

Frank M. Bellotti

November 6, 1940 - January 28, 2025

Surrounded by his loving family, Frank Michael Bellotti peacefully joined the Lord on January 28, 2025, at the age of 84.

He was a native Staten Islander and a proud retired NYPD Police Officer of the 6th Precinct.

Frank was a kind, patient, hard working, and loving man. His deep faith and generosity knew no bounds. Frank was a generous supporter of several community organizations which he held dear to his heart. He was a sports enthusiast, a former baseball and football coach, softball player, and an avid fan of the NY Giants, Mets and Rangers. He was a lover of crossword puzzles, enjoyed singing oldies, playing scratch-off tickets, and speaking politics/world news.

Frank was the epitome of a 'family man' who cherished his family above all else. He was a loving and devoted father, grandfather, and great grandfather. He was a humble man who valued life's simplest pleasures and when asking him what his perfect day looked like he'd say "having all of my family home together". He warmly welcomed anyone into his home and lived to help others. He had a calm and gentle spirit and he leaves behind a legacy of strength, kindness, and resilience .

He enjoyed spending time fishing and hunting at his family's cabin in upstate NY, at the beaches in Long Beach Island NJ and Naples Florida, and boating on Lake Wallenpaupack in PA. Frank was a wise mentor and teacher and he loved without any judgement or limits. He never missed an opportunity to attend his grandchildren's events, share life stories and family history, quote his favorite TV shows and movies, and crack an unexpected joke. Even in his quietness, his presence has always been known and felt. He was the first to offer help and the last to expect anything in return. He will be missed dearly by all who knew him.

Frank met the love of his life, Loretta, while working at the former Tucker, Anthony and R.L. Day. The two were inseparable and still laughed, danced, held hands and kissed one another at every chance they got. In their children, they instilled values of family, loyalty and unconditional love and together watched their family grow for three generations. Still madly in love, Frank and Loretta recently celebrated 60 years of marriage in September of 2024.

He was a devoted husband to his wife Loretta, a loving father to his children Christine Inserra (Alex), Debbie Barbaria, and Frank Bellotti (Denise), a proud "Poppy" to his grandchildren, Christopher (Lisa), Joseph (Shannon), Alexa (Mark), Amanda (Corey), Allison (Nicholas), Sophia, Frankie and Alex as well as his great grandchildren Joseph, Emma, and Alexander. He is also survived by his brother, John.

Frank was preceded in heaven by his parents, Mario "Butchie" Bellotti and Mary Bellotti, his brother Anthony "Tony" Bellotti, and his son-in-law, Alex Inserra. Though he is no longer with us physically, we take comfort in knowing he is reunited with those he loved and missed deeply.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 30, 2025, at the John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals,

Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd. (at Eltingville Station), Staten Island, New York.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 9:45 a.m. on Friday, January 31, 2025 at St. Clare Church located at 110 Nelson Ave Staten Island, New York 10308. Cremation will follow at Rosehill Crematory, Linden, NJ.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Frank's memory would be greatly appreciated to: St. Jude Children's Research Hospital @ www.stjude.org, Tunnel to Towers Foundation at www.t2t.org or to Kids Against Cancer @ www.kidsagainstcancer.org

Cemetery Details

Rosehill Crematory

792 E Edgar Rd
Linden, NJ 07036

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 30. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

The John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals, Inc.
28 Eltingville Blvd. (at Eltingville Station)
Staten Island, NY 10312

Visitation

JAN 30. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Staten Island, NY 10312

Service

JAN 31. 9:45 AM (ET)

St Clare Church
110 Nelson Ave
Staten Island, NY 10308

Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Frank M. Bellotti*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - January 30, 2025 at 11:27 AM

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“ *Worked with Frank for 16 years in the 6th Pct. Being a young rookie when I arrived at the 6th, Frank made me feel welcome. I always admired how he did the job with his soft easy going manner. He was always quick with a joke. We played together on the Pct. softball team and won the 1976 championship. We stayed in contact every year at the annual Pct. reunion. Always enjoyed catching up with him. Rest in peace old friend.*

Bill Solebello - February 07, 2025 at 10:16 AM



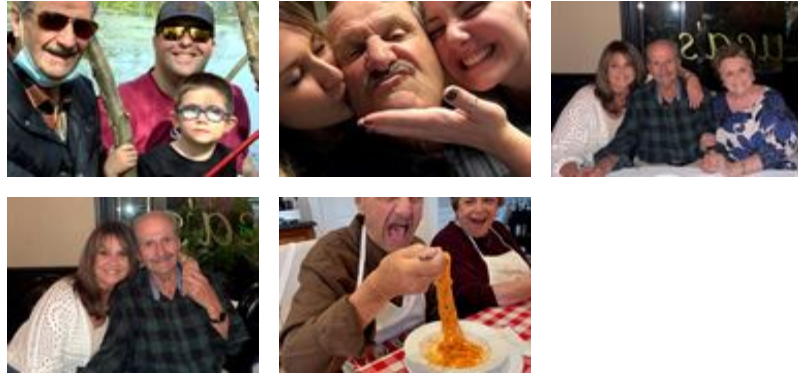
“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frank M. Bellotti.*



January 30, 2025 at 11:28 AM



“ 100 files added to the album LifeTributes



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - January 30, 2025 at 11:24 AM



“ Neue Galerie Security planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frank M. Bellotti.

Neue Galerie Security - January 30, 2025 at 10:53 AM



“ Neue Galerie Security purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Frank M. Bellotti.



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“ Anthony, Crystal, and Olivia Lazzara purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Frank M. Bellotti.



Anthony, Crystal, and Olivia Lazzara - January 29, 2025 at 09:20 AM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Frank M. Bellotti.* ”



January 28, 2025 at 04:26 PM