



Anthony J. "Tony" Fallico

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Anthony J. "Tony" Fallico, 84, passed away Saturday at his home in Pompey surrounded by his family. Known as Tony, he was born in Syracuse to Catherine and Fortunato Fallico. He attended CBA and began working at local bakeries at age 9. He and his wife Pauline started Fremont Bakery in 1961. Truly, the Cake Boss of Central NY, his specialty was original wedding cakes and making replicas. He was in the charter class of Master Bakers of the Retail Bakers Association. Tony received the 2004 Distinguished Veteran Business award by the Onondaga County Veterans Council.

Tony served in the US Army in Korea with the Combat Engineers. This past Memorial Day, he was honored to help light the Watchfire. He was a member of K.W.V.A., John Venditti Post, I.A.C.C., and Pompey Lions Club.

A trip to Italy to celebrate their Retirement in 2011 completed his dream. Tony enjoyed going to cultural festivals, good food and music, and spending time with his family.

He was predeceased by his siblings, Sam and Phil Fallico, Mary Mignacca, and Rose Finelli.

Tony is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Pauline; his daughters, Debbie (Drake) Gaetano, Kathleen (John) Poplawski, Annette (Michael) Krisak, and Lauriette Aiello; sons, Anthony Fallico and Mark (Erin) Fallico, and devoted friend and caretaker, Mary Buck. He was "Papa" of 14 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 8:30 am on Thursday, August 31, 2017 at the THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME, followed by a Funeral Mass in celebration of Anthony's life at 10:00 am at St. Ann's Church in Manlius. Burial with Military Honors will follow in Assumption Cemetery. Family and friends may call from 4:00 – 7:00 pm on Wednesday, August 30, 2017 at the



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THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME, 3401 Vickery Rd. (corner of Buckley Rd.) North
Syracuse, NY.

Contributions may be made to Syracuse Honor Flight or Hospice of CNY.



Events

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Visitation

Wednesday, August 30, 2017

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET

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

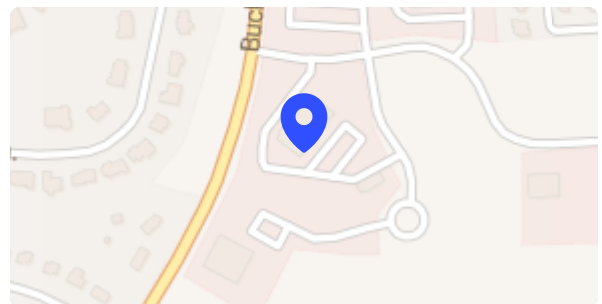


Service

Thursday, August 31, 2017

8:30 AM ET

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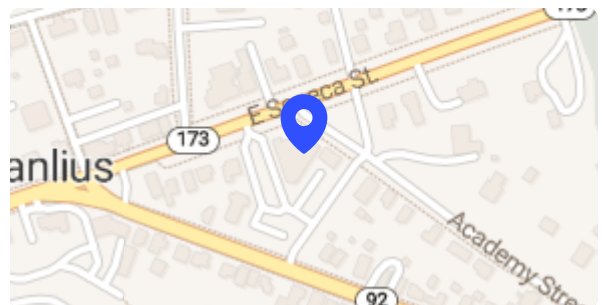


Funeral Mass

Thursday, August 31, 2017

10:00 AM ET

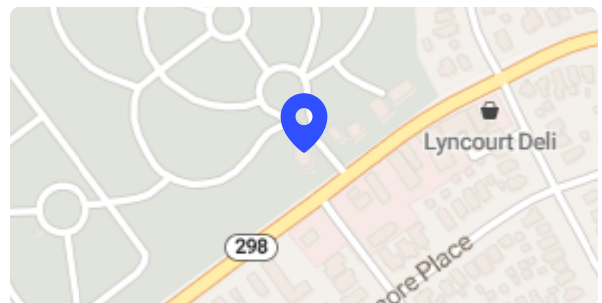
St. Ann Church
104 Academy Street, Manlius NY



Cemetery Details

Assumption Cemetery
2401 Court Street, Syracuse NY 13208

454-3841





Tribute Wall

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RH

Randy Howland lit a candle in honor of Anthony .



January 18 at 4:29 AM

RH

Randy Howland posted:

Easily the Greatest man I have ever known! Tony did so much for myself and the whole community. I grew up right across the street from Tony's bakery, and for my friends and I, Tony was a second father. The neighborhood families did not have a lot of money, back in the 1970's, but Tony made sue that we always had something to eat. Tony would listen, and help us with our problems, and occasionally give money to a family who could not pay their rent that month. Tony even let us use his bakery as our school bus stop, sheltering us from the minus 20 degree temperatures. Tony made ALL of our lives, So much Brighter and Better! I Cannot possibly say enough about our Guardian Angel, Tony! I will miss you Forever Tony! Randy Howland.

January 18 at 4:29 AM

SB

S.Riccardi-Bova posted:

Annette and family,So sorry to hear of your Dads passing. My father thought he was a class act.Hard working, family man.Prayers to you all.

September 12 at 8:35 AM

TF

Thomas P Foley posted:

Pauline and family so sorry for your loss Praying for you and your family I will never forget the huge loaf of Italian bread for my birthday he made me my mother loved Tony and you my life is much better from knowing all of you I was lucky I lived across the street I will never forget all of you praying for you and the family Thomas Foley and family love you guys

September 1 at 10:16 AM

DL

Dave Laird posted:

I am deeply saddened by the news of Tony's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

August 31 at 8:43 AM



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George Mann posted:

From the members of John Venditti Post 1, We all are sorry for your lost. Commander Michael Barbato

August 31 at 8:35 AM



Debbie Lind-Eberle posted:

Dear Fallico Family, So very sorry for your loss. Mr. Fallico was such a nice guy and made the best cakes anywhere. Our wedding cake was amazing. He made a replica of my parents wedding cake for their 50th Anniversary and then delivered it himself to make sure it was set up correctly! May your memories comfort you now and always.

August 31 at 4:19 AM



Ricky Douglas posted:

To Pauline and family, So sorry for your loss, Tony will be truly missed I speak for all the kids on the other side of the bridge that knew Tony he never judged us and treated us all the same. Im honored to have known him on all my returns back to East Syracuse I made it a must to stop and see him and the crew God Speed Tony soldier on and hope to see ya on the other side

August 30 at 6:18 PM



Ed Moziak posted:

Pauline & family, words cannot say enough what tony meant to me & my family over the last 46 years! From being a caring & generous person, all the times delivering cakes, the family parties, festivals, food night after deliveries, the ups & downs, the list goes on & on. When times were rough "tony" was ALWAYS there for me. So I will always cherish every moment we spent together. Someday we will meet again & he can have my keilbasa & I will eat just the bread!! Mooshnick

August 30 at 4:11 PM



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Louie And Annie Decarr sent a virtual gift in honor of Anthony .



Who else would we pick but Tony to make our wedding cake! Tony and his whole family made it a point to make you feel like you were part of their family. When he put that bakery in East Syracuse, he always let us all wait for our bus in the warmth of his bakery to keep all of us out of the weather making our bus stop indoors instead of outside in the cold along with the wonderful smells from baked goods so wonderful they made your mouth water, we were always greeted with a warm and friendly smile which was such a great way for us all to start our days at school. They always knew our names each and every one of us felt like we were special to the Fallico family. He and his family blessed us all by always being there for each of us. Tony You are one special man and you will be dearly missed. We love you and send our prayers and thoughts to Pauline and the family. Hugs and love to you all, Louie and Annie DeCarr

August 30 at 12:41 PM



Joseph J Carfi posted:

To the Fallico Family, My thoughts and prayers are with all of you! Your father (grandfather) was one of a kind. On a visit shortly before he retired I was amazed at his memory, remembering my family and all the cakes he did for us. He was truly an amazing man! May you all find comfort and peace at this time. Joseph J Carfi

August 30 at 9:02 AM



Italo Bove And Helen Burkhardt posted:

Dear Paulina and family, I am so sorry for our loss. I have loved Tony like a brother since we meet in Korea 46 years ago. I will miss him dearly and think of him often. He was the kind of guy that "to know him was to love him." Your family and I will remain friends forever. My prayers go with your family and know you will live on happy memories. Love Italo Bove and Helen Burkhardt

August 30 at 7:48 AM



Shirley Schiltz posted:

My deepest sympathy to the Fallico family, Tony was the best baker in the area, especially enjoyed his peanut donuts, they were the best ever....I am happy I got to know these wonderful people, and may your wonderful memories keep you going in the days ahead.....So sorry.....Shirley S.....

August 30 at 7:23 AM



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Anonymous sent a With Distinction to the Fallico family.



August 30 at 6:05 AM



Joann Scarsciotti posted:

I didn't know Anthony, but my husband and I still talk about his delicious cakes. Every year for our birthdays, it was the custard filled cake. There was no place that made a better one. Truly the "original cake boss". Thank you for all the great cakes. You were the best!! May you be in god's arms now.

August 30 at 3:42 AM



Robbie Wells/Las Vegas lit a candle in honor of Anthony .

To The Fallico Family,It is with sad eyes that I read about Tony's passing. So many times during my years in Syracuse I would stop & see him & your Mom at the bakery for coffee "and". His cakes were fantastic and the ones we got with the pictures on were fabulous too. Tony will be missed by everyone that ever met him or did business with him. What a Great guy and that big smile when you walked in the bakery to get a donut from him.Rest in Peace Our Friend Tony and May God Bless You & The Family Too.



August 29 at 8:22 PM

DM Dick And Colleen Mastriano August 30 at 6:17 AM

To Anthony Junior and the Fallico family, Colleen and I send our deepest condolences. Tony was a true gentleman and a class act and always made it a point to take time to visit and make us welcome when visiting the bakery. That beautiful cake he made was the highlight of our wedding. His loss is Heaven's gain. Bless you in this difficult time.



Anonymous sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Fallico family.



August 29 at 8:15 PM



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Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Fallico family.



August 29 at 5:09 PM



Darleen posted:

Annette and family, my sincerest condolences to your family for your loss. May you find strength with you many years of family memories. Your much loved father, spouse, grandfather is now watching over all of you from on high until you are all reunited.Sincerely, Darleen Snyder

August 29 at 5:00 PM



Gina Palladino posted:

Dear Fallico family:I used to love going to Fremont bakery to buy the delicious Italian bread and donuts. Mary Buck was always so pleasant to me. I am sorry for your loss but I am sure you know how loved Tony was in the village of East Syracuse.May God bless him.Gina Palladinoresident of East Syracuse

August 29 at 4:29 PM



Jane Blakley-Izzo posted:

Debbie, Kathleen, Annette & Family -I remember your dad from years ago, growing up in Eastwood, before you guys moved out to Manlius. He was a very kind man. Your mom was the disciplinarian and wouldn't let you all get away with anything, but he was a real softy when it came to his daughters.Condolences on your loss.

August 29 at 11:40 AM



John Angotti posted:

Mrs. Fallico, Debbie, Kathleen and families, I was saddened to hear of your dad's passing . I know how much he was loved by allWho knew him and especially by his family . Please know that you and your families Will be in my thoughts and prayers. With love and blessings, John Angotti

August 29 at 11:08 AM



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Le Moyne College posted:

Please accept the most heartfelt sympathies of Le Moyne College. We hope the love and memories that you will forever hold in your heart bring you peace and comfort during this difficult time. Le Moyne College, Office of Alumni and Parent Programs Syracuse, NY

August 29 at 11:01 AM



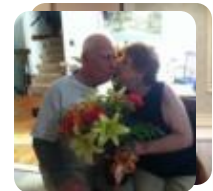
Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Fallico family.



August 29 at 9:51 AM



Annette Krisak shared 2 photos to the **New Album Name** album.



August 29 at 7:18 AM



Linda Martin posted:

To the Fallico Family: . Our most sincere thoughts and prayers are with you. Tony was a wonderful man and there will never be another like him .Most Sincerely. the Martin Family .Linda,Chris.Klim and Pam Rinaldi

August 29 at 7:08 AM



Richard And Barbara(Tyminski) Esposito posted:

Dear Pauline and Family, our deepest condolences on Tony's passing. A true gentleman, kind, generous, hard working, dedicated to his family and a joy to know. I worked with Tony at Liberty Bakery many, many years ago and frequented your Fremont Bakery. I know he treasured you and his children very much and I remember all the nice stories he told us about the children as they were growing up. He left all of you with a wonderful legacy and many good memories. He will be missed. Will remember you all in our prayers during this sad time. Richard and Barbara(Tyminski) Esposito

August 29 at 7:01 AM



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RP

Robert Powell lit a candle in honor of Anthony .

Dear Pauline and Family, Our most heartfelt condolences for your loss. As you grieve, please know that we, among many others, are thinking of you, and honoring Tony's memory. His genuine kindness, him always taking the time to chat and laugh, they will stay with us. Tony is now in heaven, in God's loving arms, where he is now at peace. We are praying with you, and for you and your family. Carolyn, Ron, Rob & Joann Powell



August 29 at 5:37 AM

HW

Harry Weyer posted:

Tony you will be missed. You could not find a better donut, pastry or cake in the entire area, that's right, yours were the best and so were you. You and your bakery family served the East Syracuse area all those years in a humble and joyful manner, always so happy to be part of the community. Our family loved you dearly and certainly loved the "goodies" from your wonderful bakery. Rest in peace, will see you on the other side one day Harry Weyer Mooresville, NC

August 29 at 4:48 AM

DB

Donna Bruch posted:

I lived on First Street. Tony and Pauline would always let us wait for the bus in the bakery whether we bought anything or not. It was especially nice when it was snowing or raining. When I was getting married, Tony gave me the "family discount" on my wedding cake. When I came back a second time, he gave me the "family discount" again, but told me if I got married a third time; I was one my own!! Pleased to say I did not have to go back. They were the most caring, loving family and a huge part of my childhood. My heart goes out to all. Donna Meehan-Bruch

August 29 at 3:25 AM

LN

Loretta Nowicki posted:

With my deepest sympathy, Pauline and family. Spent many years at your bakery. What a gentle man. May he rest in the peace of our Lord's hands. Loretta Nowicki Manlius, NY

August 29 at 3:12 AM



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JP

James S Prusinowski posted:

Dear Kathleen and Family, Very sorry to hear of your dad's passing. As you well know your mom and dad were truly the "goto" people to see for all our special occasion cakes! Jim & Debbie Prusinowski Camillus, NY

August 28 at 10:02 PM

FL

Frank Loperfido posted:

Deepest heart felt sympathy to the entire Fallico family From the Loperfido family

August 28 at 4:17 PM

MA

Michael Ares posted:

More than 45 years of hanging with Mr. Fallico in the back of his bakery, at Sunday feasts at the house -- the most gracious man I've ever met -- always interested in how was doing, never failed to ask about my family... If a measure of a man is the family he leaves behind, there is no comparison...

August 28 at 2:18 PM



Anonymous sent a Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses to the Fallico family.



August 28 at 1:57 PM

LV

Love, Valerie sent a Dreams From the Heart Bouquet to the Fallico family.



August 28 at 12:57 PM



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Drake Gaetano posted:

When other's look back at us after we are gone, we will be remembered by the things we left behind. Two possessions that Tony gave us are memories of his love for his family, and his country. He demonstrated these cherished treasures everyday- leading by example. His love for family, freedom, and what the American flag still stands for, sent him off to Korea to fight against an evil aggressor. That flag and it's true meaning, filled his heart with patriotism. It drew him to participate with his loving family and friends, in the annual Watch Fire Ceremony at the Fairgrounds. As we cherish the moments we spent with him, I recall the words of his granddaughter Jenna to him-that I know we all share. If I could have just one last dance with you. Arrivederci papa-ti amo...

August 28 at 12:09 PM



Media

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Annette Krisak shared 2 photos to the **New Album Name** album.

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Italian Club Dinner 2015



Tony and Pauline 2014



Memories only last if you share them

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



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