



Carmelo Briguglia

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Carmelo Briguglia, 65, of Syracuse passed away on Thursday at St. Joseph's Hospital surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Rosarno, Italy and served with the Italian Army. Carmelo moved to Syracuse in 1967 and was employed as a Bricklayer and Ceramic Tile Specialist and was a member of the Bricklayers Union. Carmelo was a devoted husband, father and grandfather and came from Italy to give his family the American dream and worked very hard all of his life to accomplish this. He was a communicant of Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter Church and was devoted to Padre Pio. He made homemade wine, loved watching soccer and loved his best friend, "Gino" his little companion. Carmelo wore his heart on his sleeve and was a friend to all who knew him. He was predeceased by his parents, Vincenzo and Trieste Briguglia; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Emilio and Giuseppina Chirico; brother, Nino Briguglia, 3 brothers-in-law, Vincenzo Spezzano, Francesco Porretta and Nicola Massaro and sister-in-law, Rosemary Chirico. Carmelo is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Angela (Chirico) Briguglia; 2 sons, Vincent (Richelle Nesci) Briguglia and Roberto (Tracy Tassone) Briguglia, both of Liverpool; 3 grandchildren, Alexandria, Olivia and Luca Carmelo; brothers and sisters, Nunziato (Rosina) Briguglia, Maria Porretta and Giovanni Briguglia, all of Italy; brothers and sisters-in-law, Maria Briguglia of Florida, Carmelo (Antoinette) Chirico of Syracuse, Caterina Spezzano of Ontario, Giovanna Chirico-Massarò of Italy, Vincent (Robin) Chirico of Liverpool and Dominick Chirico of Liverpool; cousin and caregiver, Patricia Nappi-Dery of Syracuse and several nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 8:00 AM in the THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME, 3401 Vickery Rd. (corner of Buckley Rd.) North Syracuse, NY and 9:00 AM in Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter Church, Rev. Paul Angelicchio will be officiating. Entombment will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery Mausoleum. Family and friends may call at the funeral home on Monday from 4 to 8



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PM. Carmelo's family wishes to express a special "Thank You" to Dr. Russell Silverman, Dr. Louis Bonavita and Dr. Nasir Ghaly and their staff for all their special care, also many thanks to all of Carmelo's relatives who made it possible for him to come from Italy.




Events


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Visitation


 **Monday**, May 9, 2011


 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET


 **Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home**
3401 Vickery Rd, Syracuse NY 13212



Service


 **Tuesday**, May 10, 2011


 8:00 AM ET


 **Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home**
3401 Vickery Rd, Syracuse NY 13212

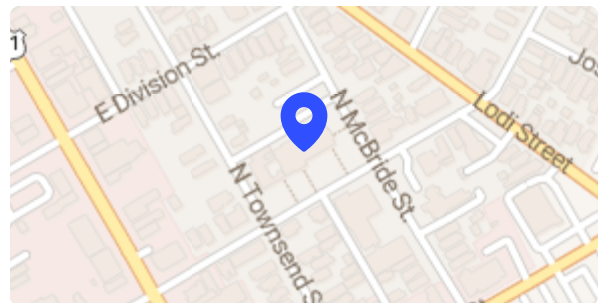


Funeral Mass

 **Tuesday**, May 10, 2011

 9:00 AM ET

 **Our Lady of Pompei - St. Peter Church**
301 Ash St., Syracuse NY 13208





Tribute Wall

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Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home shared a **Tribute Video**.

May 4 at 8:00 PM



Patricia A Nappi sent a virtual gift in honor of Carmelo.

Can not believe its been five years already ,You are so missed I hope you are drinking wine smoking your cigarette and eating roasted hazelnuts and my my is their with you enjoying your company as she always did .May you rest in peace till we meet agian my cousin my friend God bless Patty and Tom and Tommy

May 5 at 10:54 AM



Patricia Nappi sent a virtual gift in honor of Carmelo.

Dear cousin Carmelo ,hope your birthday in heaven today is great I know your smoking and drinking your wine hope your eating fresh figs enjoying know pain and know pills,hope your family by your side hope you see my mom and family and they are helping you celebrate your are so missed by me and my son Tommy and Tom you could always make me laugh and feel good I know Angela and your family miss you also may you be alright in heaven with all God bless your cousin Patty ,Tom and Tommy

July 15 at 8:17 PM



Patricia Nappi sent a virtual gift in honor of Carmelo.

Dear Carmen today you little buddy will come to you to be with you forever Gino Briguglia one great little dog who help you threw your sickness is happy in heaven following you all around .I know your feeding him peanuts and Kate made him a bed to sleep in god bless you all love Patty and family

March 13 at 11:42 AM



Alexandra Briguglia posted:

"If heaven wasn't so far away" I think of you every single day Nonno! It still isn't real to me that i'm going to have a birthday and not get a call from you...or have you there at the head of the table for all the holiday's..I'll always remember the memories we made through the years, and cherish all the moments we had together!!!! LOVE YOU FOREVER AND ALWAYS

August 25 at 1:33 PM



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AL

Alexandra posted:

Happy Birthday Nonno! I'm coming to visit you today, i have a card for you like every year. I hope you like it. Miss you soooooo much, and love you more than anything! Love you're granddaughter, Alexandra

July 15 at 8:18 PM

AB

Alexandra Briguglia posted:

2 months today...We miss you soooo much Nonno! It's not the same without you :(

July 5 at 4:51 PM

AL

Alexandra shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Dear Nonno, I miss you more and more everyday. You are always on my mind, and I think about you all the time. You were one of the biggest insporations in my life, and you walked me through a lot of tough times, as you did the same for many others. I'll never forget everything you tought me! Like that one time I was spending the night with you and Nonna, and I had a really bad headache, and you went inside for a minute, and came out with a wet rag, and a sliced potato, and put it around my head. I didn't believe it, but it worked!! That is something i'll keep with me FOREVER!!! I also remember when I would come over and you would say "Alesandrina, can you do me a favor? Can't you go fix the clocks for me?" And I always will fix your clocks for you nonno. This is so hard for me, but im staying strong for you because I know you would want me too. I'll never say goodbye too you, but i'll say see you soonYour granddaughter Alesandrina



June 15 at 4:15 AM

AB

Alexandra Briguglia posted:

Miss you nonno :(

June 7 at 5:08 PM



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PN

Patricia Nappi sent a virtual gift in honor of Carmelo.

Dear Carmelo it has been a month it seems like yesterday that i was bring you to the hospital I hope you are in heaven with know pain AND WITH YOUR FAMILY THEIR IS NOT A DAY OR NIGHT THAT I DO NOT THING OF YOU ,ANGELA AND GINO ARE DOING THE BEST THEY CAN WITHOUT YOU AND EVERYONE IS MISSING YOU I PRAY TO GOD TO HELP EVERYONE AND MYSELF WITH THE PAIN OF YOUR LOSS I WILL NEVER FORGET YOU GOD HELP ALL OF US YOUR COUSIN

June 5 at 4:12 PM

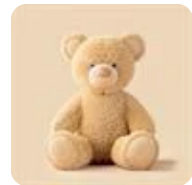


KN

Kathyren Nappi sent a virtual gift in honor of Carmelo.

DEAR ,COUSIN ANGELA AND FAMILY ,CARMEN WAS THE BEST I LOVED HIM VERY MUCH AND HOPE HE IS HOLDING MY SPOT IN HEAVEN YOU ARE LIKE A DAUGHTER TO ME YOU HAVE A PLACE IN MY HEART ALWAYS AND IN MY HOME ALWAYS YOU ARE LIKE GOLD CARMEN TOLD ME ALWAYS THAT. LOVE YOU ALL COUSIN KATE NAPPI

May 15 at 6:11 PM



DC

Dntompat@Aol.Com lit a candle in honor of Carmelo.

I HAVE KNOW WORDS TO SAY BUT THAT CARMEN WAS A WONDERFUL MAN AND A GREAT COUSIN TO ME ALL WE WENT THROUGH TOGETHER I WILL NEVER FORGET HE IS IN MY MIND AND HEART ALWAYS WE TRYED SO HARD TO KEEP YOU WITH US BUT YOU WERE TRIED OF ALL THE NEEDLES AND PAIN SO GOD HEARD YOU AND TOOK YOU HOME FREE OF PAIN BUT YOU LEFT US WITH SO MANY UN ANSWERED RESON AND SO MANY DOUBTS I HOPE YOU ARE HEAVEN WITH ALL YOUR LOVE ONES AND WITH MIND SO PLEASE YOU AND GOD PLEASE SHOW ME A SIGN THAT YOU ARE FINE AND THAT I DID WHAT YOU AND GOD WANT MAY TO YOU REST IN PEACE ALWAYS I AM SO SORRY ANGELA,VINNY AND BEAR GOD BLESS COUSIN PATTY

May 13 at 8:27 PM



VI

Vicki posted:

I'm sorry to hear you are gone Zio. You've always held a dear place in my heart.-Vicki (mom to Michael and Megan)

May 12 at 2:42 PM



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MP

Massimo Porretta posted:

Ciao Zio Carmelo , sei stato, e sarai sarai sempre nei nostri cuori.Massimo Porretta

May 10 at 12:41 AM

EP

Enzo Porretta May 10 at 9:27 PM

Ciao Zio Carmelo, rimarrai per sempre nei nostri cuori.Enzo Porretta

ES

Erika Sicari posted:

Riposa in pace zio...ti vogliamo bene. un forte abbraccio a tutti dalla calabria. Tua sorella e i tuoi nipoti

May 9 at 11:59 AM

IS

Irene Sweet lit a candle in honor of Carmelo.



May 9 at 7:16 AM

IS

Irene Sweet May 9 at 7:17 AM

MY CONDOLENCES.....

LB

Lorraine Brandt posted:

Angela and Family,Our thought and prayers are with you. The staff of Dr. Nasri Ghaly.

May 9 at 6:29 AM

MD

Monika Dudley posted:

Angela-Tom and I are thinking of you and your family during this most difficult time. We are so very sorry for your loss.Tom and Monika Dudley

May 9 at 2:09 AM



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SC

Stephanie Colavita lit a candle in honor of Carmelo.



May 8 at 6:25 PM

TG

Teresa Gallo posted:

My deepest and heartfelt sympathy to all of you, as you mourn the loss of your husband, father (in-law) and your nonno!. He was a wonderful man! My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I love you guys!

May 8 at 4:27 PM

CF

Christou Family posted:

Roberto, Angela, and Vinny, Carm was such an amazing, sweet guy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the whole family.

May 8 at 1:34 PM

PN

Peter Neiner lit a candle in honor of Carmelo.

Carm, Thank you for all you taught me ,You were like a father to me . I'll see under the tree forever. Ciao Carm Pietro



May 8 at 12:21 PM

CN

Chris Newman lit a candle in honor of Carmelo.



May 8 at 6:41 AM

CN

Chris Newman May 8 at 6:47 AM

Vince and Richelle, Sorry to hear that your Dad passed away. My thoughts and prayers go out to you during this time of sorrow. Chris Newman, Phoenix AZ



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PD

Paul And Stephanie Decook lit a candle in honor of Carmelo.



May 8 at 6:30 AM

PD

Paul And Stephanie Decook May 8 at 6:39 AM

Our thoughts and Prayers are with your family at this difficult time. The DeCook Family

TG

Teresa Gallo lit a candle in honor of Carmelo.



May 7 at 5:19 PM

ES

Erika Sicari May 9 at 1:17 PM

your nonno will be always near you, I'm sure =')

AB

Alexandra Briguglia May 8 at 4:19 AM

I miss you nonno



Media

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TRIBUTE VIDEO

A JOURNEY
of
REMEMBRANCE



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June 15 at 4:15 AM



Love you



Memories only last if you share them

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



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