



## John B. Donovan

July 21, 1948 - November 6, 2019

John B. Donovan, 71 of Staten Island, New York passed away on Wednesday, November 6, 2019, at Staten Island University Hospital South surrounded by his loving family.

Born Wednesday, July 21, 1948 in Wellsville, New York, he was the son of the late Robert Donovan and Mary Battin.

John was the loving husband of Gilda Donovan. He is survived by his brother Bill Donovan, his brother-in-law Sonny Peraino and many cousins, family and friends.

A Funeral Mass will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday at Holy Child Church located at 4747 Amboy Road Staten Island, New York 10312. Interment will be in Resurrection Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

The family will receive friends from 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM on Saturday, November 9, 2019, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrot Avenue  
Staten Island, NY 10309

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 9. 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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

## Service

NOV 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Child Church  
4747 Amboy Road  
Staten Island, NY 10312

# Tribute Wall



“ *John B. Donovan*

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October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *My condolences to the Donovan family. I lived in the same neighborhood in Mamaroneck as John and Bill. I was a yr behind John at Most Holy Trinity Grammar School. It was great to have John be a member of our Facebook group page. John's old schoolmates have left some remembrances there. You can see them at Memories of Most Holy Trinity Grammar School using John's account.*

*Prayers and strength to you at this time.*

*Sincerely Richard Langerfeld*

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**Richard Langerfeld** - November 13, 2019 at 01:27 PM



“ *I was a freshman in high school. I had just joined the wrestling team. I was visiting uncle John from California. We hadn't seen each other since I was a boy. I thought it might be a little awkward because we hadn't seen each other in so long. John was standing next to me on minute. The next thing I knew John was shooting in for a takedown and we were wrestling on the ground laughing. Uncle John sure caught me off guard and made sure there would be no awkwardness while I was visiting.*

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**Mark Don** - November 09, 2019 at 12:06 AM

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“ *BILL DONOVAN JR AND FAMILY ( OLEAN - WELLSVILLE) purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of John B. Donovan.*



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**BILL DONOVAN JR AND FAMILY ( OLEAN -WELLSVILLE) -**  
November 08, 2019 at 02:55 PM