



## Dolores Edkins

August 18, 1982 - August 9, 2025

Dolores Rose Edkins

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Dolores was born at St. Vincent's Hospital and raised in Annadale. She attended Our Lady Star of the Sea Grammar School, where she was a good student. She was also a Girl Scout and played soccer, earning a soccer scholarship for high school.

At St. Joseph by the Sea High School, Dolores excelled academically in the honors program and athletically as a member of the track team. As a freshman, she broke the Cross Country record at Clove Lakes Park, as well as other records in Cross Country and the 4x800 relay. Her running talent earned her a scholarship to Cabrini College, where she attained her bachelor's degree.

Dolores had a variety of interests. She once raised a lop eared rabbit that won a ribbon at the Richmond County Fair, and she worked at Wendy's. During college summers, she served as a New York City Parks Enforcement Police Officer at the Staten Island beaches. She began her career with the Department of Buildings as a college aide in Staten Island, continuing there for 10 years.

Dolores was known for her sharp wit and intelligent remarks-insights that could be both profound and funny. She dreamed of getting married and having a family, but that was not in God's plan for her. She had been engaged at one time.

Dolores is survived by her loving parents, MaryAnn (Armstrong) and Charles Edkins Sr.; her uncles, James Armstrong, James Edkins and Edward W. Armstrong, Esq.; and many cousins.

She was predeceased by her beloved brother and sister, Mariana and Charles Jr. Mariana was tragically killed by a drunk driver on January 10, 2006, and Charles Jr. was lost to fentanyl on November 5, 2021. Dolores never recovered from the heartbreak of losing them, and we believe she died of a broken heart.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:00 AM on Wednesday at Holy Child Church located at 4747 Amboy Rd Staten Island, New York 10312. Interment will be in Resurrection Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM and 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Tuesday, August 12, 2025, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York. The rosary will be recited by the family at 3 pm & at 7:30pm

Online condolences may be made to the family at [www.scaliahome.com](http://www.scaliahome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrott Ave  
Staten Island, NY 10309

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 12. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

AUG 12. 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

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

## Visitation

AUG 12. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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28 Eltingville Blvd  
Staten Island, NY 10312

## Service

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AUG **12**. 7:30 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

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AUG **13**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Child Church  
4747 Amboy Road  
Staten Island, NY 10312

# Tribute Wall

PA

“ *My deepest condolences. I had the pleasure of meeting and working with Dolores at DOB, 10 Richmond Terrace. She was always so kind and had a wonderful sense of humor. May her beautiful spirit rest in peace.*

Perpetual Annan - October 10, 2025 at 01:16 PM

KD

“ *My deepest sympathies to Dolores's parents. Although we haven't seen each other in many year, I only have the fondest memories of our time together. All the track meets and trips. Fun nights we spent together. She was truly one of a kind. I hope she is resting easy now.*  
*With love,*  
*Kristin DeAngelis Davis*

Kristin DeAngelis Davis - August 14, 2025 at 10:38 AM

CC

“ *Sending my heartfelt condolences. I have many fond childhood memories of growing up on the street together, and am keeping your family in my thoughts during this very sad time.*

Corinne Casey - August 13, 2025 at 10:01 PM

MC

“ *McInnis purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Dolores Edkins.*



McInnis - August 13, 2025 at 08:25 AM

MC

“ *McInnis planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dolores Edkins.*

McInnis - August 13, 2025 at 08:25 AM

JR

“ *Joanne Rende lit a candle in memory of Dolores Edkins*



joanne rende - August 12, 2025 at 04:54 PM

JR

*May you find Peace 🕊️ in your beautiful memories. Your Compassionate Friend, Jo-Anne xxoo*

joanne rende - August 12, 2025 at 04:55 PM

BV

*Dear Maryann and Charles. Please accept my deepest condolences, may she RIP.  
Our faith teaches us she is in a better place.  
My beautiful friend,  
Sincerely,  
Bridget Vitarelli.*

Bridget Vitarelli - August 12, 2025 at 07:58 PM

MM

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May God comfort you and your family. May Dolores rest in heavenly peace.  
Mary Vomero Murphy*

Mary Murphy - August 12, 2025 at 04:24 PM

VE

“ Victoria E. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dolores Edkins.

Victoria E. - August 12, 2025 at 12:45 PM

ST

“ South Richmond ACT Team purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Dolores Edkins.



South Richmond ACT Team - August 12, 2025 at 11:38 AM

ST

“ South Richmond ACT Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dolores Edkins.

South Richmond ACT Team - August 12, 2025 at 11:38 AM

AF

“ All our love from the White Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Dolores Edkins.



All our love from the White Family - August 12, 2025 at 07:53 AM

TS

“ Tom, Maryann and John Santomarco purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Dolores Edkins.



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**Tom, Maryann and John Santomarco** - August 11, 2025 at 05:23 PM

TF

“ The Merlino Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Dolores Edkins.



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**The Merlino Family** - August 11, 2025 at 05:13 PM

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“ The Merlino Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dolores Edkins.

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**The Merlino Family** - August 11, 2025 at 05:13 PM



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

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August 11, 2025 at 05:12 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Dolores Edkins.



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August 11, 2025 at 04:20 PM



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

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August 11, 2025 at 04:20 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of Dolores Edkins.



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August 11, 2025 at 11:40 AM



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

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August 11, 2025 at 11:40 AM

GE

“ *My Dear Cousin and God Daughter,  
You're at peace now, resting in Jesus' arms with Charles and  
Mariana.  
I will love you and think of you always.  
Love, Gerri*

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**Gerri** - August 11, 2025 at 11:16 AM

AA

*Eternal rest grant to Dolores, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon  
her; may she rest in peace. Amen.  
Our prayerful condolences to her parents Mary Anne and Charles  
Edkins.  
(from Aida and D. Bob Abundo)*

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**Aida and D. Bob Abundo** - August 11, 2025 at 04:43 PM

MA

*D, Bob and Aida, I am so grateful for your prayers and the Rosary on  
Sunday night for Dolores and us. Thank you for reaching out and  
remembering us in this Holy Way at this Holy time. Love, Mary Ann and  
Charlie xo*

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**Mary Ann** - August 12, 2025 at 07:34 AM

RS

*I taught Mariana , Charles Jr and Dolores piano many years ago. They  
were all wonderful, intelligent , beautiful people. I remember the loss of  
Mariana 2006 and Charles Jr 2021 and now Dolores. How devastating.  
I'm heartbroken for MaryAnn and Charles Sr. I have you in my prayers.  
May you find God's peace and comfort during this difficult time. I  
believe we will all meet again someday. My most heartfelt , sincere  
sympathy and condolences.*

*love,  
Robert Steel.*

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**Robert J Steel** - August 17, 2025 at 09:18 PM