



John Francis Casserly, III

July 28, 1940 - October 26, 2012

Downingtown, PA,- John Francis Casserly III, 72, passed away suddenly on Friday, October 26, 2012. Born in Albany, NY, he was the son of the late John and Elizabeth (Skelly) Casserly.

John graduated from Christian Brothers Academy in 1958 and worked in the textile industry his entire career until his retirement from Cranston Printworks in 2005. John married Donna Lilyan Kentzel and together they raised seven children in East Greenbush, NY. In 1985 they relocated the family to Woonsocket, RI. Upon his retirement he then moved to Downingtown, PA and was looking forward to spending his remaining years at Tel Hai Retirement Community in Honey Brook, PA.

John enjoyed camping and nature and was an avid sports fan, always cheering for his NY Teams and his Notre Dame Fighting Irish. Proud of his Irish heritage, he belonged to the Albany AOH for many years.

John was preceded in death by his wife Donna, son John F. Casserly, IV and grandson Devin John Casserly. He is survived by his sisters Joanne Casserly of Troy, NY and Elizabeth Haller and her husband Joseph of Latham, NY, daughters Therese Saello and husband Christopher of Downingtown, PA, Elizabeth Spas of Woonsocket, RI and Lori Dubois and husband Paul also of Woonsocket, RI, sons Christopher Casserly of Woonsocket, RI, Timothy

Casserly and wife Cheryl of Harrisville, RI and Brian Casserly of Parkesburg, PA. John is also survived by his eleven grandchildren Christian, Andrew, Lauren, Braden, Savannah, Nicholas, Kadance, Jeremiah, Timothy, Leila and Kilee whom he loved very much. John also had three nieces and nephews, Suzanne (Haller) Currier, Joseph Haller and Jason Kentzel.

Funeral services Monday, November 5, 2012 at 1:00pm in the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany.

Family and friends may call from 11 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Monday in the funeral home.

Interment will be immediately following and held at St. Agnes Cemetery in Menands, NY.

To leave the family a special message on their guest book, obtain a prayer card or directions, please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *John Francis Casserly, III*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *Hi Glen, Ron here i had a chat with you at the Royal Exchange last Friday week and i promised i would bring my wife and i to see you and the band at the old bank which is now a Restaurant on the Sunday. Well we did some spiphong at Blacktown on the Saturday afternoon and my wife met an old friend who invited us to Rooty Hill R.S.L that night for a get together with some old friends, we did not leave till late and because i started work at 1.am on the Sunday i had no sleep, so i want to apologize for not turning up, i really would like to see the band, and now that i have found your web site i will peruse through it for gigs in the future. Regards Ron###imported-begin##Via##imported-end##*

November 23, 2012 at 08:00 AM



“ I think it would hard to say that there is another man out there that has lived a life as full, or surrounded by as much love as John Casserly. I've grown to realize that the Casserly family is a true model on how a family's love is infallible. Through every life event, good or bad, the event brings the family together and makes it stronger.

Uncle John as the oldest of the siblings clearly instilled these values in all of us. My mother learned from him, and I from her. I can only hope that my daughter Kate grows up with a piece of this Casserly family creed.

I know that Uncle John will live on in my heart through all of the good memories I have and the incredible strength he possessed.

My deepest thoughts and prayers will be with Uncle John, my cousins, Aunt Joanne, and my mother today, as we all celebrate the life of a great man.##imported-begin##Joe Haller##imported-end##

November 05, 2012 at 10:53 AM



“ John was a very good friend and we had some great times together which made for great memories.

Rest in peace John.

Emery (Thib)##imported-begin##Emery Thibodeau##imported-end##

November 05, 2012 at 01:05 AM



“*"Traze" and family. Mom just called me here in Honeybrook. I have so many fond memories of John, Donna and the entire family growing up right behind you. Your mom and dad have done so much for me, and remember staying up late in the backyard having a blast. I think about the family so often. I am so sorry to hear of everyones loss. Your dad, was such a straight honest man. Please remember, I always think of you guys often. May John rest in eternal peace.*

Tim##imported-begin##Tim and Traci Sheldon##imported-end##

November 03, 2012 at 07:39 PM



“*I just found out Uncle John Passed away. my thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

He was one of the kindest men I ever knew.

I miss all of you alot and think of you often.##imported-begin##Jason Kentzel##imported-end##

November 02, 2012 at 07:45 PM



“*To Tim and family. My sympathies to the whole Casserly family. I had the pleasure of meeting John a few times. I'm very glad I did. May God help you all through this difficult time.##imported-begin##Diane Colerick##imported-end##*

November 01, 2012 at 02:25 PM



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