



Giuseppe Ragonese

July 10, 1933 - November 26, 2014

Albany-Giuseppe Ragonese, 81, died suddenly Tuesday, November 25, 2014 at home. Born in Piedimonte Etneo, Sicily he was the son of the late Pietro Ragonese and Maria Catena Catalano.

He married Carmela Papa in 1957. Giuseppe, Carmela and family came to the United States on July 18, 1970.

He was a member of the Laborers Local 190 until his retirement in 1994. Giuseppe enjoyed gardening, making homemade wine and his beloved grandchildren. In 1986, Giuseppe helped his sons establish the family business, Ragonese Imports in Albany on New Scotland Ave.

He was the beloved husband of Carmela Papa Ragonese; loved father of Pietro Ragonese , Vincenzo (Paola) Ragonese and Giovanni Ragonese (Lucia) and the late Maria Pina; cherished grandfather of AnnaLisa Ragonese, Giuseppe Vincenzo "Pino" Ragonese, Maria Ragonese, Giuseppe Armando "Joey" Ragonese, Michael Ragonese and Lorianna Ragonese; brother of the late Lucia, Ignazio, Alfio, Salvatore and Santo Ragonese; brother-in-law of John Laviano, Severina Papa, and the late Carmelo Papa, Salvatore Papa, Gerarda Papa; he is survived by many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services Saturday, November 29, 2014 at 8:00 am from McVeigh

Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street Albany thence to the Parish of Mater Christi, Albany at 9:00 am where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated.

Relatives and friends are invited and may call Friday, November 28, 2014 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the funeral home.

Entombment St. Agnes Cemetery Mausoleum, Menands.

Those wishing to remember Giuseppe Ragonese in a special way may send a contribution to Alzheimers Association Northeastern New York, 4 Pine West Plaza, Suite 405, Albany, NY 12205.

To leave a message for the family, obtain directions or view other helpful services, please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

St. Agnes Cemetery

48 Cemetery Ave
Menands, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **28**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.
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Service

NOV **29**. 9:00 AM (ET)

Parish of Mater Christi
40 Hopewell Street (Rev. Kenneth J. Doyle Way)
Albany, NY 12208

Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Giuseppe Ragonese*



McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - November 28, 2014 at 11:19 AM



“ *Giuseppe Ragonese*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *My sincere condolences. May the words at Isaiah 25:8 bring you comfort during this difficult time " He will swallow up death forever, And the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces."*

Montana W. - January 30, 2016 at 11:57 PM



“ *Mrs, Ragonese, Vinny, Johnny, and family..So very sorry for your great loss. We are never ready for there is no right time to say goodbye to our loved ones. Be assured of my prayers for all of you. Maureen Murgia*

maureen - November 28, 2014 at 01:48 PM

PM

“ *I am very sorry for your loss. At the store, I remember your dad as a pleasant and very nice guy. My condolences.*

Paul McDonald

Paul McDonald - November 28, 2014 at 10:10 AM

RB

“ *Dear Members of the Ragonese family, Please accept our deepest sympathy at this time of your sorrow and loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Sincerely, Rose Mary and Steve Bailly*

Rose Mary Bailly - November 28, 2014 at 09:16 AM