



## Anthony J. "Tony" Sciacca, Sr.

August 28, 1944 - June 12, 2020

Anthony "Tony" Jude Sciacca, Sr. of Liverpool, devoted husband, father, grandfather/papa, brother, neighbor, and friend passed away peacefully on June 12, 2020 at age 75 surrounded by the love of family and friends.

Born on August 28, 1944 in his beloved hometown of Syracuse, NY, Tony graduated from Liverpool High School and received an associate degree from Onondaga Community College/University College. Tony was employed by The Coca-Cola Company, Charles Plumbing & Heating, and Case Supply, Inc. A parishioner of Christ the King Church and Commissioned Lay Minister, Tony nurtured individuals with their faith formation through involvement with religious education, Formation for Ministry, and RCIA. Tony also served on the Parish Council, was a parish trustee and assisted with the HOPE Appeal. Always one to support his kids any way he could, Tony volunteered as a coach for both the Liverpool Girls' Softball League and the Seneca River North Little League.

First and foremost, Tony was a family man. His greatest joy in life was spending time and sharing stories with family, friends, and especially his treasured grandchildren. Always ready with a smile, joke, or enduring life lesson, Tony cherished above all else his role as grandpa/papa. Tony was loved for his kind and compassionate spirit, charming personality, and enduring loyalty. A lifelong fan of the NY Yankees and the Syracuse University basketball and football teams, Tony cheered for his teams with pride and passion.

Tony was predeceased by his mother, Louise Mary Camuso; father, Anthony Paul Sciacca, and sister, Carmel Ann Sciacca, who died at birth. Tony's spirit will live on in the family he so loved and who so love him. Tony is survived by his devoted wife, Charline; children, Jennifer (Kirk) Bullock, Anthony Jr. (Kathleen), and Christie (Jeremy) Atkins; twin sister, Judith (Leonard) Dobkowski; grandchildren, Amanda Nicole, AJ III, Karly Noelle, Nicholas Graham, Kelsey Lee, Noah Curtis, Ella James, Nathan Jude, and Samantha Grace, along with several nieces, nephews, cousins, twenty godchildren, and a family of close friends, including Msgr. Neal Quartier.

With deep gratitude, Tony's family thanks the Upstate University Hospital 7th floor team, especially Dr. Van Nguyen, for the extraordinary compassion and care they provided Tony in his final days.

Private burial services were held at Our Lady of Peace Cemetery, Baldwinsville; a memorial mass and gathering will follow at a later date.

In lieu of flowers or for those desiring, memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital: [https://www.stjude.org/donate/donate-to-st-jude.html?cID=14262&pID=24671&frequency\\_selected=2&sc\\_icid=wtg-mm-memorialcards](https://www.stjude.org/donate/donate-to-st-jude.html?cID=14262&pID=24671&frequency_selected=2&sc_icid=wtg-mm-memorialcards).

# Cemetery

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## **Our Lady of Peace Cemetery**

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Baldwinsville, NY, 13027

# Comments

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“ Dear Family, I cannot tell you how sad I was to learn of Tony's passing. I will always remember Tony as a great man of honor, integrity, thoughtfulness, highly protective of his family and friends and those he cared deeply for. Tony always reminded me of "The Great Godfather" in many good ways. Please know I will keep all of you in my prayers and thoughts during these difficult times. Tony was truly a blessing from above. Mary Emily Alibrandi

**Mary Emily Alibrandi** - June 27, 2020 at 05:09 PM

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“ Jennifer and Anthony, I was able to see him with Mr and Mrs. Cooke back in 2014. We had a good time reminiscing. My condolences on your Dad's passing.

**Pat Covino** - June 25, 2020 at 05:39 PM

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“ We only met Tony twice during enrollment to The University of Delaware by both our daughters - Jennifer & Michaela. We immediately recognized Tony to be a caring & dedicated father. Tony's genuine smile was infectious to those around him & his upbeat personality was very evident whenever he spoke. We extend our most sincere condolences to his family. Nancy & Duane Walborn

**Nancy & Duane Walborn** - June 21, 2020 at 01:07 PM

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“ Tony was an amazing man. Although I didn't know him very well, I know he was a loving husband and dad. He always had a smile on his face. You will be greatly missed.  
Janet Spaulding

**Janet Spaulding** - June 20, 2020 at 06:45 AM

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“ Our deepest sympathy to the Sciacca family. Todd and Mary Beth Fletcher.



**Todd Fletcher** - June 20, 2020 at 01:00 AM

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“ I met Tony at Christ the King many years ago. He was a kind and gentle man, who always had a smile. Condolences to his family and may he rest in peace.

**Donna M. Ruth** - June 19, 2020 at 08:59 PM

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“ Jim Spado lit a candle in memory of Anthony J. "Tony" Sciacca, Sr.



**Jim Spado** - June 18, 2020 at 09:25 PM

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“ Tony was a super great person had some great times with Tony and his sister Judy going to school at Or Lady of Pompei up on the Northside Rest RIP my old friend  
Peter Fragola

**Peter Fragola** - June 18, 2020 at 08:28 PM



“ Peter this Judy we go back many years thank you for your kind words I feel like I am missing a piece of me !! It sure helps hearing from you because we can't have a wake or a funeral because of this stupid virus so all of your words is a comfort to us all !!

**Judy Sciacca Dobkowski** - June 19, 2020 at 09:27 PM



“ Charline, I am so sorry to hear about Tony; a light truly has gone out in this world. He was one of the kindest, most gentle men I've ever known. He was so much more than a friend to my Al (Cassell). I can never express my gratitude for the comfort he brought him. Towards the end, he put Al in his car and the two of them went to the Northside and laughed and shared memories of Pompeii, where they lived, where they used to play ball, just about everywhere you could imagine. It was the best day Al had during that difficult time. He came home full of Tony's love, laughter, and complete loyalty, and for one day Al forgot how sick he was. You're in my heart and my prayers.

Maria

**Maria Carbonaro** - June 21, 2020 at 06:34 PM

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“ I met Tony on just a few occasions, but remember him as a warm, interesting, loving and funny man. I had the privilege of knowing him through his wife, Charline who I am sure is devastated by his loss. Despite his medical problems, he was always upbeat, philosophical and a pleasure to be around. 'Prime Beef' as I nicknamed him, will be sorely missed. MTC

**Michael Clarke** - June 18, 2020 at 08:05 PM

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“ To all who loved him dearly, I didn't know him as well as his twin sister, my Aunt Judy. Knowing they are cut from the same cloth I know he was a charismatic loving family man. Deep sincere condolences Karen Dobkowski Dodge

**Karen Dobkowski Dodge** - June 18, 2020 at 07:46 PM

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“ To Tony’s Family, sending condolences to the family and friends day of Tony. I’m very sorry to see that he has passed on, such a nice guy and gentleman. Here’s to you Tony and to a life well lived, God Speed.  
Sue Stacy Ostuni

**sue ostuni** - June 18, 2020 at 04:32 PM

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“ My sincere condolences go out to Tony's family,  
Having known Tony since my dad had a dry cleaners in Liverpool 60 years ago I met him and some of his other friends at breakfast at Heids believe it or not?  
I would call Tony Mr. nice guy and when he work for Charles plumbing and heating I saw him a lot. He was a good guy to know and always smiled when he met people he knew.  
Rest in peace Tony and may God bless you and your family.



**RobbieWells/lasvegas** - June 18, 2020 at 03:11 PM

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“ Michelle Nemier lit a candle in memory of Anthony J. "Tony" Sciacca, Sr.



**Michelle Nemier** - June 18, 2020 at 11:41 AM



“ Thoughts & Prayers are will all of you Charline.

**Michelle Nemier** - June 18, 2020 at 11:43 AM

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“ So sorry to hear about Tony’s passing, he was a wonderful man, sweet and caring ,and funny,.great Godfather to my son David  
He will be greatly missed.  
With Deepest Sympathy,Jeanne Calcagino Gustke

jeanne Gustke - June 18, 2020 at 09:50 AM

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“ Tony And Georgia Buda lit a candle in memory of Anthony J. "Tony" Sciacca, Sr.



Tony and Georgia Buda - June 18, 2020 at 08:44 AM

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“ Daniel D'Agostino lit a candle in memory of Anthony J. "Tony" Sciacca, Sr.



Daniel D'Agostino - June 17, 2020 at 08:02 PM

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“ Cathy & Heyward lit a candle in memory of Anthony J. "Tony" Sciacca, Sr.



**Cathy & Heyward** - June 17, 2020 at 05:46 PM



“ Dear Charline, Anthony, Jennifer, Christie, Judy and families, I wrote something the other day, but it isn't here now. We first met Tony after he starting dating Charline. He and I got along just fine and understood each other quite well as we are both Italian! He was always a kind and respectful man and concerned about others. We shared information about our various health issues, and he encouraged us to have certain routine procedures done. Tony say hello to our mutual friends in Heaven! God bless you all! Love, Cathy & Heyward

**Cathy & Heyward** - June 19, 2020 at 10:38 PM