

Anytime I hear "Oldies" I smile & remember you.

And Charlie, our group of friends in Fla, still had traces of athleticism from the old days. Stickball, 2 hand touch, fishing, and of course golf.

You had the talent to play an entire round of 18 holes with just a driver & a putter. But who cares what the score was. We had a "few cold ones" to start, & you had all of the snacks & spreads. And lots of laughs. Always a fun experience on the Links.

Hoozie, you were really a unique & wonderful person down here on earth. I'm sure they are loving you up there in heaven. Rest in Eternal Peace, our friend. Big Joe & Debbie.

Joe Maganza - September 23, 2018 at 10:18 AM

PC

“ Charlie.... I will cherish the times we spent together, especially in our later years. Lots of special memories and lots of laughs & good times. I'm thankful our children got to spend time with you and know you in their adult years. I know they will always remember 'Uncle Charlie'.

I will always remember your beautiful, and often sentimental, way with words. I still have emails you sent me in recent years telling me how much you liked having me as your 'sister' (but expressed in a way that brought me to tears). Loved your poems that you shared with us as well.

Your time with us has been cut too short and I am sad that you won't be here to continue making memories with us. I will treasure our time together and keep you close to my heart always.

*Much love,
Your Sister-in-law, Pam*

Pam Callahan - September 22, 2018 at 09:53 PM

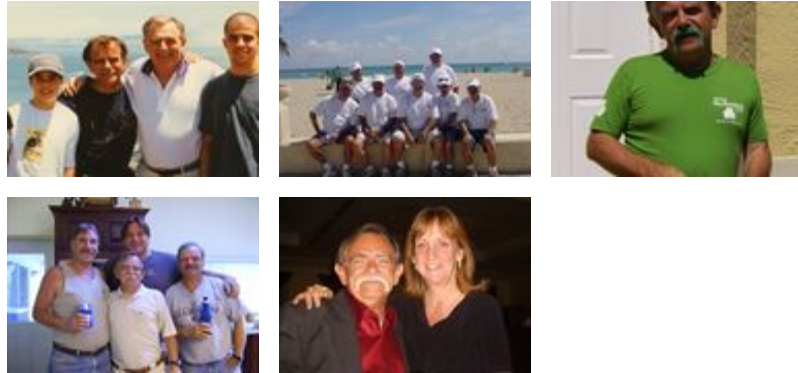
JA

“ Hoozie I miss you already, every Doo Wop song I hear brings back great memories..gonna miss you buddy.. Joe Anastasio

Joe Anastasio - September 22, 2018 at 05:50 PM



“ 77 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - September 22, 2018 at 04:09 PM



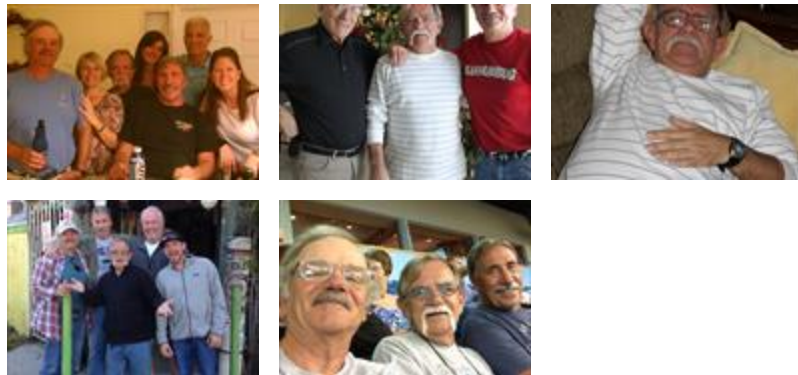
“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Charles F. Callahan.



September 22, 2018 at 10:56 AM



“ 7 files added to the album *Charlie and Friends*



Sophie V Anastasio - September 21, 2018 at 04:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Charles F. Callahan.*



September 20, 2018 at 01:44 PM



“ *We were friends for about 50 years. As everyone knows charlie was big into DO-WOPS. Many a time i was over his house (when in brooklyn) were we were up for all hours listening to DO-WOPS. We also made many trips in and out of state to search for DO-WOPS. I will miss him and those times we had together greatly. RIP CHARLIE you will always be in my prayers*

JOHN CHRISTIANSEN - September 19, 2018 at 04:13 PM