



# **Carmen Victor Canino III**

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**I**t is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Carmen Canino, 61, of Liverpool, NY. Carmen passed away after a prolonged illness on July 6, 2025, at St. Joseph's Hospital. He was born on October 12, 1963 in Syracuse to Carmen and Fortunata Canino.

Carmen was employed at CenterState CEO. He was a loving person, touching the lives of many with his warmth, humor and kindness. Carmen was known for his cooking – his chicken cutlets were one of his more memorable dishes.

Carmen and the love of his life, Ellen, were former classmates at Liverpool High School. Although married for only a few years, the two soul mates were meant to be together. Carmen and Ellen loved vacationing on Fourth Lake in the Adirondacks.

Carmen will be sorely missed, and his memory will live on in the hearts of all those who loved him.

Carmen was predeceased by his father, Carmen Victor Canino II. He is survived by his mother, Fortunata (Mary) Lorenzo Canino; his wife, Ellen (Renihan) Canino; stepdaughter, Sarah Tomasino; three sisters: Antoinette (James) Spina, Maria (August) Wassner, and Tina (Daniel) Walker; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Rosemary Hurd, a long-time family friend, had a special place in Carmen's heart. She is like a sister to Carmen and Ellen and has provided health-care support and company to Fortunata for many years.

Thank you to the nurses and doctors at St. Joseph's Hospital Pulmonary and Intensive Care Units who provided tremendous care, compassion and professionalism to Carmen and his family.

Calling hours will be at THOMAS J. PIRRO JR. FUNERAL HOME, 3401 Vickery Rd, (corner of Buckley Rd.) N. Syracuse, NY on Sunday, July 13, 2025, from 10:30 am – 12:30 pm, immediately



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followed by a funeral service in celebration of Carmen's life at 12:30 pm. Private burial will take place in Our Lady of Peace Cemetery Mausoleum.



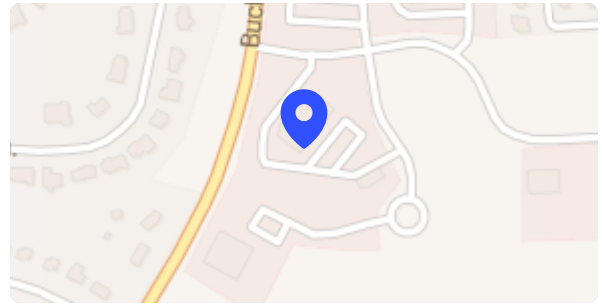
# Events

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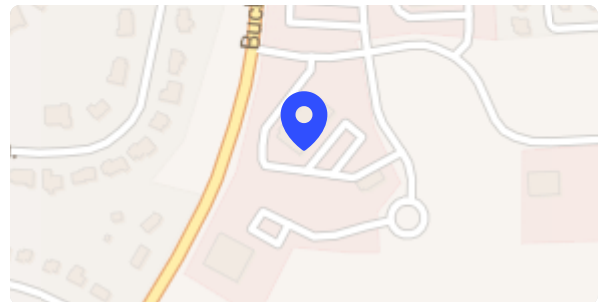
## Visitation

- Sunday, July 13, 2025**
- 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM ET
- Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home**  
3401 Vickery Rd, Syracuse NY 13212



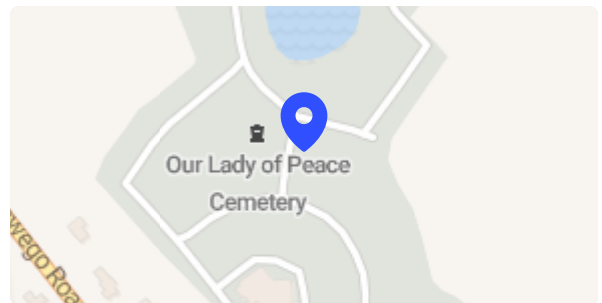
## Funeral Service

- Sunday, July 13, 2025**
- 12:30 PM ET
- Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home**  
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## Cemetery Details

- Our Lady of Peace Cemetery**  
8668 OSWEGO ROAD, Baldwinsville NY 13027
- 315-475-4639**





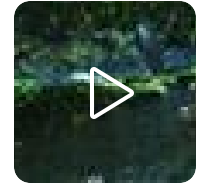
# Tribute Wall

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



July 8 at 10:19 AM



**Rest In Peace** lit a candle in honor of Carmen.



July 14 at 10:40 AM



**Carlene Springall** posted:

Dear Carmen's family, was so sorry to hear of Carmen's passing. We were neighbors for many years. Prayers and peaceful wishes from The Springall family 🙏

July 13 at 6:36 PM



**Richard T McClurkin Jr** posted:

I hadn't seen Carmen in a long time . Then when I ran into him at Wegmans there were no handshakes just a big bear hug and the light up the room smile . I will miss those hugs and big smile from him . Godspeed my friend !!

July 13 at 12:12 PM



**William Wolff** posted:

My dear friend, the memories we made together will always hold a special place in my heart. Your kindness, loyalty and willingness to always be there for us have been a true inspiration. I will miss our conversations, our adventures, and the great times we shared together over the years." Go Rest High On That Mountain "William Wolff

July 12 at 8:57 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Canino family.



July 11 at 5:39 AM



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**Marc Zello** shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

These are just a few pictures in recent years since we saw Carmen look at that smile.



July 10 at 7:54 PM



**Marc Zello** posted:

Dear Canino family! do not know how to start this. This is very difficult for us. I pray God gives you peace. I must say this is truly a devastation of heart and soul Well Carm I'm gonna ramble... you always were the calming influence around the three guys in the red house in Bayberry with that smile that quiet laugh, and the wisdom that you could fix anything cook anything and help us out anytime we needed you. You meant a lot to the Zello family my parents adored you and you've always showed your love for them. Chris is having a tough time being so far away. He can't believe his buddy gone. He said to me last night I can't give my buddy a hug anymore. You took care of everybody, your family, your dear friends, and most of Liverpool and beyond you've created a lifetime of warmth, generosity, and loyalty. You've always been a part of our family. Even though we never saw you on a regular basis due to life's path but anytime we saw you in Dunkin' Donuts or Wegmans you stopped spoke gave us that great laugh and smile but you always left me. Tell mom I love her. It's hard to fit 45 years of love and friendship into a post you never really know what someone is going through. I know you were quiet in private. I just wish I would've known so to your mother sisters, wife and family. I bid you peace. Tranquility and calmness. That's one thing Carmen always showed calmness. He always told me he's got this and he did the world lost a great human. These are just words, tears and feelings of many years of knowing you. Do it all say it all did it all gentlemen what a great guy I can't believe you left. We are still in shock. God bless you, Carm I still can't cheer for the Vikings maybe just this year love you, brother Marc Zello

July 10 at 7:49 PM



**Chris Zello** July 10 at 8:02 PM

I want to send my love & support from Alaska my heart is broken that my best friend is gone I loved Carmen like another brother much much love from Christopher in Alaska Marc has said it so well what a great friend I have lost my Carmen rest in peace my other brother ❤️🙏



**Anonymous** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Canino family.



July 10 at 12:39 PM



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



July 10 at 12:39 PM



**Diana (Burrows) Powers** posted:

My deepest sympathy to Carm's wife and family. Carmen has been a family friend for almost 50 years, and has always had a place in my heart. One of the nicest people I've ever known. Such a sad loss.

July 9 at 7:01 PM



**Dale And Michelle Walker** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Canino family.



July 9 at 10:09 AM



**Phil Ruffini (Rumetco)** posted:

Our Deepest Condolences to Carmen's wife and family, he was a part of our work family and we are all saddened by his passing. We will miss his visits to just say hello and share his life with us. May God Bless his soul. R.I.P. "Carmenouch"

July 9 at 6:21 AM



**Michael Labulis** posted:

So sorry to hear this news. Carmen was an awesome person who I got to know in BOCES then got to work with him through Centerstate.RIP my friend.

July 9 at 5:15 AM



**Josh, Kerie, Jack And Bridget** sent a Serene Reflections Bouquet to the Canino family.



July 9 at 4:39 AM



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GB

**Gabrielle Bennett** posted:

We cannot express our sadness at the passing of Carmen! He was a dear friend and one of the best guys we knew!! He would do anything for anybody, at the drop of the hat! I have so many memories of him and my husband Rick working on a renovation and saying it would only take a half an hour, but it usually took the whole day because we would end up laughing and discussing for the first half of the day!! Carmen could fix anything, he was a great cook and the very best friend we could have asked for!! We loved him and he will be greatly missed. Our prayers and thoughts are with his wife Ellen, his mother and all his family.

July 8 at 5:33 PM

CT

**Cheryl Wallace Towne** lit a candle in honor of Carmen.

My condolences and sympathy to Carmen's wife Ellen, family, close friends and acquaintances. Rest peacefully in God's paradise Carmen. 🙏🕊️

July 8 at 1:09 PM



JG

**Judy Greabell** posted:

Ellen, please know that I am thinking of you with sadness for the loss of your dear husband. I know this time is so difficult but stay strong in the knowledge that you were so loved and cherish the memories. I'm always here for you if and when you need a shoulder to cry on or an ear to listen.

July 8 at 12:32 PM

JY

**John And Cindy Yeager** sent a Beautiful Dreams to the Canino family.

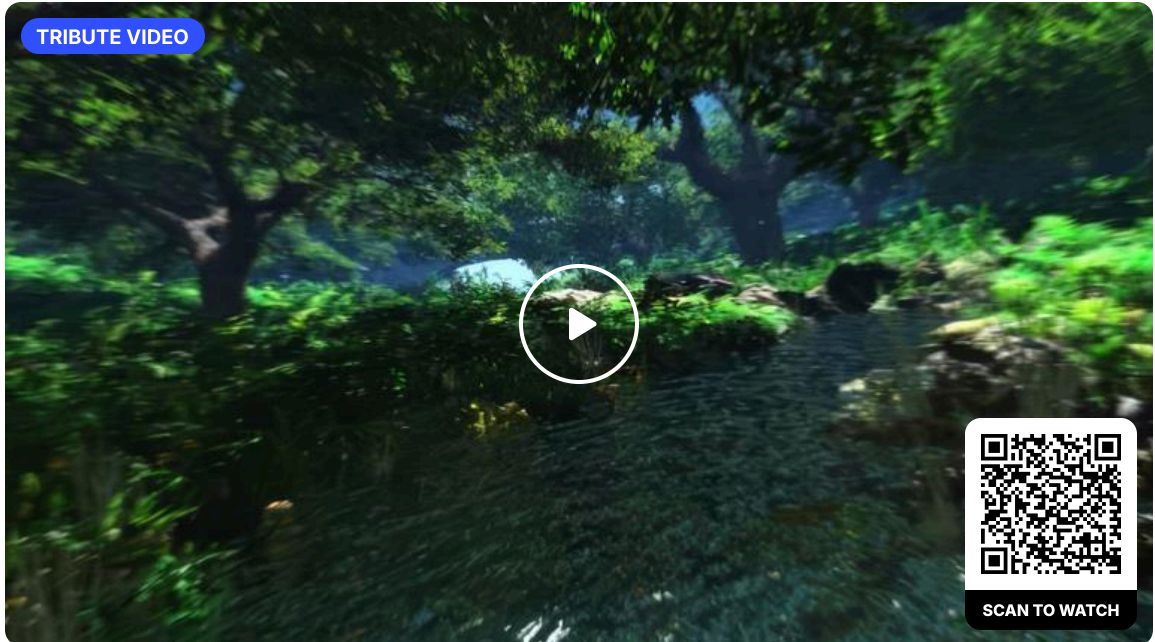
July 8 at 9:10 AM





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

July 8 at 10:19 AM



**RS Rosemarie Stevens** July 15 at 12:49 PM  
 I'm so very sorry to hear of Carmen's passing. He was a very sweet guy. I was friends with his sister Ann, which is how I met him. I wish I had seen this sooner, as it appears I just missed going to his wake. If anyone can provide Ann with my contact information, I would truly appreciate it. Thanks, and may he Rest In Peace. My deepest condolences to his family and friends. 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

**CH Capt Ann Holahan** July 13 at 12:13 PM  
 I'm goin 2 miss Carmen's luv of life, kindness, luv of family, friends faith, his beautiful Spirit. Always luv'd by Every1 who knew him, a zezt 4 humor, always had a beautiful heart & a blessing 🙏 bestowed upon us all Everyday. Nvr will u b 4gotten always luv'd, NOW ur an Angel 😊 looking down on us all. I pray 🙏 2 ur family & surmountible friends that luv'd 🙏 u unconditionally 🙏. May u RIP 🙏 MY beautiful friend ❤️. Capt Ann Holahan ✨♥

**KB Kelly Bresett** July 11 at 5:58 PM  
 So saddened to hear of Carmen's passing. Such a genuinely great guy. My sincere condolences to his entire family!

**MG Margaret Grzasko** July 11 at 6:58 AM  
 It is with a heavy heart I send my deepest sympathy to our dear friend Ellen , his wife. He brought her so much joy. Thinking of you Ellen and praying for you and all your family 🙏❤️. Sincerely yours, Margaret Grzasko



## Media

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**MS**

**Mihael Stockwell** July 10 at 4:13 AM

I'm saddened to hear this ,Carmen was always a kind person. I'm sure he received the golden key into heaven. My thoughts and prayers to his family!

**DW**

**Dale And Michelle Walker** July 9 at 10:19 AM

So stunned and saddened to hear of Carman's passing. Carman was a great guy. Our sympathy goes out to his whole family.

**MD**

**Martha (Gaines) Davis** July 8 at 4:57 PM

I cannot convey how sorry I am for your loss and how grateful I am that Carmen was able to share his life with someone he loved!! My thoughts and prayers go out to the family and friends! Carmen will be truly missed... He was a wonderful person, a true friend and brought brightness into all the lives he touched...



**Kenneth Fike** July 8 at 12:54 PM

On behalf of the Liverpool Class of 1981, Our most Sincerest condolences .



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July 10 at 7:54 PM





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

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



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