



Joy Marraccino

January 8, 1942 - January 28, 2025

Joy Licata Marraccino passed away peacefully at 83 years old on January 28, 2025, in Freehold, New Jersey, surrounded by her beloved family.

Born on January 8, 1942, in Brooklyn, New York, Joy was the cherished daughter of Sicilian immigrants Salvatrice Cipolla and Filippi (Philip) Licata. She was the third of four daughters, growing up alongside her sisters Marie, Dominica, and Phylis.

As a shy and artistic young woman, Joy expressed her creativity through sketching and sewing, a passion that led to her becoming a talented seamstress. Joy was also a phenomenal cook, being able to make a great meal out of anything. In 1968, she married the late Anthony (Tony) Marraccino and wholeheartedly embraced his children, Frank and his wife, Dawn, and Theresa and her husband, Michael, as her own. Together, Joy and Tony built a beautiful family. She is survived by her children: Domenica and her late husband, Dan; Anthony Jr.; and Angela and her husband,

Stephen.

After dedicating many years to her craft as a seamstress, Joy transitioned to a career as a bookkeeper at Key Appliance in Canarsie, Brooklyn.

Above all, Joy's greatest pride and joy was her family. She is survived by her 11 loving grandchildren: Sophia, Peter, Michelle, Anthony, Julianna, Ryan, Tessa, Anna Rose, Francesca, Domenica Joy, and Stephen. She was also the adoring great-grandmother to six beautiful great-grandchildren: Carmela, Jack, Michael, Carlo, Vincent, and Francis.

Joy's wake will be held on Saturday, February 1, 2025, from 12 to 3 p.m. at Scalia Funeral Home, located at 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, NY 10312.

Joy touched the lives of everyone she met, offering a listening ear, sharp wit, and an open heart. Her memory will live on in the hearts of her family and friends as they carry forward the love and warmth she gave to all.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 1. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

FEB 1. 1:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TM

“ Tony & Terri Marraccino purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Joy Marraccino.



Tony & Terri Marraccino - February 01, 2025 at 06:57 AM

TM

“ Tony & Terri Marraccino planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joy Marraccino.

Tony & Terri Marraccino - February 01, 2025 at 06:57 AM

ML

“ Michael G. Lawrence purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Joy Marraccino.



Michael G. Lawrence - February 01, 2025 at 12:27 AM

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Michael G. Lawrence - February 01, 2025 at 12:27 AM

DN

“ Momma Joy always welcomed me into the family and always made me feel like an adopted daughter. Not only to me when I was younger but also for Nicole and I when I had my own child. You will be missed. Love you! Rest in peace. Say hi to my daddy for me.



Diana Nieves - January 31, 2025 at 08:56 PM

SR

“ Sophie R lit a candle in memory of Joy Marraccino



Sophie R - January 31, 2025 at 07:27 PM

VQ

“ Vicki Quarant lit a candle in memory of Joy Marraccino



Vicki Quarant - January 31, 2025 at 05:26 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joy Marraccino.



January 30, 2025 at 02:39 PM

LM

“ *Lillian Maglione lit a candle in memory of Joy Marraccino*



Lillian Maglione - January 30, 2025 at 10:43 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Joy Marraccino.*



January 27, 2025 at 10:10 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Frank Auletti.*

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