



Donald G. Campbell

January 8, 1947 - October 17, 2025

Donald Campbell, 78, passed away peacefully on October 17, surrounded by his loving children and grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his beloved wife of 36 years, Diane, and his parents, Charles and Patricia Campbell.

Donald was a devoted father to Michael, Lori Ann Gargiso, Donald Jr., and Jennifer Gargano, Beloved father-in-law to Chris, Alison, and the late Michael Gorumba. Cherished grandfather to Andrew, Michael, Christian, Donald III, Julianna, and Angelina. He was the beloved brother of the late Charles, Ann Dekersky, and Brian Campbell, and is survived by his loving siblings Gerard Campbell and Patricia Warne. He was also a treasured uncle, cousin, and friend to many.

Donald proudly served his country in the U.S. Army as a Military Police Officer and Dog Handler serving in the Vietnam War from 1966 to 1968. He received the National Defense Service Medal in recognition of his dedication and service.

After returning home from Vietnam, Donald met the love of his life, Dianne. They married in 1969 and moved from Brooklyn to Staten Island, where they built a beautiful life and family together.

Donald began his career with the City of New York in 1970 as a laborer in the Department of General Services. Through hard work and determination, he rose through the ranks to become Assistant Commissioner for the Department of Citywide Administrative Services. In 1978, he earned his Bachelor's Degree in Business from the College of Staten Island. He received one of the highest ranking awards from the City of New York the Sloan award in 1998. He retired 2002 after 32 years of dedicated service to the City of New York.

In retirement, Donald remained active in the Vietnam Veterans organizations on Staten Island and volunteered as a bereavement counselor at both Star of the Sea Church and St. Christopher's Church.

Donald's greatest joy came from spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren. He was the rock of his family' a steady, loving, and dependable presence to all who knew him. His strength, wisdom, and kindness will be deeply missed but forever remembered.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. on Monday, October 20, 2025, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 21, 2025 at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church located at 5411 Amboy Road Staten Island, New York 10312. Interment will follow in Resurrection Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrott Ave
Staten Island, NY 10309

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **20**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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OCT **20**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

OCT **21**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald G. Campbell*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - October 19, 2025 at 05:49 PM

DC

“ *I knew Mr . Campbell through hardships of family and loss of his son in law Michael Gorumba. He was decent kind strong man in the midst of tough times. I will always remember our conversations and friendship.*

Rest in Peace Donald.

Dan C. - October 29, 2025 at 09:12 AM

EU

“ *Elizabeth(Libby) C Ugini lit a candle in memory of Donald G. Campbell*



Elizabeth(Libby) C ugini - October 21, 2025 at 07:57 AM

EU

“ My condolences to the Campbell family. I hope your memories and love for your Dad will give you the strength to celebrate his life. From what I learned during the time Barbara cared for him, he was a very accomplished man.. always kind to me in our conversations in the car with Barb. He was a man you should be proud of. God bless him and you.

Elizabeth(Libby) Cugini - October 21, 2025 at 07:54 AM

RY

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Ryan - October 20, 2025 at 12:31 PM

RY

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Ryan - October 20, 2025 at 12:29 PM

JH

“ Jose H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald G. Campbell.

Jose H. - October 20, 2025 at 12:05 PM

GF

“ Gerard, Doreen & Family purchased the Divine Light for the family of Donald G. Campbell.



Gerard, Doreen & Family - October 20, 2025 at 09:34 AM

FM

“ From. Melanie Lonz Miglionica. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Donald G. Campbell.



From. Melanie Lonz Miglionica. - October 20, 2025 at 07:52 AM

FM

“ From. Melanie Lonz Miglionica. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald G. Campbell.

From. Melanie Lonz Miglionica. - October 20, 2025 at 07:52 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Donald G. Campbell.*



October 20, 2025 at 04:15 AM

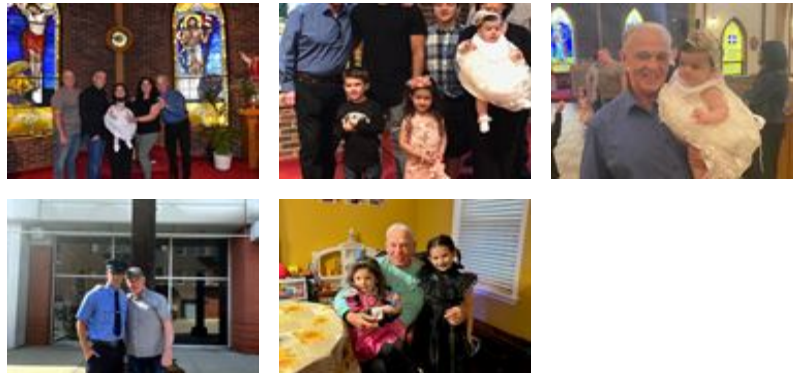


“ *the Ferger Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald G. Campbell.*

the Ferger Family - October 20, 2025 at 04:15 AM



“ *97 files added to the album Life Tributes*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - October 19, 2025 at 05:45 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Donald G. Campbell.*



October 19, 2025 at 05:24 PM



“ *All the members planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald G. Campbell.*

All the members - October 19, 2025 at 05:24 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald G. Campbell.*



October 19, 2025 at 01:41 PM



“ *Love Theresa “Tee” Cialino & Cisco purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Donald G. Campbell.*



Love Theresa “Tee” Cialino & Cisco - October 19, 2025 at 12:12 PM

VQ

“ Valerie Pepe & Fernando Quintero purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Donald G. Campbell.



Valerie Pepe & Fernando Quintero - October 19, 2025 at 11:57 AM

VQ

“ Valerie Pepe & Fernando Quintero planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald G. Campbell.

Valerie Pepe & Fernando Quintero - October 19, 2025 at 11:57 AM

TF

“ The Chong's Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Donald G. Campbell.



The Chong's Family - October 19, 2025 at 10:48 AM