



Robert J Vogt

October 28, 1947 - May 2, 2026

Robert Joseph Vogt, lovingly known as Bob, passed away on May 2, 2026, at the age of 78. Born on October 28, 1947, on Staten Island, he was the beloved son of Frank and Clementine (Puntillo) Vogt.

Bob was raised in the Oakwood neighborhood of Staten Island, where he formed a deep love for his community, the beach, and the simple joys of his childhood memories he carried with him throughout his life. He attended St. Patrick's Grammar School and graduated from New Dorp High School.

In 1967, Bob was drafted into the United States Army. He proudly served his country during the Vietnam War, rising to the rank of Sergeant. During his service, including time stationed at Camp Carroll, he was awarded a Medal of Commendation in recognition of his dedication and courage. He returned home in 1969.

Soon after his return, Bob met Regina Frances Siller who would become his partner in life for over five decades. They were married on November 6, 1971, and together they raised two sons, Robert Francis and Frank Joseph Vogt.

Bob went on to serve with distinction as an officer with the Port Authority Police Department of New York/New Jersey, where he was stationed at John F. Kennedy International Airport's Emergency Services. He was respected

for his integrity, strength, and commitment to protecting others.

A true craftsman at heart, Bob was a skilled carpenter and a natural "jack of all trades." He had a special passion for restoring classic cars, particularly Mustangs and Thunderbirds, and took great pride in bringing them back to life. His hands were rarely still, and his work reflected both his talent and his patience.

Bob was one of four siblings. He is survived by his loving brother Bill Vogt and his sister Nancy Kubelka, and was predeceased by his sister Dorothy Van Daley. He is also remembered fondly by his extended family, including many brothers- and sisters-in-law on both the Vogt and Siller sides, with whom he shared close and lasting bonds.

He was a proud and devoted grandfather to Katherine, Owen, Lir and Bodhin, who brought him immense joy and pride.

Bob will also be deeply missed by his many nieces and nephews, all of whom knew him as a kind, steady, and generous presence in their lives.

Above all, Bob will be remembered as a kind, loving, and strong man—someone who showed up for his family, worked hard, and lived with quiet dignity. His warmth, humor, and unwavering love will remain in the hearts of all who knew him.

He will be deeply missed and forever remembered.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Friday, May 8, 2026, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, May 9th, 11:00 a.m., at St Patrick's Church. Arrangements will include private cremation.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Robert's memory may be made to the Tunnel to Towers Foundation www.t2t.org

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.scaliahome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

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

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

Service

MAY 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Patricks Church
53 St. Patrick's Place
Staten Island, NY 10306

Tribute Wall



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

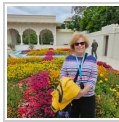


John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - May 07 at 12:34 PM

CM

So beautifully put together. Bobby will surely be missed. May he rest in eternal peace 💜

Cathy McGuire - May 08 at 12:32 PM



Condolences to Gina and Family. Pat Marshall

Patricia Marshall - May 10 at 08:19 PM

SF

“ *RIP my dear old friend (JFKIA). Steve Fox* 🙏🏻🙏🏻🙏🏻

Steve Fox - May 08 at 06:28 AM

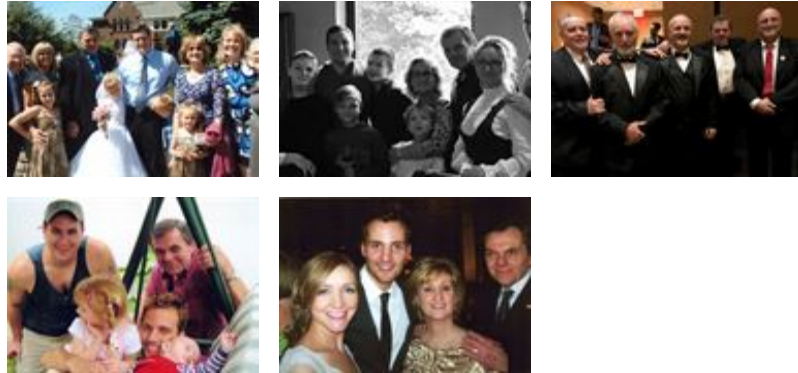
MM

“ *Gina and Family,
Sending love, hugs and condolence at this time. He will be sincerely missed. May he rest in eternal peace.
Marie & Joe Markowski*

Marie Markowski - May 07 at 04:25 PM



“ 129 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - May 07 at 12:19 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert J Vogt.*



May 07 at 09:06 AM



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

May 07 at 09:06 AM



“ *Frank Conti, Pres. Port Authority PBA purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Robert J Vogt.*



Frank Conti, Pres. Port Authority PBA - May 05 at 10:12 AM

TF

“ We will forever cherish the great times, all the celebrations, and the beautiful memories we shared together. You were truly family Bob, like a third grandfather to our girls. We feel so blessed to have had you in our lives. You will be so deeply missed.
Love always, The Favilla Family.



The Favilla Family - May 04 at 10:51 PM



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

May 04 at 02:02 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert J Vogt.



May 04 at 02:02 PM

JF

“ Joey My Joey The Guastavino Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert J Vogt.



Joey My Joey The Guastavino Family - May 04 at 11:15 AM

RV

“ Bob and I were friends in our teens. He lived on Lynn Street and I on Amherst. Bob loved his cars. For two years he would tinker on the car he couldn't drive until he was of driving age. I believe it was a Studebaker. We would drive up and down his small driveway until the day he got his license. Fond memories. May he rest in peace.
Ray Vomero

Ray Vomero - May 03 at 10:06 PM

MJ

Sincerest condolences to the Vogt Family. I grew-up in Oakwood, (but younger) ~ although had some remotely connection while consulting at the Port of Authority.

However, absolutely remember that Studebaker; if my memory serves me correctly, it was a Golden Hawk, and rather unique. Also thought he restored a 1958 Chevrolet Impala SuperSport (to perfection) that another local bought.

Mark Jones - May 05 at 09:35 PM

FF

We met Bob on a double date with Gina. We went to see the movie Diamonds are Forever. From that day on the four of us have remained very close friends for over 55 years. We both ended up marrying our dates and both celebrated our 50th plus Anniversary. Bob will be truly missed. He was a stand-up guy and fun to be around. He would do anything for anyone. Anyone who knew Bob knew he was a jack of all trades. Besides being a wonderful husband and provider for his family, he was also capable of building a house or a car or anything else that needed fixing. Bob is definitely going to be missed especially by his family. Besides being Gina's best friend, he was a loving father to his sons Rob and Frankie and his grandchildren adored him. Our hearts go out to his family, and we will keep them in our prayers during this very difficult time. Carol and Charlie Falco

Falco Family - May 08 at 02:34 PM