



Roger D. Rossi

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Roger D. Rossi, 81, of Stafford Springs, CT, passed away on Sunday, September 5, 2021 in the comfort of his home surrounded by his family. He was born in Stafford Springs, CT, son of the late Frank and Edna (Casagrande) Rossi. Roger was a graduate of Windham Technical High School, and retired as the owner of Baker's Country Furniture after 40 years. He was a proud Trustee at Stafford Savings Bank, and past president of the Stafford Rotary Club. A loving husband, father, and grandfather, Roger is survived by his wife of 62 years, Patricia (D'Amico) Rossi; four children, John Rossi and his wife Patricia, Paul Rossi and his wife Tami, Peter Rossi and his wife Tracy, and Lee Ann Brothers and her husband Jerry; grandchildren, Tim Rossi and his wife Mel, Eric Rossi, Ryan Rossi and his wife Ally, Nathan Rossi, Jenna McDuffee and her husband Shawn, Alexa Rossi, Jason Rossi, Justin Rossi and his wife Patti, Shelby Owens and her husband Blake, Skye Webb, Marita Jacobsen and her husband Tom, Patrick Brothers, and Papa's beloved, Ellie Brothers; 12 beautiful great grandchildren; two sisters, Lois Murray and Barbara Pierolo; several nieces and nephews; and all his Mill Pond friends he so enjoyed many mornings with. Calling hours will be held on Friday, September 10, 2021 from 9:00-11:00 A.M., with a funeral service to take place at 11:00 A.M., at Introvigne Funeral Home, Inc., 51 East Main St., Stafford Springs, CT. Burial will be held privately. Memorial donations may be made to Masonicare, 77 Hartland St., Suite 400, East Hartford, CT 06108. To leave a condolence online for the family, or for directions, please visit:

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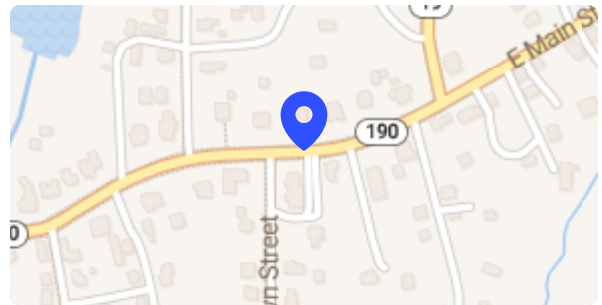
Visitation

-  **Friday**, September 10, 2021
-  9:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
-  **Introvigne Funeral Home, Inc.**
51 East Main St., Stafford Springs CT 06076



Service

-  **Friday**, September 10, 2021
-  11:00 AM ET
-  **Introvigne Funeral Home, Inc.**
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Tribute Wall

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MM

Mitchell Muzio lit a candle in honor of Roger.

My sincere condolences to Patti and the Rossi family.

October 4 at 6:13 PM



TT

Todd Tetrault posted:

Sorry for the loss to the entire Rossi family. Roger was like a father to me. He provided job opportunities to me as a teenager washing his cars and working at Bakers. I will never forget the graciousness Roger extended to me and the life lessons I learned from him.

September 17 at 6:58 PM

SB

Steve Belliveau posted:

So sorry for your loss, Rodge was a great guy! Always seemed to be in a good mood whenever I saw him. I know he will be missed.

September 14 at 5:22 AM

MA

Martha posted:

Myself and Roger always loved each others company during holiday season gatherings. his cooking was always top notch and had the entire family all together. loved life to the fullest !! I've missed being able to spend time with him. no matter what love him lots may he rest in peace and hope his family can feel their hearts heal over time ps now he's hanging out with my dad fran w/his bottle of Irish whisky lol hope thats not inappropriate

September 13 at 12:48 PM

JM

Jackie Morse posted:

Patti and all of the Rossi family. I just heard of Roger's passing as I haven't lived in Stafford for over 20 years. I have memories of Roger as a friendly, helpful, happy man who had a wonderful smile and laugh. I'm so sorry for your loss and may God be with you. 🙏 Jackie (Hartenstein) Morse

September 12 at 6:43 PM



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LD

Lorraine Dugan posted:

Dear Pat & Rossi family! So sorry for your loss! You are in my thoughts & prayers!

September 11 at 6:10 AM

LG

Lori & Steve Gianantoni lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 10 at 12:03 PM

DB

Dianna B Blanchard September 12 at 1:56 PM

My deepest condolences to the Rossi family. Roger always had a smile for everyone he met and was a happy warm person. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Dianna B Blanchard and the Bruzzi family

AB

Al Bassett September 11 at 6:06 AM

Rest in peace Roger

AB

Al Bassett September 11 at 6:05 AM

Rest in peace Roger

TG

Teri Sullivan Galica posted:

My deepest sympathies to the family. Mr. Rossi was a generous soul. He was always so nice and greeted everyone warmly anytime we saw him. My God hold him in the palm of his hand.

September 10 at 11:32 AM

NW

Norene Whiteley posted:

Dear Pat and family, so sorry for your loss. I read the obituary too late to attend the service. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. May you find peace and strength in the days ahead through the love and caring of family and friends. Norene Whiteley

September 10 at 10:45 AM



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DB

Donna Brothers lit a candle in honor of Roger.

So very sorry for your loss.. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.Slick and Donna

September 10 at 8:20 AM



JH

Jackie Hughes lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 10 at 3:51 AM



BM

Billy & Wendy McCloskey lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Rossi Family at this sad time! May your wonderful memories bring you some comfort!Love Billy, Wendy McCloskey & Family

September 9 at 4:53 PM



TF

The Hornak Family posted:

Dear Rossi Families-The head of your homes taught us all how to live life: with a beautiful smile and laugh; generous spirit; joyous presence and knowing that family comes first and the rest takes care of itself. We will always remember how welcoming Mr. Rossi --"Uncle Roger" made us all feel. We pray for him and for your peace. Blessings.Dina and Chris

September 9 at 4:00 PM

SU

Sharon Uhlman posted:

My deepest condolences to all of you for your enormous loss. Roger was such a sweet man whose smile would light up a room. His kindness will be remembered by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. My prayers are with you all.

September 9 at 4:56 AM

KP

Kimberly Post posted:

Rossi family,We send our deepest sympathy.Kim & Ken Post

September 9 at 4:52 AM



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YF

Your Mill Pond Store Family! <3 sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Rossi family.

September 9 at 4:51 AM



JC

John & Carol lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Dear Rossi Family, Sending deepest, heartfelt condolences for the loss of your Dearest Roger. Sincerely, the Killoran Family

September 8 at 6:56 PM



DS

Dan Sarkisian posted:

To the family of raja Rossi my deepest sympathies

September 8 at 5:46 PM

PS

Phyllis Sarkisian lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 8 at 5:43 PM



PB

Penny Bacchiochi lit a candle in honor of Roger.

I am grateful to have known Roger my entire life, as he was someone who always made you feel welcome and comfortable in his presence. My first memory of Roger is of him playing cards with my Dad, around the kitchen table. There were so many stories of their antics over the years - and I think they had a Lot of Fun. But he is also part of a hardworking generation that can never be replaced or forgotten. Please say hello to your friend Bucky, he will have open arms for you. God Bless all of the Rossi family during this difficult time. Sending prayers.

September 8 at 3:20 PM





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Anonymous sent a Joyful Memory to the Rossi family.

September 8 at 2:55 PM



Stephen & Tammy Waddock lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 8 at 2:07 PM



Stephen, Tammy & Alexa lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 8 at 2:06 PM



Pat Fabrycki posted:

I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Roger. I worked at Stafford Savings Bank and he was always very happy and kind. My condolences to his family and friends.

September 8 at 1:37 PM



Bill Burkey posted:

John,Patti & Rossi Family, Our hearts are saddened by your loss ,our deepest condolences. Roger was loved and respected by so many, God truly blessed you as a family with such a loving husband father and friend. He will certainly be missed by his many friends, the town of Stafford lost a local son that truly made a positive impact for our community. God blessBill & Char Burkey

September 8 at 12:53 PM



Denise Reynolds Corcoran lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 8 at 11:37 AM





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Debbie Alberts posted:

Patty and family, I am so saddened to hear about the passing of your Roger. My condolences to you all. His huge smile and infectious spirit will never be forgotten. I have many fond memories of good times! May he fly high with the best of them.

September 8 at 8:54 AM



Linda Lanz September 10 at 3:27 AM

Thoughts and prayers are with you all. Uncle Roger was such a nice man and he will be missed.



Debbie Alberts September 8 at 8:59 AM



Anonymous sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Rossi family.



September 8 at 7:57 AM



Nancy Richens lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 8 at 7:56 AM



Anonymous sent an Enchanted Cottage to the Rossi family.



September 8 at 7:44 AM



Dickie And Lynn Pisciotta lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 8 at 7:41 AM



Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Rossi family.



September 8 at 7:12 AM



Eileen Vibberts posted:

We are so sorry to the family of Roger. We are thankful we got to visit him a few weeks ago. He will be missed by all. God bless Russ and Eileen Vibberts

September 8 at 6:36 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Rossi family.



September 8 at 5:07 AM



Anonymous sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Rossi family.



September 8 at 5:06 AM



Mandy Fisher posted:

Our thoughts are with the entire family on your loss. Wishing you all peace. -Mandy and Gail

September 8 at 2:34 AM



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John Abd Sandy (Baxter) Emhoff lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 7 at 7:11 PM



John Abd Sandy (Baxter) Emhoff September 7 at 7:15 PM

Patti and family, Sandy remembers when you got married, such a beautiful couple, who obviously had a special family. Roger had such a charismatic personality, the both of you had contagious smiles. Thoughts and prayers are with you. Such beautiful memories you have made together.



Francis & Nancy Tetrault lit a candle in honor of Roger.

To Roger's family We are so very sorry to hear about Rogers passing. He was such a kind man with a big heart. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. Rest in Peace Roger you will be missed. Francis and Nancy Tetrault



September 7 at 5:55 PM



Debbie And Gary Carter lit a candle in honor of Roger.

To The Family Of Roger Rossi.....So sorry for your loss.....Thinking of all of you at this difficult time.



September 7 at 5:03 PM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Rossi family.



September 7 at 4:49 PM



Angie Hunziker posted:

My thoughts have been with you for many days. God bless you patti my heart goes out to you ❤️🙏

September 7 at 4:35 PM



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Anonymous sent a Basket of Memories to the Rossi family.



September 7 at 4:18 PM



Terry Palardy Jakobsen posted:

So very sorry to hear of Roger's passing. He was very nice man with a wonderful family. An icon in our little town. Terry Jakobsen

September 7 at 3:19 PM



Cynthia Wallach-Janiak posted:

Our condolences are sent to the family and friends of Roger. He will be missed by all who knew him. Roger was a great contribution to the town of Stafford, always a kind word and smile for everyone. The morning coffee club at Millpond has lost another member. Our sympathy and thoughts are with all of you during this difficult time. Tony and Cindy Wallach-Janiak

September 7 at 3:09 PM



Sheri Henderson posted:

I will miss seeing Roger's smiling face every day at Mill Pond Country Store! He was so sweet and always called me "kid". I could tell he was incredibly loved by his family and seemed to be like he was the best Grandpa ever! I know that all the boys in the coffee club are missing him very much! We are thinking of all of you during this difficult time!

September 7 at 2:26 PM



Bryan & Leigh Mandak Maxa lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 7 at 1:02 PM



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BM

Bryan And Leigh Mandak Maxa posted:

Our deepest sympathies to all of Roger's family. He was an amazing, loving, kind man who always had a smile on his face and a warm welcome when visiting his furniture store or meeting him in passing somewhere in Stafford. May knowing he is now in the loving arms of our Lord and Savior bring you comfort and peace during this most difficult time. Bryan and Leigh (Mandak) Maxa

September 7 at 1:01 PM

EN

Ed Nelson sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Rossi family.



September 7 at 12:36 PM

BL

Bette Lucey posted:

Patti and family. I am so sorry to hear of Roger's passing. I have many fond memories of Roger and what a nice guy he was. My condolences to all the family. May he rest in peace.

September 7 at 12:18 PM

EN

Ed Nelson lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 7 at 12:13 PM

EN **Ed Nelson** September 7 at 12:20 PM

It was an honor to know you. You always had a smile on your face and always a kind word to say. You will always be in my prayers. May God Bless you and keep you close.

LG

Lynn Godin lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 7 at 11:13 AM



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Karen And Bill Michaud lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Sending my heartfelt condolences to the whole family on the passing of your Husband, Father and Grandfather! Rest In Peace dear sir ❤️

September 7 at 11:00 AM



Walter & Mary Smith posted:

What do you say that can describe a life that was perfection, but I will try. Roger was the most generous, kind, respectful and most important loving family man. A friend who would give you anything at anytime to help you in a time if need. His laughter was infectious, and his smile brightened everyone's day. When all is said and done, he was what God wants all of us to be when he places on this earth. Godspeed Roger you were an exquisite man. Your Family, Your Friends, and Stafford again has lost a Giant. Much Love Mary and Walter Smith

September 7 at 10:16 AM



Joan Mitta lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 7 at 9:34 AM



Joan Mitta September 7 at 9:35 AM

John & Patty...Lar and I are so very sorry for your loss. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.



Barry Moynihan posted:

I am saddened to hear of your loss. Please no how very sorry I am. He was a great brother-in-law, and friend

September 7 at 9:32 AM



Robert Sears posted:

Sorry To Hear of Roger's Passing. Roger Was Always a Blessing in Helping ,My Family ,Encouraging,ETC . Roger Was Truly a Land Mark in Stafford. Will be Greatly MISSED.

September 7 at 8:55 AM



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Anonymous sent a Finest Farewell Spray to the Rossi family.



September 7 at 8:26 AM



Joyce Murray posted:

Patty and family, Lois, Barbara So many happy memories with Roger I especially remember Roger trying to teach us Briscolla card game. I laughed so hard. Lots of fun. He will surely be missed.

September 7 at 7:47 AM



Dino Frassinelli lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Sorry for the loss of the family, Dino frassinelli!



September 7 at 7:15 AM



Sheryl Miller lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Wayne & Sheryl Miller



September 7 at 6:53 AM



Joanne posted:

So sorry to hear of Roger's passing, Lois. I'll always remember that flashy blue convertible with the loud muffler going by the house. Joanne Panciera Mitchell

September 7 at 6:24 AM



Liz Francini lit a candle in honor of Roger.

My sincere condolences to the Rossi family. I remember our families were close when we were young & we always had such fun. Roger always had a smile & great laugh. He will be missed. Your family is in my thoughts & prayers 🙏



September 7 at 6:20 AM



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GH

Gary And Carolyn Hebert lit a candle in honor of Roger.

PEACE BE WITH YOU

September 7 at 5:21 AM



JM

Jill Moulton posted:

I am so sorry to hear of Mr. Rossi's passing. He was larger than life with a smile to match. He was such a wonderful man. My sincerest condolences to the entire Rossi family. Thinking of you all.

September 7 at 4:54 AM

BF

Barbara And Gordon Frassinelli posted:

To Roger's family, So sad to hear of Roger's passing he was such a big part of Stafford's business life and such a light when visiting his furniture store, helpful and knowledgeable about each persons purchase. He always took a personal interest in your investment and helped choose just the right item. A great smile always whenever he greeted you. He will surely be missed.....Our prayers go out to his large and loving family. Sincerely, Gordon and Barb Fraz

September 7 at 4:50 AM

CF

Carole Frassinelli posted:

Patty and family, Lois and Barbara - I am so sorry for your loss. I have many fond memories of growing up on Park Street and all the time we spent together. More recently, and for which I am so thankful for, is the wonderful meals Roger prepared while Lois was visiting from Florida and was kind enough to intertain my sister and myself as well. He surely will be missed.

September 7 at 4:30 AM

SF **Susan Frassinelli** September 7 at 6:18 AM

My heart aches for all of you. I am so sorry for your loss. May you find some comfort in your fond memories of Roger.

LP

Lynnet And Scott Pierce lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 7 at 4:20 AM





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Lynnet And Scott Pierce posted:

Scott and I are so sorry to hear about Rogers passing he was truly one of Stafford's greats! When we would run into him he loved to talk about food ,salami and family! When we think of him it will always bring a smile to our faces! He will be missed...God Bless and may you all take comfort in how much he was loved by all!!

September 7 at 4:19 AM



Joann And Michael Milikowski lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 7 at 4:18 AM



Tony Ostrowski posted:

To the Rossi family I am so very sorry to hear of your loss. Roger was the best! He had a million dollar smile backed up by that million dollar personality. If you were having a bad day just run into Roger and he would turn your bad day into a great day. Roger was a very kind, generous and caring individual who treated everyone with respect " one of Stafford's finest!" Rest In Peace Roger you certainly deserve it. Tony Ostrowski

September 7 at 4:18 AM



Debbie Dadalt lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 7 at 3:40 AM

DD **Debbie Dadalt** September 7 at 3:46 AM

So sorry to hear about Roger he was such a nice person to talk to . We had many talks about food and Family and about Sunday morning breakfasts with his family.



Ken Mcquaid lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 7 at 3:30 AM



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RB

Rick And Linda Baker lit a candle in honor of Roger.

So sorry to hear of Roger's passing. Rick and I send our heartfelt condolences to all of his family and friends. Roger was a kind and wonderful soul. He will be truly missed. May He Rest in Peace.

September 7 at 1:26 AM



BW

Beth Waugh lit a candle in honor of Roger.

To the family and friends of Roger I'm so very sorry to hear the passing of such wonderful guy. Roger always had such a kind heart and treated everyone with such kindness and respect. I always liked him .and his smile. I'm saddened he is no longer with us .May He Rest In Peace 🙏❤️

September 6 at 5:00 PM



MO

Mark Ostrowski lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 6 at 2:13 PM



LE

Lisa Greene Everett lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 6 at 1:54 PM



LE

Lisa Greene Everett posted:

To the Rossi family, I am so sorry for your loss. Roger was a great guy. Always kind to us when we saw him at the store or around town. I always liked his laugh. He will be missed by everyone who knew him. Stafford lost another great Icon. May he rest in peace. God bless.

September 6 at 1:53 PM



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ND

Nancy Ducharme posted:

I'm so sorry to hear of Roger's passing. He was my neighbor when I was very young and living on Furnace Ave. Honestly, you couldn't have met a nicer guy. He was always smiling and happy, and I had such a crush on him because he was so handsome! I moved away when I got married but any time I saw him he was still the same, fun-loving guy that I remembered from my childhood. My sincere condolences to the entire family - you are in my thoughts and prayers.

September 6 at 1:42 PM

ND

Nancy Ducharme lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 6 at 1:33 PM

DD

Donna Doyker posted:

More like a brother than brother in law, Roger always had a way of making people feel important and loved. From coming to Worcester to pick me up in the wee hours of the morning because my VW stopped running to hosting Sunday morning brunches he was always there for family. He will be missed! As Maya Angelou said...people will forget what you said and what you did, but they will never forget how you made them feel. We love you Rog

September 6 at 1:25 PM

KA

Kay M. Warren, Ashford lit a candle in honor of Roger.

To the Rossi family. My sympathies to you all in the loss of Roger. We had many business dealings with Roger in the past years. He always had a smile whenever I came across him in a store and kind words were always his way. I know he will be missed.



September 6 at 12:49 PM

KB

Kathy And Ron Burke lit a candle in honor of Roger.



September 6 at 12:45 PM



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AT

Ann Thon lit a candle in honor of Roger.

The footprint you left in Stafford will never be forgotten. Thank you for being in our life. You truly were a remarkable man who shared your lovinfg/caring manner with everyone you touched.All our love Joe,Ann and Dan Thon

September 6 at 12:40 PM



TS

Tina Spallacci lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Sending love and hugs to the entire Rossi family.

September 6 at 11:35 AM



FG

Fern Greene posted:

Patti and family, so sorry for your loss ,have great memories of Roger,he will be missed by many .

September 6 at 11:21 AM

FG

Fern Greene lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 6 at 11:08 AM



CK

Colleen Vaughn-Kuehl posted:

To the Rossi Family,We are thinking of you all and sending our love. We have so many wonderful memories of Roger. He will be dearly missed.- Ray Kuehl & Colleen Vaughn-Kuehl

September 6 at 10:51 AM

JG

Judy Chaplin Geary lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 6 at 10:32 AM





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SA

Stafford Dental Associates Llc lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 6 at 10:26 AM



RM

Roberta W Mckinney lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 6 at 10:11 AM



DN

Donna Niewinski posted:

To The Family Of Roger Rossi.....So sorry for your loss.....Thinking of all of you at this difficult time ❤️

September 6 at 9:56 AM

RL

Ronald & Alva Lamothe posted:

Dear Lois, So sorry to hear of Roger's passing. We send along our thoughts & prayers to you. Please remember us to your family, as well.Ron & Alva (Panciera) LamotheKill Devil Hills, NC.

September 6 at 9:43 AM

PF

Peter A Ference lit a candle in honor of Roger.

September 6 at 9:12 AM



BT

Bill Titone lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Patti and Family,Marilyn and I are so sorry the hear the news of Roger's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.Bill & Marilyn Titone

September 6 at 9:06 AM





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Wayne Wohllebe lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Pat,John,Paul Peter,andLee Ann My deepesy sympathy on the Loss of Roger,A great family man, A great buisness man A great friend. A pillar of our community MAY HE REST IN PEACE,AND MAY GOD BLESS HIM. Wayne and Madeline Wohllebe

September 6 at 8:56 AM



Roger Dalpian lit a candle in honor of Roger.

Patti and Family : Beverly and I give our Condolence to you and your family in your loss. Our prayers are with you.Roger and Beverly DalPian

September 6 at 8:22 AM



Donna And Gene Panciera September 12 at 3:16 AM

Patti, Peter, Paul, John, and Lee Ann, We send our deepest condolences to to each of you on the passing of your beloved husband, and father. Roger had special impact on everyone who knew him . Keeping old Italian traditions and the importance of family and friends was always part of Roger's personality. His warm welcoming if we shopped at his store , or visited his home was always present. May he rest in peace wrapped in the arms of our Lord in Heaven. until you meet again.



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Roger by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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