



Francisco Gonzalez, Sr.

December 3, 1947 - September 2, 2021

On September 2nd, 2021, Francisco Gonzalez loving husband, brother, father, grandfather and uncle passed away at the age of 73. He was born December 3rd, 1947 in Rincon, Puerto Rico and he relocated to the United States in 1957.

He made his career working with the MTA as a bus driver retiring at 62. He was a man of many skills that enjoyed helping others, playing dominos, music, gardening, cooking and being a jokester. His favorite past time was visiting and spending time with family.

He was preceded in death by his father Pedro Gonzalez, his mother Rosa Gonzalez (nee Mendez-Carrero), stepmother Juanita Gonzalez (nee Mendez), 2 brothers Bienvenido and Nelson, and his sister Virginia.

He is survived by his brother Nieves, 3 sisters Aida Candelaria (married to Miguel), Lydia Maiz and Milagros Miller, married to Stephen. With Rosanna Farina he had a daughter Maria Gonzalez. With his wife Edith Gonzalez (nee Lorenzo) he had 3 sons; Francisco Jr., married to Jennifer (nee King), Rene, married to Nella (nee Liuzzi), and Anthony. With his second wife Blanca Maldonado he has 2 stepsons; Juan Marcial, married to Luz (nee Valentin), and Billy Marcial, married to Celia (nee Terry). He also has 10 grandsons, 5 granddaughters, 1 great grandson, 1 great granddaughter, several nephews,

nieces, great nephews and great nieces.

His family's fondest memory is how friendly he was and how he was loved by all who met him.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 AM on Friday at Holy Child Church located at 4747 Amboy Road Staten Island, New York 10312.

Interment will follow in Ocean View 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 Thursday, September 9, 2021, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

Cemetery Details

Ocean View Cemetery

3315 Amboy Rd
Staten Island, NY 10306

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 9. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

SEP 9. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP 10. 10:00 AM (ET)

Holy Child Church
4747 Amboy Road
Staten Island, NY 10312

Tribute Wall



“ *Francisco Gonzalez, Sr.*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *Jose Mendez purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



Jose Mendez - September 09, 2021 at 11:06 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



September 08, 2021 at 07:12 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



September 08, 2021 at 05:06 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



September 08, 2021 at 01:18 PM



“ *Goldie Rosario purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



Goldie Rosario - September 08, 2021 at 09:30 AM



“ *Rasheed, Michelle and Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



Rasheed, Michelle and Family - September 08, 2021 at 08:50 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



September 07, 2021 at 04:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



September 07, 2021 at 08:58 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



September 07, 2021 at 06:42 AM



“ *Frank was always a dear friend and confidant to my parents and his loss of felt by many. He always had advice to give to who was willing to listen but he was also a great listener. My condolences to his family.*

veronica damas - September 06, 2021 at 09:02 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..*



September 06, 2021 at 11:30 AM

DS

“ My deepest condolences to his family, loved ones & friends. Frankie was a giant among men. He always smiled, always made you feel welcomed, made your heart feel fuller by just knowing him & maybe a little heavier if he cooked for you. My heart felt prayers & love to his family & friends.

Debra Sereseroz - September 06, 2021 at 08:55 AM

AG

“ Sending Love and Light . May you r star shine brightly in the night sky.

Ann and John Geddes - September 05, 2021 at 02:33 PM

LD

You will be missed by all but you will be with my Arden prayers to the family your friend forever Loretta Desilva and family god bless all

loretta desilva - September 06, 2021 at 07:17 AM

SK

a really great guy ,never a down attitude,, terrible

stu keller - September 06, 2021 at 12:21 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..



September 05, 2021 at 10:39 AM

DA

“ Frankie was always a happy man, nothing bothered him at the job. A very good co-worker and a better friend, you will be missed. Rest In Peace my friend and my condolences to the family. 🥺🥺🙏🙏

david - September 05, 2021 at 10:10 AM

Goldie
Rosario

“ I've known Franky almost all my life. He had a courageous smile and positive energy. He will be remembered as a family man! Rest In Paradise Franky.
Cindy Farina Rosario (Maria Gs sister)

Goldie Rosario - September 04, 2021 at 02:25 PM

HJ

Frankie was a wonderful guy. He was happy, fun, and a sincere, loving man. My condolences to his family and Dear Blanca. R.I.P. FRANKIE.
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Henrietta Jotzat - September 06, 2021 at 02:08 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Francisco Gonzalez, Sr..



September 04, 2021 at 02:18 PM

AM

“ Condolences to the Gonzalez family from all co-workers and me Anthony Marchese may he RIP

anthony marchese - September 04, 2021 at 02:00 PM