



Salvador J. Marsala

April 12, 1923 - November 12, 2012

Albany-Salvador Joseph Marsala passed away peacefully on November 12. He was 89 years old. He was the son of the late Josephine La Rosa Marsala and Guido Marsala. Sal was a graduate of Christian Brothers Academy and received an associate degree in chemistry from St. Lawrence University. He worked at Sterling Winthrop Research Institute for 40 years and retired as a Group Manager.

His number one priority was always his family. He is survived by his beloved wife of 66 years, Grace Caimano Marsala. He is the proud father of Judith Smolowitz (Ira) of Massachusetts, Guy Marsala of California, Janet Cassidy (Michael) of Delmar and Jo-Ann Marsala of Cleveland, NY. He was predeceased by an infant son, Thomas. His grandchildren include Peter (Michelle), Tara (Scott), David, Meghan, Colin, Kevin, Alexander, Matthew, Anna Grace and Tessa. He is also survived by 6 great grandchildren and several other loving family members.

Sal was a veteran of the D Day invasion at Normandy, the Battle of the Bulge and several other significant battles in the World War II European campaign. He was awarded 2 purple hearts, a bronze star and numerous other citations.

He loved summers in Lake George and winters in Fort Myers. He enjoyed golfing, fishing and hunting and was an avid fan of the Yankees and the New

York Giants.

The family wishes to thank Dr. Mary Rapazzo and the staff at St. Peter's Hospital for their skilled and compassionate care.

Funeral services Friday, November 16, 2012 at 8:15 am from the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany thence to All Saints Catholic Church, 16 Homestead Street Albany, New York 12203 (Formerly St. Margaret Mary's Church) at 9:00 am where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated.

Relatives and friends are invited and may call Thursday, November 15, 2012 4:00 to 7:00pm in the funeral home.

Interment St. Agnes Cemetery, Menands.

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

Previous Events

Service

NOV **16**. 9:00 AM (ET)

All Saints Catholic Church
16 Homestead St.
Albany, NY 12203

Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Salvador J. Marsala*



McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Salvador J. Marsala*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *Grace, I just saw the notice from Golfview about Sal's passing. What an amazing life he had. Please know you and your family are in my prayers and thoughts. I so look forward to seeing you in January. Fondly, Barbara##imported-begin##Barbara Diettrich##imported-end##*

December 05, 2012 at 09:16 AM



“ Dear Grace and Family -- we were so sorry to hear of Sals passing. We so enjoyed teasing him during the Bingo games at Golfview. Bingo will not be the same....but we will have some fun stories to tell about Sal. He will be missed and in our prayers.

Sincerely, Dick & Rita Salo - Mentor, OH
and John & Elaine Hrehocik- Independence, OH -- and Ft.Myers, FL##imported-begin##Richard & Rita Salo##imported-end##

November 24, 2012 at 03:01 PM



“ Dear Marsala family,
As difficult as this time is, may you find comfort in knowing that your loved one will always be with you...and the memories you shared will forever be a part of your lives. With deepest sympathy...##imported-begin##Karin Selby##imported-end##

November 15, 2012 at 01:07 AM



“ hi gracie, you and sal were always special. joe always got you tickets for the yankee games. with deepest smpathy nancy leiser##imported-begin##nancy leiser##imported-end##

November 15, 2012 at 12:20 AM



“ We extend our sincere sympathy. Our years at Golfview were better because of his friendship. Sal will be missed. Love, Rod and Juanita##imported-begin##Rodney and Juanita Harrison##imported-end##

November 14, 2012 at 08:04 PM



“ Our sincere condolences to the entire Marsala family. We know how much he was loved and how much he will be missed by all of you.##imported-begin##Stanley & Eunice Schweiger##imported-end##

November 14, 2012 at 03:15 PM



“ So sorry for your loss, Judy. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time.

Sincerely,

Kelly Trombly##imported-begin##Kelly Trombly##imported-end##

November 14, 2012 at 09:32 AM