



## Anthony Joseph "Tony" Minonno

September 8, 1947 - September 29, 2021

Anthony J. (Tony) Minonno, passed away at the age of 74 on Wednesday, 29 September 2021 with his loving wife by his side.

Tony was born on 08 September, 1947 to Patrick and Givonna (Jane) Gigliotti Minonno in North Tonawanda, NY. He married his High school sweetheart Darla Reitsch on 4 February 1967. He graduated from North Tonawanda High School in 1965 where he was a talented multi-sport athlete playing football, baseball, basketball and he was voted best dancer of his class. Shortly after graduation he Volunteered to serve in the Army where he served in Germany and state side. Upon completion of his Honorable Military service, he started working in the automobile business where he quickly progressed to positions in management and then achieved his goals of partnering in ownership of a Car Dealership which was his passion for most of his working years.

Tony loved playing sports and coaching hockey and he was an avid fisherman. He was a huge fan and supporter of the Buffalo Bills and Buffalo Sabres. Tony will forever be loved and remembered for his sense of humor and way to make everyone laugh at every opportunity, compassion to help everyone around him and most of all for his love and endless commitment to his family and friends. He has left a lasting impression for everyone he has ever met. Tony was preceded in death by his parents and mother and father in-laws Melvin and Donna Reitsch. He is survived by His wife Darla Minonno, His sons Anthony J. and Gregory S. Minonno

and his spouse Heather, His sister Sharon (Minonno) Sikora and Husband David. Grandchildren, Christopher, Alex, Alisa, Laura, and Chloe and Numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Friends may call at Wattengel funeral Home, 533 Meadow Dr. North Tonawanda, Saturday, (November 13, 2021) from 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M., where service will follow at 4:00 P.M.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 13. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)

533 Meadow Drive

North Tonawanda, NY 14120

(716) 693-0440

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<https://www.wattengel.com>

## Funeral Service

NOV 13. 4:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home

533 Meadow Drive

NY 14120

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Anthony Joseph "Tony" Minonno.

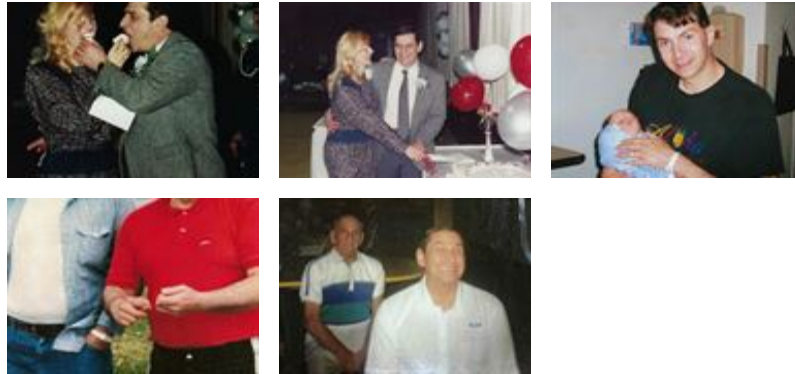


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November 13, 2021 at 09:24 AM



“ *53 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Wattengel Funeral Home** - November 12, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Anthony Joseph "Tony" Minonno.



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November 11, 2021 at 05:05 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Anthony Joseph "Tony" Minonno.*



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November 11, 2021 at 12:40 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Anthony Joseph "Tony" Minonno.*



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November 09, 2021 at 02:14 PM



“ *Dear Minonno Family,*

*I worked with Tony for several years. Hard working, honest and fair.  
A real good guy.*

*God bless,  
Michael Stefan*

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**Michael Stefan** - October 17, 2021 at 04:32 PM



“ *Our family has wonderful memories of Mr. Minonno and hockey.  
May he Rest In Peace The Slusarz family*

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**Colleen Slusarz** - October 17, 2021 at 04:32 PM

TS

“ Darla, I'm so sorry for the loss of Tony! He was such a wonderful man. Sweet and so funny. I have many fond memories of both of you from school. Sending love and prayers for you and your family.

Terry Earnst Smith - October 13, 2021 at 03:44 PM

PL

“ Darla and family, so sorry for all of you. Tony will always be remembered laughing and joking around the Hal's of NT High! Rest in Gods loving arms Tony. Love to to Darla, and your family.

pat Pulvino Ludwig - October 12, 2021 at 10:01 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Anthony Joseph "Tony" Minonno.



October 07, 2021 at 12:26 PM

SW

“ So very sorry to hear of Tony's passing. Fond memories with the NT class of '65. My deepest sympathies to all his family and friends. RIP Tony.

Sue Loary Wolfe - October 04, 2021 at 11:41 AM