



## William C. Nielsen

January 12, 1928 - June 11, 2016

William C. Nielsen, 88 of Staten Island, New York passed away on Saturday, June 11, 2016, at his home in Eltingville.

Born Thursday, January 12, 1928 in Brooklyn, New York, he was the son of the late Christian and Ellen Nielsen.

He served as a PFC Paratrooper in the Army from 1946 until 1947. William was a graduate of Fordham University on a Football Scholarship. Following graduation he began his career at the Maxwell House Coffee Plant where he worked until his retirement. Upon his retirement he found great enjoyment in his backyard garden. His garden was his true passion over the years.

William was the beloved husband to his late wife Dorothy who passed in 2014. He was a loving father to his daughter Lilia Salhany and his late son Thomas Christian who passed in 1978. William was the cherished grandfather to his grandchildren Samantha and Christopher.

A Funeral Service will be held at the John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals on Tuesday, June 14, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. Interment to follow in Ocean View Cemetery, Staten Island, NY.

A gathering of Family and Friends will take place on Tuesday morning from 9-

11 a.m.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Ocean View Cemetery

3315 Amboy Rd  
Staten Island, NY 10306

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 14. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

## Service

JUN 14. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *William C. Nielsen*

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