



Michael J. Ryan

June 12, 1933 - April 21, 2021

Michael J. Ryan, 87 of Staten Island passed away on Wednesday, April 21, 2021, at home surrounded by his loving family.

Born Monday, June 12, 1933 in Brooklyn, New York, he was the son of the late Matthew Ryan and Mary Cunnane Ryan. At 14, Michael moved from Brooklyn to Staten Island. On Staten Island, Michael attended and graduated from Tottenville High School. He proudly served in the United States Navy during the Korean War.

Michael worked for the New York City Department of Sanitation, where he was the Borough Superintendent. He later became the Director of Operations for the Staten Island Landfill.

Michael was an active member of the Knights of Columbus, Henry Stolzenhaller Council. He was also the past president of the Smith Woman's Softball League.

Michael loved Softball, playing until he was 65. He also umpired for many years before and after his playing days. He was also an avid fan of the New York Mets, Rangers and Giants.

Michael was the devoted husband of 62 years to Joanne Ryan. Loving father

Michael (Lauren), Kevin (Dominique), and Christopher (Erin). Cherished brother to John, Thomas, Maureen Martyka, Theresa Fogt, and the late Eileen Bungarz. Doting grandfather to Kevin, Jenna, Brendan, Patrick, Joelle, Christopher, Michael, Donna, Sarah, Hannah, Michael, Matthew, Daniel and the late Tyler. Beloved great grandfather to Lacey and Asher.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be at 11:15 AM on Monday at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church located at 5411 Amboy Road Staten Island, New York 10312. Interment will be in Resurrection Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Saturday, April 24, 2021, and Sunday, April 25, 2021 at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

Please be mindful that due to the current State mandate, masks must be worn at all times and social distancing will be required when in the funeral home. A strict 50 person room policy is in effect. Please adhere to this policy so as to allow others to pay their respects.

Due to current pandemic circumstances please note:

We do not accept deliveries from outside vendors for bakery products, fruit baskets and floral arrangements. Floral arrangements can be purchased from our in house floral designers who work under the most stringent and sanitary conditions which include, temperature checks, mask wearing, distancing and protective clothing. You can call 718-948-2016 and place your order.

We must protect the families we serve, our own families and our staff who operate the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrot Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10309

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **24**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

APR **25**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

APR **26**. 11:15 AM (ET)

Our Lady Star of the Sea Church
5411 Amboy Rd
Staten Island, NY 10312

Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael J. Ryan*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - April 24, 2021 at 12:56 PM



“ *Michael J. Ryan*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *May happy memories of days gone by sustain and comfort you in your time of loss and eventually bring a smile where tears now prevail.*

May he Rest In Peace.

Jennifer Abbott

Jennifer Abbott - April 28, 2021 at 03:08 PM



“ *Sorry to hear about Mike. Played softball against him when he was older and got to say he was still really good in his older days. He also umpired a lot of my games and was always fair. I work with his Brother Tom at pioneer who I also send my CONDOLENCES to. Rest in Peace Mike.*

Anthony Gatto - April 26, 2021 at 07:30 PM

GS

“ I will always remember our years as teammates playing for and at Reinhardt . Rest In Peace Mike .

Greg Scarangelo - April 25, 2021 at 08:50 AM

GS

Mike , you never said much , but you meant it .

Greg Scarangelo - April 26, 2021 at 09:23 PM

GG

“ Red and family so sorry for your loss.

Geri Geruso - April 25, 2021 at 08:39 AM



“ 118 files added to the album LifeTributes



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - April 24, 2021 at 12:53 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael J. Ryan.



April 23, 2021 at 05:08 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray* was purchased for the family of Michael J. Ryan.



April 23, 2021 at 04:52 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Michael J. Ryan.



April 23, 2021 at 02:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Michael J. Ryan.



April 23, 2021 at 01:22 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Michael J. Ryan.



April 23, 2021 at 11:53 AM

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“ Tom & Anne Marie Sullivan and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Michael J. Ryan.



Tom & Anne Marie Sullivan and family - April 23, 2021 at 10:11 AM

DS

“ 1 file added to the album *The Ryans*



Desmond Sheehan - April 23, 2021 at 09:19 AM

SS

“ Stephen, Christine, Brittany and Nicholas Sullivan purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Michael J. Ryan.



Stephen, Christine, Brittany and Nicholas Sullivan - April 22, 2021 at 10:36 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael J. Ryan.



April 22, 2021 at 09:08 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael J. Ryan.*



April 22, 2021 at 07:46 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Michael J. Ryan.*



April 22, 2021 at 07:24 PM



“ *Dear Joanne and family, So sorry for the loss of Mike who was such a devoted husband, dad and grandfather. He was an amazing guy and we loved him very much! Sending love and hugs to all. I'm sure he is at peace with God for a life well done! We will miss him. Love, Cousins Diane and Brian McMahon*



Diane McMahon - April 22, 2021 at 06:52 PM