



Jeremiah D. Clark

August 25, 1929 - December 2, 2022

On the early morning of December 2nd Jeremiah D. Clark executed the perfect "Irish Exit" at the age of 93 as he slipped away from a peaceful sleep to join the love of his life Audrey in eternity. Audrey proceeded him by 29 years, but no doubt greeted him in Heaven with a warm kiss, big hug, and a "to do" list.

Jerry also left behind three loving and admiring children, Joseph (Veronica), Jill and David (Linda) as well as five adoring grandchildren, Caitlin (Alice), James (Amanda), Daniel, Conor, and Meghan and his great-grandson Dylan.

He was the oldest of 10 (yes, 10 siblings) making him the official wagon operator to Emergency Room runs (his children all have independent stories to back that up). He leaves behind his brothers Anthony (Kathy) and Mark (Marsha) and was preceded by Francis, Robert, Gregory, Paul, Eileen, Joan, and Elizabeth.

Jerry built his life on a foundation of Honor, Bravery, Humility, and Integrity which was reflected in his service to others. He was an enlisted member of the United States Marine Corps and rose to the rank of Sergeant. He would say later the promotion only happened because he was the biggest man in his company and was able to carry and operate the BAR heavy artillery machine

gun. He fought on Chosin Reservoir (The Frozen Chosin) which was one of the most brutal battles in U.S. military history. His only reference to his experience in North Korea was an affinity to small aircraft. When asked why, he said, "When he heard the drone of the prop engines, he knew help was on the way and the playing field would be leveled".

Shortly after his return from North Korea he began a career with the New York City Police Department which would span 37 years - 37 years without a sick day. He would rise to the rank of Lieutenant. Although his NYPD journey led to many assignments, he was most proud of his time in the Emergency Service Unit having served in numerous Brooklyn Trucks and finally the Commanding Officer of Truck 5 on Staten Island. He lived a life full of service to others, but he was exceptionally proud to identify as an E-Man.

Jeremiah will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him, but he is at peace with his pain left behind (Audrey probably already has a paint roller in his hand by now).

The family will receive friends from 3:00 - 8:00 p.m. on Monday, December 5, 2022, 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 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, December 6, 2022 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 Sharrot Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10309

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 5. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

DEC 6. 10:00 AM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ I HAVE NEVER MET A NICER MAN IN MY LIFE. HE WAS MY BOSS LT.CLARK I NEVER FORGOT YOU & I NEVER WILL I KNOW OF NO ONE BETTER THAN YOU.. SORRY I DIDN'T KEEP IN TOUCH.. LORETTA

Loretta J. Roma PICCININNO - August 27, 2024 at 10:05 AM



“ *Jeremiah D. Clark*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.*



December 05, 2022 at 12:52 PM



“ *You were a good friend and neighbor. May you Rest In Peace.*

Joanne Ryan

joanne Ryan - December 05, 2022 at 11:14 AM

CT

“ Custom Protective Services LLC team purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



Custom Protective Services LLC team - December 05, 2022 at 11:02 AM

RS

“ Rich McCusker and Mather Security purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



Rich McCusker and Mather Security - December 05, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



December 05, 2022 at 09:07 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



December 05, 2022 at 08:19 AM

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“ Anthony Kathy and family purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



Anthony Kathy and family - December 04, 2022 at 05:09 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



December 04, 2022 at 02:57 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



December 04, 2022 at 01:04 PM

JA

“ May the loving memory of your parents bring you peace and comfort and may their memory forever be a blessing.



Jean A. - December 04, 2022 at 03:55 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray* was purchased for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



December 03, 2022 at 05:30 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



December 03, 2022 at 04:05 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket* was purchased for the family of Jeremiah D. Clark.



December 03, 2022 at 01:16 PM