



## Rocco D. Viggiani

January 18, 1935 - February 26, 2023

Beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, Rocco D. Viggiani passed on Sunday morning, February 26th, 2023 after 88 years of life.

Rocco is survived by wife of 64 years of marriage, Josephine Viggiani (nee Coppa); daughters Roxanne Benemerito and Michele Visone; son in laws James Benemerito and Robert Iannariello; grandchildren James Benermerito, Alexandra DeNiro (nee Visone), Anthony Benemerito; and great granddaughter Samantha Benermerito.

He loved playing cards, trips to the casino, but most of all spending time with his family and friends who became his family. He was a true patriarch and will be deeply missed. He had a magnetic personality that made everyone love to just be with him, even for a short chat. He loved to tell stories of his past memories and his time in the army. His ability to laugh and smile no matter what challenges came his way made him a true example of the strength to all who knew him.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at 11:00 AM on Wednesday at St Clare Church located at 110 Nelson Ave Staten Island, New York 10308. Interment will follow in Resurrection Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM and 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Tuesday, February 28, 2023, at John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

Online condolences may be made to the family at [www.scaliahome.com](http://www.scaliahome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrott Ave  
Staten Island, NY 10309

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 28. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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

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FEB 28. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

MAR 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

St Clare Church  
110 Nelson Ave  
Staten Island, NY 10308



# Tribute Wall



“ *Rocco D. Viggiani*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Rocco D. Viggiani.*



February 28, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Rocco D. Viggiani.*



February 27, 2023 at 01:55 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Rocco D. Viggiani.*



February 27, 2023 at 02:37 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Rocco D. Viggiani.*



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February 26, 2023 at 09:21 PM



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February 26, 2023 at 08:53 PM