



John F. "Jack" Spina

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John F. "Jack" Spina, 93, of North Syracuse, passed away peacefully surrounded by his loving family on Sunday, November 3, 2019 at Crouse Hospital. Jack was born in Syracuse, son of the late Frank and Marie (Mento) Spina. He was a U.S. Navy veteran and served in WWII. Jack worked 44 dedicated years with General Electric and continued working another 27 years with the Onondaga County Sheriffs Department. He was an avid golfer and mall walker. Jack also enjoyed gardening and hunting and especially loved spending time at his camp with family and friends.

He is predeceased by his sister, Carolyn Simard. Jack is survived by his beloved wife of 63 years, Greta (Becker) Spina; four sons, Jim (Anne) Spina, John Spina, Bill Spina and Joe (Jane) Spina; three daughters, Peggy (Dave) Sampson, Maureen Bulla and Diane (Darryl) Card; 12 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren; several nieces, nephews and cousins.

A special "Thank You" to the Emergency Dept. at Crouse Hospital for their exceptional compassion and care.

A Funeral Mass in celebration of Jack's life will be held at 10:00 am on Friday, November 8, 2019 at St. Margaret's Church, Mattydale. Entombment will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery Mausoleum. Family and friends may call from 4:00 – 7:00 pm on Thursday, November 7, 2019 at THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME, 3401 Vickery Rd. (corner of Buckley Rd.) North Syracuse, NY.



Events


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Visitation

 **Thursday**, November 7, 2019

 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET

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





Tribute Wall

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



November 7 at 4:50 AM



Grace Medico Young posted:

Mrs Spina, Jim, John, Peggy, Maureen, Bill, Diane and Joe - words can not begin to express what a wonderful man mr spina was. He will be missed but I know cosmo and mom are up there having some great laughs with him. He is smiling down on all of you. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

November 8 at 11:33 AM



Charlie Schirtz posted:

I wish to extend my deepest sympathies to Greta and the entire Spina family in the loss of a husband, father and a cousin. It is always a difficult time to let a loved one go. Your faith in God and all your beautiful memories will help ease your sadness. Be assured Jack is in a better place and will join our family members that passed before him. Rest in Peace Jackie Charlie Schirtz and family

November 7 at 4:37 PM



Rick Kaszubinski posted:

Rick & Bonnie Kaszubinski,, sorry for your loss... Greta, I always found Jack to be a truly nice person and he always acknowledged me as we ran into each other at various places in the community... My mom and dad, Walter and Dolores Kaszubinski, were friends many years ago.... may they regain contact on the other plain

November 7 at 7:04 AM



Bob & Tina Mento And Family sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Spina family.



November 6 at 3:27 PM



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TS

Terry Schmitz posted:

The Spina Family,I am deeply saddened by the news of your loss. I pray that God will grant you strength. My most sincere condolences to you all.Love,Terry & Vern

November 5 at 10:37 PM

CS

Carleen Smith posted:

Greta, Bill and family,My deepest sympathy on the death of your husband and father. I met Jack over 30 years ago when he would attend daily Mass here at St. Margaret's. When I was not able to attend anymore, I would always ask him..."Are you praying for me Jack?" He would always respond...yes! He was one of St. Margaret's prayer warriors and as I type this, I will once again ask him.... "Jack will you say a prayer for me?" Please know that Jack will be remembered in prayer at all of our weekend Masses. God bless you all...with our sympathy and continued prayers...Carleen and St. Margaret's Parish Family

November 5 at 6:15 AM

JB

Joe Bulla Jr sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Spina family.



November 5 at 5:02 AM

BS

Bob Simard posted:

We are surely going to miss our Uncle Jack. He was truly wonderful. Sending condolences to Aunt Greta and the whole extended Spina family.

November 4 at 8:28 PM



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Dena Simard posted:

We loved visiting Uncle Jackie and Aunt Greta every time we were in Syracuse. We all will miss him terribly. But we know he's not alone because his sister, Carolyn, is eager to have him home with her. Rest in Peace Uncle Jackie! And try not to raise too much Hell in Heaven! Dena Simard

November 4 at 4:37 PM

HS

Harry And Lisa Solomon November 4 at 6:09 PM

Please accept our deepest condolences for your loss my wife and I own your house on Medford road again please accept our condolences for your sudden loss. Respectfully Harry and Lisa Solomon

JB

Joe Bulla Jr posted:

A wonderful man, that I greatly respected, and had the blessing to call Dad, for over 30 years. I miss you, and pray for you, and the family. God Bless you Dad, and rest in peace! Joe

November 4 at 12:54 PM



Media

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November 7 at 4:50 AM





Memories only last if you share them

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



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