



## Joseph Martino

May 18, 1932 - February 12, 2017

Joseph Martino (84) of Staten Island, NY passed away peacefully on February 12, 2017 at Wilkes Barre VA Medical, Wilkes Barre, PA surrounded by his children and granddaughter.

Joseph was born in Brooklyn, NY to Gaetano (Tom) Martino and Josephina (Mignosi) Martino on May 18, 1932. In addition to being a Certified Mechanic for over 40 years, Joseph was a Golden Gloves Champion in the Middleweight Division while stationed at Reece Air Force Base in Lubbock, TX. He fought 3 professional fights before he retired. He was a veteran of The Korean War and served in the Air Force as an Airman First Class, and was awarded United States Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal and the Korean Service Medal.

Joseph always felt his children were his biggest achievements in life and enjoyed being with them and his grandchildren every chance he had. He loved to cook, attend sporting events and will always be known and loved for his great story telling ability. He was extremely proud to be a Veteran of the United States and loved his country.

In addition to his parents, Joseph was preceded in death by his daughter Anna Marie Martino, and siblings, Jack, Thomas, Rosalie, Dominick, and Gaetano (Pete) Joseph is survived by his daughter Michele Yohey, White

Haven, PA and her husband Richard, son, Joseph Martino JR, San Clemente, CA and his wife Holly Daughter Judy Vigil, Colorado Springs, CO and her husband Rick. Grandchildren, Jacqueline, Augusta, Carissa, Elijo, Ricardo Jr, Elicia, Brittany, Briele, Alexa, Nicholas and Morgan.

In Lieu of flowers, the family has decided that Joseph would be honored if they helped fellow Veterans in their time of need. Donations will be accepted for: Wilkes Barre VA Medical Center in Memory of Joseph Martino. Checks should be written out to Wilkes Barre VA Medical Center and mailed to Michele Yohey 8 Middleburg Road White Haven, PA 18661. The family would also like to extend our sincere thanks to Dr. Paulino and the nurses and staff on the Hospice Floor at the Wilkes Barre VA for making Joseph's final moments peaceful and comfortable.

Friends and Family may visit on Friday February 17, 2017 from 6:00 pm to 9:00 PM at John Vincent Scalia Home of Funerals Inc, 28 Eltingville Blvd. Staten Island, NY 10312.

Funeral Service will be at 10:00 am Saturday February 18, 2017 at John Vincent Scalia Home of Funerals followed by a Military burial service at Moravian Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Moravian Cemetery

2205 Richmond Road  
Staten Island, NY 10306

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 17. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

FEB 18. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Joseph Martino*



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**John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc.** - February 16, 2017 at 05:12 PM

MF

*Very Beautiful tribute to Mr. Martino. I will share a quote that I look at everyday at my desk for years and it goes like this:*

*"When you die and everyone you know dies, unless you did something significant with your life, your life would be like you were never born"*

*In knowing his son like I do and just watching this tribute, we can all rest assured that the quote does not apply to Mr. Martino. What a legacy and beautiful family and God rest his soul*

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**Michael Ferrara** - February 17, 2017 at 01:45 PM



Michele Marie

*Thank you Mike. Joe and I appreciate your kind words.  
Michele*

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**Michele Marie** - February 17, 2017 at 03:44 PM



“ *Joseph Martino*

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October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Martino.* ”

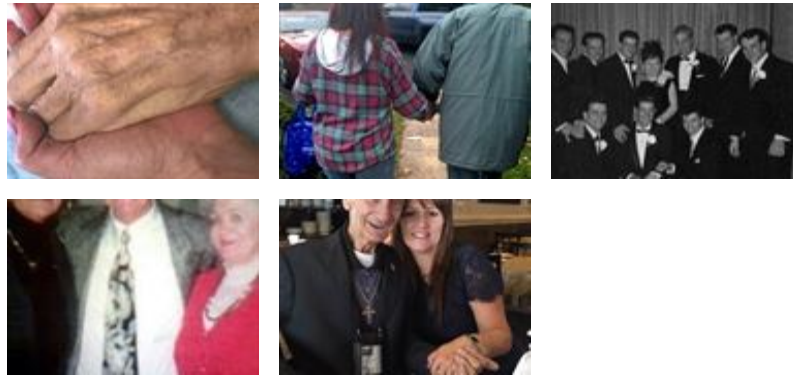


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February 17, 2017 at 08:23 AM



“ *84 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



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**John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc.** - February 16, 2017 at 05:06 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Martino.* ”



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February 16, 2017 at 04:42 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Martino.*



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February 16, 2017 at 11:05 AM



“ *Laurie Petrolino lit a candle in memory of Joseph Martino*



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**Laurie Petrolino** - February 16, 2017 at 09:33 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Paula Gallo** - February 16, 2017 at 07:08 AM



“ *Rest In Peace Joey 🙏 You will be Missed ❤️  
Say Hello to My Dad for us  
Love,  
Paula & Doris Gallo xoxo*



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**Paula Gallo** - February 16, 2017 at 06:59 AM

JA

“ Love you Grandpa Joe! You will be greatly missed. Thank you for giving me an amazing mom! May you both rest in peace!



Jacquelin - February 16, 2017 at 12:18 AM

SC

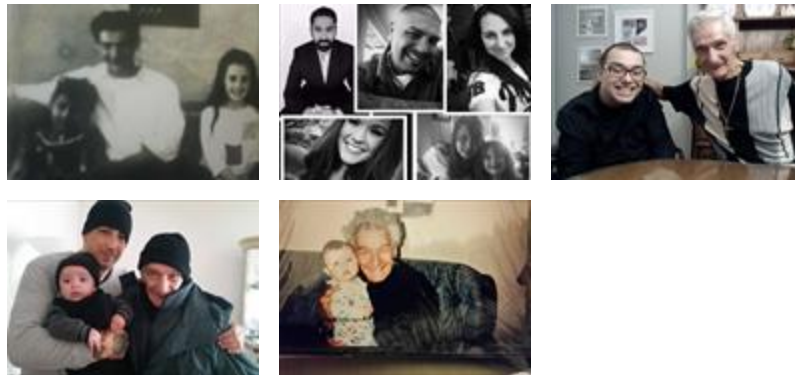
“ Sandy Crupi lit a candle in memory of Joseph Martino



Sandy Crupi - February 15, 2017 at 09:00 PM

  
Michele  
Marie

“ 32 files added to the album Family



Michele Marie - February 15, 2017 at 01:20 PM



SC

*Uncle Joey you will be missed by all. The memories that you leave behind will never be forgotten. The fun, the laughs and the great recipes. I remember the day in Coral Springs when we made Caponatina for hours we ended up with 25 jars we had enough for the entire neighborhood. I love and will miss you I know you will be happy in heaven with your family so until we all meet again RIP Love Sandy*

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**Sandy Crupi** - February 15, 2017 at 07:59 PM



*Rest In Peace, my sweet Uncle Joey*

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**Laurie Petrolino** - February 16, 2017 at 09:34 AM