



## Raul Class

November 27, 1943 - January 7, 2025

Schenectady- Raul Class "Pop," 81, passed away peacefully at his home Tuesday, January 7, 2025, surrounded by his loving family. Raul was born and raised in Bronx, NY he then went on to graduate from Baptist Bible College. After graduation he went on to become a Master Carpenter and retired from the Massachusetts Carpenters Union. Once retired Raul decided he was not going to be fully retired and went to work for Umbrella in Schenectady County. Raul was a member of the Sunrise Bible Church, Schenectady, NY.

Raul was an Avid NY Yankees fan, loved to Zumba with friends and he Zumba'd till he couldn't. Raul was beloved by many and found immense joy being with family and friends.

Raul was predeceased by his parents Angel and Lupe (Cruz-Mendez) Class; his son Ryan Class and his sister Gloria Rodriguez (Valle).

Raul is survived by his wife of twenty years Jean ( Donaruma) Class; his sister Hilda Torres; his son Eddie (Mary Alice) Class; Jean' s children Nicole Conlin and Robert Knapik; his grandchildren Alex (Serenity) Class, Jennifer (Jay) Mentipty, Angel Class; his great grandchildren Danny Olmstead, JJ Mentipty, Madison Mentipty and Nolan Ryan Class.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Raul's family Saturday January 11, 2025 at the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 N. Allen Street, Albany, NY

12206 from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

Raul's Funeral service will follow at 4:00 pm in the funeral home. Please enter funeral home from rear parking lot entrance only.

To leave a message for the family or view other helpful services please visit [www.mcveighfuneralhome.com](http://www.mcveighfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 11. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Albany, NY 12206  
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info@mcveighfuneralhome.com  
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## Service

JAN 11 (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Raul Class*



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**McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.** - January 10, 2025 at 08:39 PM

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“ *Raul always brought his good energy to Zumba & was so kind. I had the pleasure of dancing next to him at Zumba over the years—he was such a great Latin dancer! He will definitely be missed. So sorry to hear of his passing.*

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**Jessica Millett** - January 15, 2025 at 10:10 PM



“ *143 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.** - January 10, 2025 at 03:36 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Raul Class.

January 10, 2025 at 10:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Raul Class.



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“ Love, Jim Daigle, Jay Gomes & family purchased the *Full Of Love Bouquet* for the family of Raul Class.



Love, Jim Daigle, Jay Gomes & family - January 09, 2025 at 09:14 PM



“ *My uncle Raul was always with a smile on his face. Where there was music you can find him on the dance floor. Whenever there was a card game he was sitting right there in the center. We will miss you RIP Uncle Raul*

Rainee Morel - January 09, 2025 at 05:08 PM