



Paul J. Augusta

September 16, 1944 - January 21, 2024

Paul J. Augusta, born September 16, 1944, age 79, of Annadale Staten Island passed peacefully Sunday, January 20th, 2024 at 9:15 pm holding his beloved wife's hand.

Paul was born to Francis and Connie Augusta in Brooklyn. He enlisted in the Army at 18 and they saw so much potential in him that they made him an instructor. After being Honorably Discharged he went back to Brooklyn, where everyone knows everyone. Paul was blessed with three of the most amazing unconditional friends, Danny, Al and Ray. They would later come to be known as the "Bayridge Brooklyn Four". Paul, Danny and Al would pour their passion for music and their strong friendship into creating "The Camerons". Paul was the lead singer and guitarist, Danny played bass and vocals, and with Al behind the drums, they became the most sought after band in Brooklyn. They went on to rock Brooklyn for 25 wonderful years and along the way Ray was always there, as well as Bonnie (Danny's wife) and Diana (Al's wife).

Paul began working at Domino sugar, where he met several of his friends that would be a part of his life forever. He also met his friend Ricky (and his wife Peaches), who became a brother to him leading to a loving bond between the two families. He then went on to work at Conoco Phillips (Originally Bayway Refinery) in Linden, NJ, and made more, lifelong friends. Paul started as an Operator, ultimately becoming an Instructor and retiring in 2016.

During that time he met and married the love of his life, Theresa (Terry for those who knew her). Their's was a loving marriage that would last 52 and a half years. They built their house in Staten Island and they had two children, Michael and Pamela. Paul and Terry were blessed with two sets of grandchildren. John and Drake (Michael and Krista's sons) and Brooke and his namesake Paulie (Pamela and Brian's children).

Paul leaves behind his beloved wife, his adored children and his amazing grandchildren, as well as a multitude of family and friends he made along the way, too many to list here. He will be missed but never forgotten, always with us in spirit.

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

The family will receive friends from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM and 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Sunday, January 28, 2024, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Paul's memory may be made to the Church of the Holy Child for a Plaque in his memory.

Cemetery Details

Moravian Cemetery

2205 Richmond Road
Staten Island, NY 10306

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 28. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

JAN 28. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JAN 29. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Child Church
4747 Amboy Road
Staten Island, NY 10312

Tribute Wall



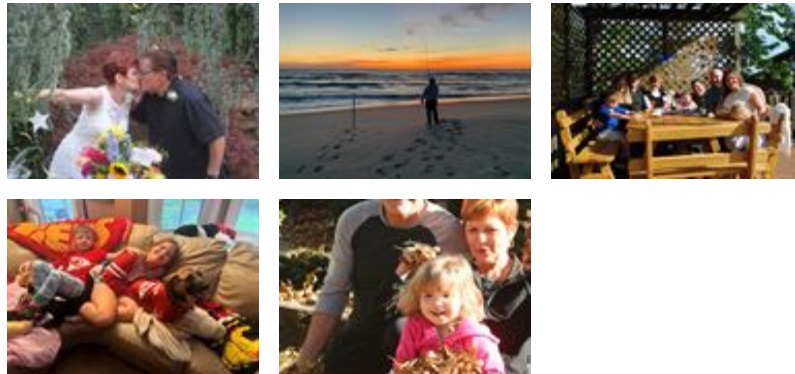
“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Paul J. Augusta*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - January 27, 2024 at 06:03 PM



“ *116 files added to the album Life Tributes*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - January 27, 2024 at 06:04 PM

DN

“ *Delight Foods, Jersey City, NJ planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul J. Augusta.*

Delight Foods, Jersey City, NJ - January 27, 2024 at 04:16 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Paul J. Augusta.*



January 27, 2024 at 04:16 PM



“ *Can't even count all of the good times we had, whether it be the softball games, the jam sessions (especially the Dying Cats lol), the many picnics & barbecues, the dinners, and more. We are grateful to have known such a kind, lively soul. Your generous spirit will always be remembered and these memories will forever be cherished. We send our deepest condolences to your family. Brian & Rosy W*

Brian & Rosy - January 25, 2024 at 06:39 PM



“ *Uncle, there isn't enough room on this page to let you know how much I loved you and all the amazing memories we shared. There wasn't a holiday or family event that you ever missed. I always knew my Uncle Paulie would be there with that infectious smile and loving hug. I miss watching the Rangers with you, hearing you sing, your story telling but most importantly your presence. There's a huge void in my heart but I will promise to always keep your memory alive. Enjoy your front row at MSG and hug Grandma and Grandpa for me.*

kim - January 24, 2024 at 06:48 PM

DM

“ I’m going to miss you Unc. I will never forget our times together. You with your seven dwarfs. You loved Grumpy. I’m going to miss playing the drums with u downstairs and swimming in the pool with u. All the times we spent hanging out in the backyard. I love you Uncle Paul. Rest peacefully! See u later.

Dorothy Mundsinger - January 24, 2024 at 12:30 PM

JS

“ What can I say about Paul? Paul was a happy man who took pride in all he did. Paul trained me when I got hired at Phillips 66 and remained a mentor to me until he retired. I am proud to have called him a friend. He loved to talk about his family and was so proud when he became a grandpa. Another pride of his was his hair. It was never out of place. My deepest sympathies to the whole Augusta family especially Terry. I know he will be greatly missed. God Bless you Paulie.

Joe Strunak - January 23, 2024 at 12:30 PM

PE

“ My dearest Paul how much it’s saddens me about your passing you left us broken hearted 💔 My condolences to Terri and her family and friends that love Paul . Great man we have great memories of us together and my girls calling you uncle Paulie .We are all going to miss you ☐☐🙏💙

peaches - January 23, 2024 at 11:13 AM

DE

“ So many memories of you, Uncle Pauly, are flooding my mind; from the random hair brush you brought me back from California to our being trampled by a basketball system on my driveway, all along laughing so hard it hurt! I can still hear your voice saying “goombah”, better yet, your telling me that you love me on your final day. I love you Uncle Paul, always have, always will. Our family, your friends and this world have lost such a great man. I hope the fishing is wonderful in Heaven and that you and Danny are singing up there along with the angels. “I can only imagine”. 💔

Dee - January 23, 2024 at 08:36 AM

LA

“ First, would like to extend my deepest condolences to Terry and his lovely family. Who was Paul Augusta? A soft spoken great Man with a heart of gold! A caring Husband, Father, Friend and Neighbor!! Every time Paul walked into the medical department at work he would have a great smile and was always in a good mood. We became friends so we shared our thoughts about our families and much more especially his music. Paul was a great musician and singer and he would write music too!! He was truly proud of his family and when he became a Grandfather , well, his heart was overwhelmed with love. I can go on and on!!! God needed another angel to help out with everything!! I'm sure he will be looking down keeping Terry and the family safe! It was more than a pleasure knowing Paul and he will never be forgotten! Rest In Peace my good friend and sing with the angels!! Your friend, Linda Aleixo.

Linda Aleixo - January 22, 2024 at 07:58 PM