



## Emil S. Geosits

February 6, 1941 - December 15, 2023

Our Opa, Emil Geosits, joined his loving wife, Angela, in heaven on Friday, December 15th after 82 years on this earth.

Born during the second world war, he was raised on a farm in Austria with his siblings: Adolf, Albert, Josef, John, Gretl, Yolanda, and Annie. At the young age of 18 he left his home in search of a new beginning in America. They settled in New York and raised five children all of whom would grow up to be successful: Alicia Buscemi and husband Jon, Steven Geosits and wife Christina, Joseph Geosits and wife Brooke, Catherine Cannella and husband Don and Emil Geosits Jr. and wife Tara. Each of them had their own children, blessing him with a total of 14 grandchildren: Emily, John Michael, Annamarie, Frank, Salvatore, Angelina, William, Thomas, Ethan, Daniel, Leo, Jake, Mason, and Jaclynn.

Emil worked in several professions before settling and working for over 25 years as a cable technician.

Devoted to his family, friends, and church -- he would help with any task at hand, no matter how tough or costly to himself. He is known as "the man, the myth, the legend" amongst those who loved him. He was a child at heart, playing soccer with his grandchildren, building/repairing dams at Wolfe's Pond Park, trying to hit birds with rocks, exploring the beach, fishing, recycling

everything and creating his famous mango mix.

When he wasn't helping out, he would be busy preparing to feed the masses with his overflowing garden that produced the best eggplant, cucumbers, tomatoes, zucchini, and squash that everyone craved. His greatest accomplishment was creating a basement & foundation for his already standing home while continuing to live there with his family.

Lastly, he loved spending time with his family on Sundays which is where he was an inspiration to his grandchildren, teaching them all sorts of life lessons. He will be forever missed.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM and 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Tuesday, December 19, 2023, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York. Arrangements include private cremation.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 19. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Staten Island, NY 10312

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# Tribute Wall



“ John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Emil S. Geosits



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - December 19, 2023 at 12:30 PM

MB

“ One of the kindest and most caring person I have ever met. A wonderful example to me. I will always cherish our times together. Will miss your texts of encouragement and scripture. You will be truly missed my dear friend and brother in Christ.

Maria Badalamenti - December 19, 2023 at 08:57 PM



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

December 19, 2023 at 01:59 PM

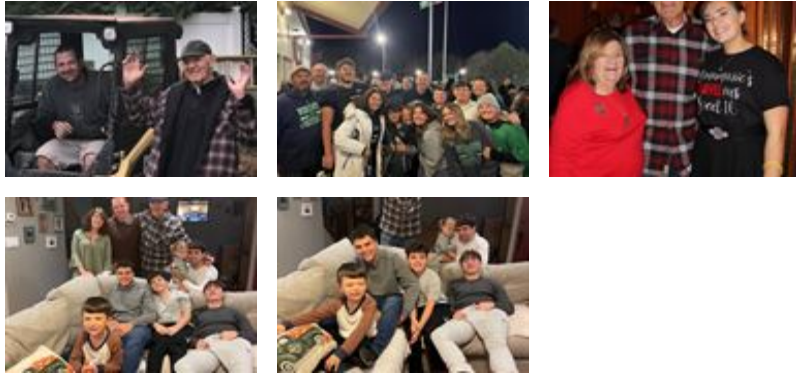
DB

“ Deanna Badalamenti  
My fondest memories of Emil was his warm welcoming smile as I walked into church on Sunday & his outstretched hand to say hello. He was truly a Blessing to all who knew him. 🙏

Deanna M Badalamenti - December 19, 2023 at 12:54 PM



“ 149 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - December 19, 2023 at 12:32 PM

LS

*Such a caring man I'm so thankful to have known him and to be in the ministry with him  
I loved how he sincerely cared for and loved everyone especially my 2 sons sending scripture of encouragement to them and myself as well  
Truly this man loved God and loved people A dear brother that is truly missed.*

Linda Spinella - December 20, 2023 at 07:00 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Emil S. Geosits.*



December 19, 2023 at 10:29 AM



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December 19, 2023 at 09:08 AM



“ *Me and my boys met Emil just a few months ago at griefshare. In the short time we got to know him he was nothing but the sweetest & kindest man. My sons & Emil hit it off from the first night. They would discuss the Bible & because he was so on fire for the Lord, he shared a lot of insight with them. Always sending beautiful, inspirational texts messages. We are truly grateful for the short time we got to spend with him & even more grateful we accepted his invitation to go to his church one Sunday. He will most definitely be missed. Rest in Peace, sir.*

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**Kimberly Campbell** - December 18, 2023 at 10:53 PM



“ *Emil you were a faithful brother in Christ. I was blessed to work with you in the print shop, when we used to make a lot of books by hand. And it was a blessing doing operation Jerusalem with you. Snow, sleet, ice it didn't matter you were a faithful brother, to the Lord Jesus Christ. Well done my dear brother what a great soldier you were. Good for you, my dear brother, in the presence of our Lord right now, face-to-face.*

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**Brian Lewandowski** - December 18, 2023 at 10:23 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Emil S. Geosits.*



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December 18, 2023 at 09:02 PM



“ *Amy Caravaglio-Westberg and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Emil S. Geosits.*

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**Amy Caravaglio-Westberg and family** - December 18, 2023 at 09:02 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Emil S. Geosits.*



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December 18, 2023 at 07:13 PM



“ *Finray.io planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Emil S. Geosits.*

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**Finray.io** - December 18, 2023 at 07:13 PM

Jl

“ My first memory of brother Emil was a smiling face, full of care for people and helpful to all! .. 11 years later that sweet spirit never wavered. I will miss him very much .. his example lives on right out into eternity ! 💕

justine improta - December 18, 2023 at 11:39 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Emil S. Geosits.



December 18, 2023 at 09:37 AM

LF

“ Love Frank, Linda & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Emil S. Geosits.

Love Frank, Linda & Family - December 18, 2023 at 09:37 AM

FT

“ Emil was my best friend and neighbor growing up in Austria. We have always stayed in touch and had many great times together. You will be truly missed but now you are reunited with your beautiful wife Angela. Love you my friend!!  
Frank



FRANK TUIFEL - December 18, 2023 at 09:34 AM

MC

“ A dear friend and a true example of an ambassador for Christ. Thank you Emil for the friend and example you’ve been to me and our church. You are truly loved and missed.

“ A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly: and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother.” Proverbs 18:24

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**Marc Miguel - First Bible Church** - December 18, 2023 at 09:21 AM

VC

“ Emil was a wonderful, empathetic and, caring man. He always had a word of encouragement and, a bible verse to share. He is in heaven now with his beloved wife Angela.

Matthew 25:21 {1611}

“His lord said unto him, Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord.”



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**Vivian Campbell** - December 18, 2023 at 09:06 AM

EC

“ But if any man love God, the same is known of him. (1 Corinthians 8:3)

Anyone who met Emil Geosits knew that he loved Jesus. It was evident by his words & actions. We will all sorely miss him.

Farewell dear brother & friend. I know I will see you again. We'll sing praises to our Lord together as we did so often here on earth, but then much louder in his presence.

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**Ed Chille, First Bible Church** - December 18, 2023 at 07:39 AM



“ *Sincere Condolences*

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**Isaiah David** - December 17, 2023 at 10:08 PM