



Margaret Geraghty

November 2, 1936 - May 25, 2025

Margaret Geraghty passed into new life on May 25th. She was born November 2, 1936 in Brooklyn, the daughter of Denis Hennessy and Margaret Appel. She had an older brother, Tommy and was followed by her brother Bobby and sister Marilyn. She grew up in Great Kills, graduated from PS8 and Tottenville High School and had lots of fun working at Peggy's Bakery in the Village.

She became a secretary in "the City", and married Jim Geraghty in 1960. They had two children, Jim and Denis. While raising them as a single Mom, she worked part time and helped manage various restaurants with her father. Eventually, she became a School Secretary.

She retired in 2000 and in 25 years of retirement enjoyed seeing her 4 grandchildren grow up, Erin, Katie, Colleen (Ahara) and Shane. She also enjoyed cooking, especially baking, as well as crafting, reading and swimming at the College of Staten Island. Most recently she enjoyed seeing her great granddaughters born, Riley Ahara and just 2 weeks ago, Isla Ahara.

She is survived by her sister, Marilyn Zakaluzny; her son, Jim Geraghty and his wife, Eileen (nee Gallagher); her son Denis Geraghty; 4 Grand Children and 2 Great Grand Children.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at 10:00 AM on Wednesday at Holy Child Church located at 4747 Amboy Road Staten Island, New York 10312. Interment will follow in Ocean View Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Tuesday, May 27, 2025, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

Cemetery Details

Ocean View Cemetery

3315 Amboy Rd
Staten Island, NY 10306

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 27. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

MAY 28. 10:00 AM (ET)

Holy Child Church
4747 Amboy Rd
Staten Island, NY 10312

Tribute Wall



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



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - May 27, 2025 at 04:00 PM

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“ *From Stephen & Amanda Bronson and Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Margaret Geraghty.*



From Stephen & Amanda Bronson and Family - May 28, 2025 at 07:53 AM

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“ *From Stephen & Amanda Bronson and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Geraghty.*

From Stephen & Amanda Bronson and Family - May 28, 2025 at 07:53 AM



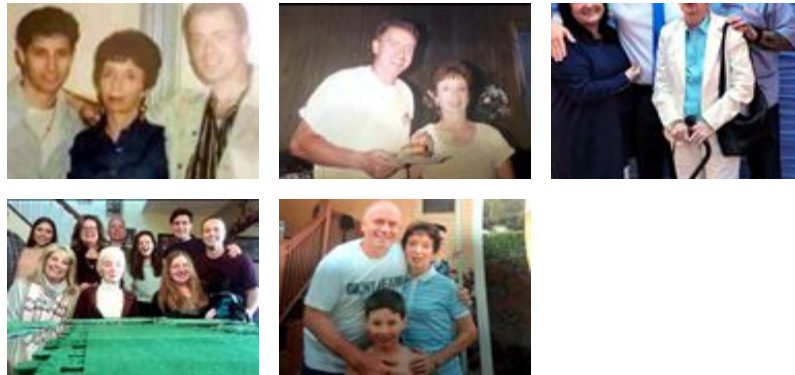
“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Margaret Geraghty.*



May 28, 2025 at 07:03 AM



“ *106 files added to the album LifeTributes*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - May 27, 2025 at 03:54 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Margaret Geraghty.*



May 27, 2025 at 01:28 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Geraghty.



May 27, 2025 at 08:35 AM



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

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“ Eugene & Elizabeth Pace purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Margaret Geraghty.



Eugene & Elizabeth Pace - May 27, 2025 at 01:12 AM



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