



## William Holtz

February 24, 1921 - January 12, 2017

William Holtz Sr. of Great Kills formerly of Bay Ridge passed away on Thursday morning at the age of 95 at Clove Lakes Health Care surrounded by his loving family.

William worked for Local 3 as a truck driver retiring in 1996. He proudly served in the US Army Air Force in WWII. He was a recipient of the Purple Heart and the Good Conduct Medal. William was shot down over the China Sea and survived for three weeks floating on an emergency raft. He was a proud member of the VFW.

In his leisure time he enjoyed crabbing, spending time with family and friends and taking an occasional trip to Atlantic City.

He was predeceased by his wife Eileen who passed away in 2009. He is survived by his son William Jr. and his wife Eileen, his daughters Maureen Kramaroff, Barbara Cafaro and her husband Phil, Nancy Strype and her husband Bobby, Cathy Esposito and Mary Ellen Holtz. He is also survived by his 10 grandchildren and his 12 great grandchildren.

A gathering of family and friends will take place on Friday from 2-5 & 7-9PM at the John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals, Inc. 28 Eltingville Blvd. A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Saturday 9 45AM at the St. Clare's Chapel. Interment will follow in Resurrection Cemetery.



# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

361 Sharrott Ave  
Staten Island, NY 10309

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 13. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

The John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals, Inc.  
28 Eltingville Blvd. (at Eltingville Station)  
Staten Island, NY 10312

## Visitation

JAN 13. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Staten Island, NY 10312

## Service

JAN 14. 9:45 AM (ET)

St. Clare Church  
110 Nelson Ave  
Staten Island, NY 10308



# Tribute Wall



“ *John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of William Holtz*



John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc. - January 12, 2017 at 05:20 PM

JM

*Wonderful tribute*

Jean McGowan - January 15, 2017 at 02:16 PM



“ *William Holtz*

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM

JM

“ *Maryellen, We are so sorry for you and your families loss. You will all be in our prayers. Karen, Joe, Liam, Shealyn and Reilly McNamara*

Joe McNamara - January 16, 2017 at 10:55 AM

MC

“ *Grandpa you'll be missed. Not just as my last grandparent but as the last of a generation of men who did their job without seeking credit and without complaint.*

Michael Cafaro - January 14, 2017 at 12:15 PM

DL

“ *Cathy, Bill & family, we are so sorry that we are unable to attend the services for your dad. Please know that you are in our thoughts & prayers.*

*With our love, Debbie & Larry*

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**deborah Di Lorenzo** - January 13, 2017 at 06:00 PM

MC

*Grandpa you'll be missed. Not just as my last grandparent but as the last of a generation of men who did their job without seeking credit and without complaint.*

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**Michael Cafaro** - January 14, 2017 at 12:06 PM

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“ *National Environmental Safety Company, Inc. purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of William Holtz.*



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**National Environmental Safety Company, Inc.** - January 13, 2017 at 11:59 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of William Holtz.*



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January 13, 2017 at 09:35 AM

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“ *Billy and Eileen! Marilyn and myself want to offer our deepest condolences to you both in the passing of Bills dad. He is in our thoughts and prayers*

*Love you both  
Charlie and Marilyn*

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**Charles Flynn** - January 13, 2017 at 07:22 AM



“ *America the Beautiful was purchased for the family of William Holtz.*



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January 12, 2017 at 08:51 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of William Holtz.*



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January 12, 2017 at 07:02 PM



“ 59 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals Inc.** - January 12, 2017 at 05:16 PM