



# **Dominick C. DiPaulo**

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**D**ominick C. DiPaulo (DD), age 82, of Syracuse, passed away peacefully on October 23, 2024, surrounded by his loving family. Born and raised in Syracuse, Dominick was the cherished son of the late Michael and Margaret (Ausilio) DiPaulo.

A U.S. Navy Veteran, Dominick went on to dedicate his adult life to the Syracuse Fire Department, rising to the esteemed role of President of Local 280 and serving as Vice President of the International Association of Fire Fighters. His leadership and commitment made a lasting impact on the lives of his fellow firefighters and the community he served so devotedly.

A lifelong Yankees fan, Dominick found joy in the simple pleasures of life—fishing, golfing, having a cigar with the boys, having a coffee at Dunkin with his buddies, and spending time with his close-knit circle of family and friends. He was a loving husband, a devoted father, and a proud “Papa” whose warmth, humor, and kindness will be deeply missed.

Along with his parents, Dominick is predeceased by his sisters-in-law Marlene DiPaulo and Barbara Harrington, and his brother-in-law Tom Pikulinski.

He is survived by his beloved wife of 62 years, Kathleen (Hendry) DiPaulo; his children, Marlene (Kristin) DiPaulo, Missy (John) Angotti, and Lisa (Val) Klapan; his treasured grandchildren, Alexandra, Jessica, Kristina, and Olivia; his brother, Michael DiPaulo; and his sisters-in-law, Eileen (Jack) Amodio and Judy Pikulinski. He also leaves behind several loving nieces and nephews. His memory will be forever cherished by his family, friends, and all who knew him.

A funeral Mass in celebration of Dominick’s life will be held on Wednesday, October 30, 2024, at 10:00 A.M. in St. Daniel’s Church, 3004 Court St. Syracuse, entombment will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery Mausoleum. Calling hours will take place on Tuesday, October 29, 2024, from 4:00 – 6:00 P.M. at the THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME 3401 Vickery Rd. (Corner of Buckley Rd.) Syracuse, NY 13212.



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In lieu of flowers, contributions in Dominick's memory may be made to the Burn Foundation of CNY P.O. Box 11277 Syracuse, NY 13218.



# Events

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## Visitation

**Tuesday**, October 29, 2024

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM ET

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

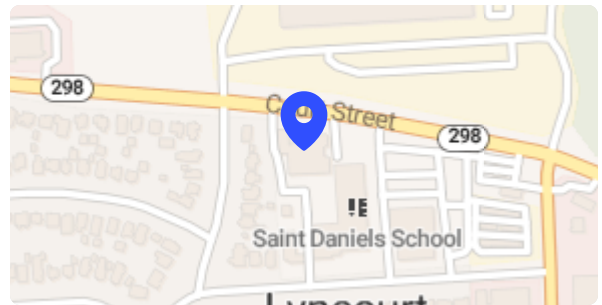


## Funeral Mass

**Wednesday**, October 30, 2024

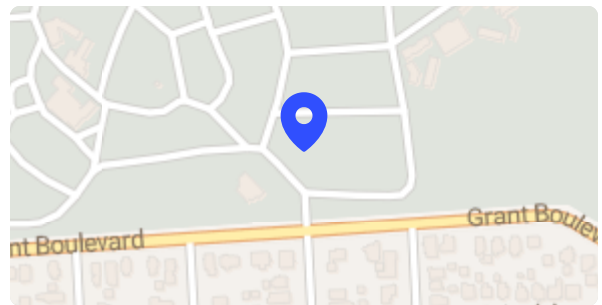
10:00 AM ET

**St. Daniel's Church**  
3004 Court St., Syracuse NY 13208



## Cemetery Details

**Woodlawn Cemetery & Mausoleum**  
800 Grant Boulevard, Woodlawn Cemetery &  
Mausoleum NY 13203





# Tribute Wall

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



October 28 at 12:33 PM



**Katrina Smith** lit a candle in honor of Dominick.

I Had The Pleasure Of Taking Care Of Dominic, He Was Such A Sweet Person, I Had To Pay My Respect To Him And The Family, You Will Be Truly Missed ❤️..Rest In Peace 🙏🙏🙏



November 2 at 5:22 PM



**Ralph Gazda** posted:

Marlene... Spent many memorable, happy days of coffee, fishing and BS with your dad. May his spirit be with you in peace. Ralph

October 30 at 4:54 AM



**Mike** posted:

DD was a fighter and always gave it his best when fighting for the firemen and women. A class act. Job well done DDMike Toia

October 29 at 2:40 PM



**Carrie Gardner** posted:

I am so very sorry for the loss of DD - having heard so many stories about him from my dad and our entire family. Sending condolences to everyone. Much Love, Carrie (Spadter) & Ron Gardner

October 28 at 8:53 AM



**Mark S Bartowski** posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to your family during this time of sorrow. May you rest in peace Dom. Mark Bartowski(SFD Ret)

October 28 at 4:02 AM



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**Anonymous** sent a Lily and Rose Tribute Spray to the DiPaulo family.

October 27 at 3:35 AM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Dominick.

October 27 at 3:35 AM



**James Ennis** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

To Dom's Family and Friends: We join in extending our sincere heartfelt sympathy to you and your family during this most difficult time. May happier memories help to sustain you and bring you comfort through this period of sorrow. And may God grant him his wings as he soars to a place where he is free from all pain. To his loving family.....may the joy and laughter of his life, far outweigh the pain of his passing. He will indeed be missed, but never forgotten. We regret that we will be unable to attend his services. With love and prayers, Jim Ennis & Sandra Winkworth

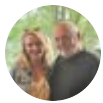
October 27 at 2:40 AM



**Joe Mehlek** posted:

I wish to extend my sincere condolences to the the DiPaulo Family. I'm sorry for your loss. Dom and I were classmates at NHS. He was a great guy in school and a great firefighter and a credit to the SFD. May he rest in eternal peace.

October 26 at 10:26 AM



**Tom Swartz** posted:

DD and I grew up on Seward street playing touch football on Rosewood Ave. pitch games and tag. Wonderful memories. My deepest sympathy to his family. He was a great kid, I'm sure he was a loving adult

October 26 at 5:47 AM



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**Sam & Marie Terrinoni** posted:

DiPaulo family, So sorry for your loss. Our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. God bless your Dad.

October 26 at 3:33 AM



**Robbie Wells/Fla** lit a candle in honor of Dominick.

To the DiPaulo Family, My sincere condolences to all of you during this tough time with the passing of DD. Have known him since I was a kid I always found him to be a nice guy with a great smile. I know he will be missed by a lot of people. Rest in peace, DD as you were one of the good guys from the Nort side.



October 25 at 7:14 PM



**Edward J Gannon** lit a candle in honor of Dominick.



October 25 at 11:29 AM



**Edward J Gannon** posted:

To my Coach and friend....Godspeed "D", Heaven needs you.

October 25 at 11:29 AM



# Media

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IAFF Convention in Boston, MA (2004)



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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