



Domenico Gentile

September 15, 1936 - May 27, 2020

Domenico Gentile, 83, passed away peacefully on May 27, 2020 at his home with his loving family by his side.

He was born and raised in Mola Di Bari, Italy to the late Francesco and Petronilla. At the age of 32 he immigrated to the States, living in Brooklyn. In 1968 he met the love of his life, Maria. Because their love was so strong, after only three months, they married and raised their three loving children. In 1985 he settled in Eltingville.

Domenico was a longshoreman by trade working in shipping and receiving. He was a devout catholic and longtime parishioner of Holy Child Church. Even when he was unable to attend mass, he would watch it on TV and would receive the Eucharist at home. He had a great love for soccer, never missing a game. He also enjoyed watching the Game Show Network, Tom and Jerry and Jeopardy. Domenico was an avid gardener - you could always find him working in his garden, which he enjoyed immensely, especially his vegetables. What was most important to him was time spent with family. He was a loving and devoted husband, father and grandfather who never missed an opportunity to spend time with his grandson, Franco. He also enjoyed taking care of his two puppies, Ruthie and Sparky.

He was the beloved husband of 52 years to Maria. Loving father to Patricia,

Frank and the late Francesco. Fond father-in-law to Theresa. Devoted nonno to Franco and dear brother to Rita.

Due to the current pandemic, funeral services are private. A Memorial Mass to celebrate Domenico's life will take place at a later date.

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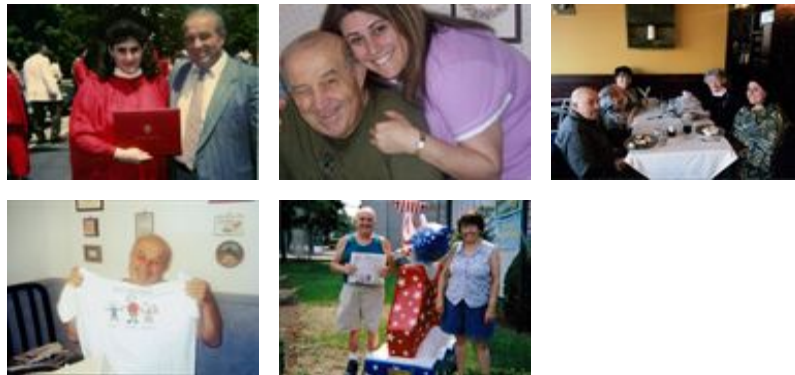


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“ Our sympathies to the Gentile family.
My wife and I will miss Domenico Gentile's physical presence at Christmas. His warm smile always invited us into the living room with welcome. His eyes always let us know he understood everything even though we didn't speak Italian. It was easy to tell he was a very special person who lived a rich and rewarding life. Although cheated from future meetings, we were blessed knowing him as long as we did. Thank you Domenico.

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“ When I would go to dominick's house even though he was watching soccer on tv he would come into the kitchen and have a cup of coffee with maria and I we had lots of laughs

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