



Walter Meketen

July 21, 1943 - December 22, 2024

Walter Meketen was born July 21, 1943, in Williamsburg, Brooklyn to John and Tessie (Obuch) Meketen, who preceded him in death.

He married his childhood sweetheart, Theresa, in 1967, and they resided together in Staten Island since 1977.

He is a veteran of the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War, and he proudly served his country. After an honorable discharge, Walter pursued his career at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

After retiring, Walter spent his leisure time vacationing in New Jersey, Delaware, and Maryland. He was an avid traveler who enjoyed cruises. He was a champion handball player and a sports enthusiast his entire life. He also was fond of old movies, gardening, and spending time with family.

He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Theresa; nephews Anthony Damadeo,

Joseph Damadeo and his wife Michelle, Robert Damadeo and his wife Danielle,
Christopher Krzciuk, his wife Liz, and their family; nieces Katrina Milton and Jessica Krzciuk; cousin Linda Czub; and brother Michael, his wife Victoria, and their family.

Walter's selfless nature and unwavering commitment to helping others left a lasting impact. He was loved by all who knew him. He will be deeply missed, but never forgotten. May he rest in eternal peace in God's care.

Visitation will be from 2 to 6 p.m. Sunday, December 29, 2024 at John Vincent Scalia

Funeral Home, 28 Eltingville Blvd., Staten Island, NY 10312. Funeral Mass will be held

at 11 a.m. Monday, December 30, 2024 at Holy Child Roman Catholic Church, 4747

Amboy Rd., Staten Island, NY 10312, followed by interment at St.

Charles/Resurrection

Cemeteries, 2015 Wellwood Ave., Farmingdale, NY 11735.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Disabled American Veterans or St. Jude

Children's Research Hospital in Walter Meket's name.

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

Cemetery Details

St. Charles Cemetery

2015 Wellwood Avenue
Farmingdale, NY 11735

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **29**. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

DEC **30**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (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 Walter Meketen* ”



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - December 29, 2024 at 06:23 PM

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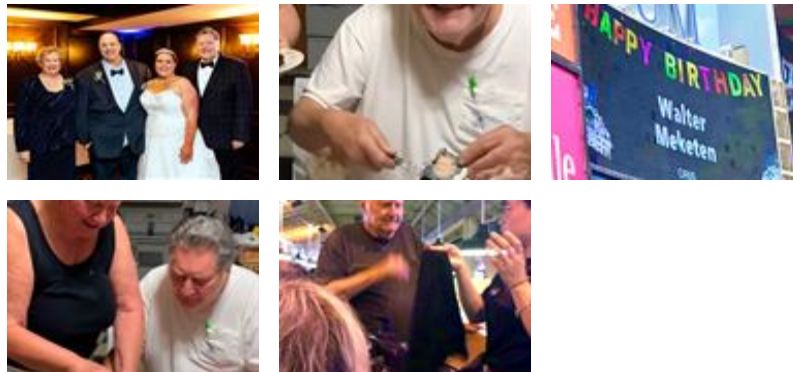
“ *Rich and Lori purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Walter Meketen.* ”



Rich and Lori - December 30, 2024 at 12:11 PM



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“ *Peter and Melanie Kolodziejczyk purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Walter Meketen.*



Peter and Melanie Kolodziejczyk - December 27, 2024 at
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