



Kathleen A. Tortorella

March 11, 1958 - April 19, 2022

Kathleen "Kathy" A. Tortorella, 64 of Rossville, passed away on Tuesday, April 19, 2022, at Staten Island University Hospital South.

Born on March 11, 1958, in Brooklyn, New York, she was the daughter of the late Catherine Tozzi and the late Thomas Tozzi. Kathy moved to the Rossville section of Staten Island in 1993 and has lived there since.

Kathy was the devoted wife to Jerry Tortorella. Loving mother to Jennifer Ricciardi and son-in-law John Ricciardi, and adoring nana to Adriana and Johnny Ricciardi.

A homemaker, Kathy was dedicated to her family. You would always find Kathy doing activities with her husband or at her daughter's house spending quality time with her grandchildren. Kathy was special and made a lasting impression on everyone throughout her entire life. Kathy would love to go out with family and friends, and you could always find her at the center of a dance floor. Kathy was vibrant, full of life, and always there when anyone needed her.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 21, 2022, at the John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, April 22, 2022 at St. Thomas The Apostle Church located at 6135 Amboy Rd Staten Island, New York 10309. Interment will follow in Oceanview Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

Cemetery Details

Oceanview Cemetery

3315 Amboy Rd
Staten Island, NY 10306

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 21. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

APR 21. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

APR 22. 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Thomas the Apostle Church
6135 Amboy Rd
Staten Island, NY 10309

Tribute Wall



“ *Kathleen A. Tortorella*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *Kathy would always be at the schoolyard with my mom at PS 163. They had wonderful times chatting while Jennifer and I were in school. Kathy always had a smile on her face and was a wonderful person to be around. Jennifer and Jerry were and always will be lovingly adored by her. -Allison xoxo*

Allison - April 21, 2022 at 06:36 PM



“ *Sending my condolences to my cousins Jerry Tortorella & Jennifer Ricciardi & family. Kathy was a wonderful lady, wife, mother & adoring Nana. My thoughts & prayers are with you at this sad time. Love, Joanne Ascitutto.*

Joanne Ascitutto - April 21, 2022 at 01:23 PM



“ *Kathy's Brother-In- Law lit a candle in memory of Kathleen A. Tortorella*



Kathy's Brother-In- Law - April 21, 2022 at 11:38 AM



May you R.I.P. dear Kathy. You will always be remembered and loved.

Kathy's Brother-In- Law - April 21, 2022 at 11:43 AM

KS

“ *Kathy's Sister lit a candle in memory of Kathleen A. Tortorella*



Kathy's Sister - April 21, 2022 at 10:47 AM

KS

I can't believe you are no longer with us. Life has its ups and downs. I always loved you Sis and I always will. You never were and will never be forgotten. R.I.P. 🥹💔

Kathy's Sister - April 21, 2022 at 11:03 AM

MA

“ *Love you dearly always!!! <3 I'll be missing you forever!*



Maritza - April 20, 2022 at 09:17 PM

CD

“ *Cynthia DeJesus purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



Cynthia DeJesus - April 20, 2022 at 11:29 AM

NC

“ *New Water Street Corp. purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



New Water Street Corp. - April 20, 2022 at 11:20 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



April 20, 2022 at 10:31 AM

AL

“ *Allison lit a candle in memory of Kathleen A. Tortorella*



Allison - April 20, 2022 at 10:29 AM

DA

“ *Dawnmarie lit a candle in memory of Kathleen A. Tortorella*



Dawnmarie - April 20, 2022 at 10:13 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



April 20, 2022 at 09:18 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



April 20, 2022 at 09:10 AM



“ *Maritza lit a candle in memory of Kathleen A. Tortorella*



Maritza - April 20, 2022 at 08:30 AM



“ *Tommy, Kayla and Maritza purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



Tommy, Kayla and Maritza - April 20, 2022 at 08:25 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



April 20, 2022 at 08:25 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



April 20, 2022 at 06:15 AM



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



April 19, 2022 at 10:43 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Kathleen A. Tortorella.*



April 19, 2022 at 06:06 PM