



Jeffrey L. Donato

May 1, 1955 - September 25, 2022

Jeffrey Donato

Of the Town of Tonawanda, passed away peacefully on September 25, 2022. Beloved husband of Joanne (nee Holmes) Donato; loving father of Jennifer (Josiah) Kachelmeyer and Sarah Donato; brother of Elaine (Wayne) Daniels, the late Denis and late Miguel Donato; son of the late Rafael and Carmen Donato.

Visitation Thursday September 29, 2022 from 4 to 8 PM in the WATTENGEL FUNERAL HOME, 533 Meadow Drive, North Tonawanda. Funeral Services Friday September 30, 2022 at 10 AM from St. Mark's Episcopal Church, 61 Payne Avenue, North Tonawanda. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery, Town of Tonawanda.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Association or Oishei Children's Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Mount Olivet Cemetery

4000 Elmwood Avenue
Town Tonawanda, NY 14120

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **29**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)
533 Meadow Drive
North Tonawanda, NY 14120
(716) 693-0440
wattengelfh@gmail.com
<https://www.wattengel.com>

Funeral Service

SEP **30**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mark's Episcopal Church
61 Payne Ave.
North Tonawanda, NY 14120

Tribute Wall

JK

“ So very sorry to hear of Jeff's passing. My heartfelt condolences to the entire family. Rest in Peace Jeff. - Judy Kachelmeyer

Judy Kachelmeyer - September 30, 2022 at 07:59 PM

MK

“ To Joanne & Family, so sorry for your loss, I knew Jeff from working at ECDSS, he was a positive guy Everytime I ran into him. He always cared about my well being, may his soul rest in peace.

Mike Karam - September 29, 2022 at 03:21 PM

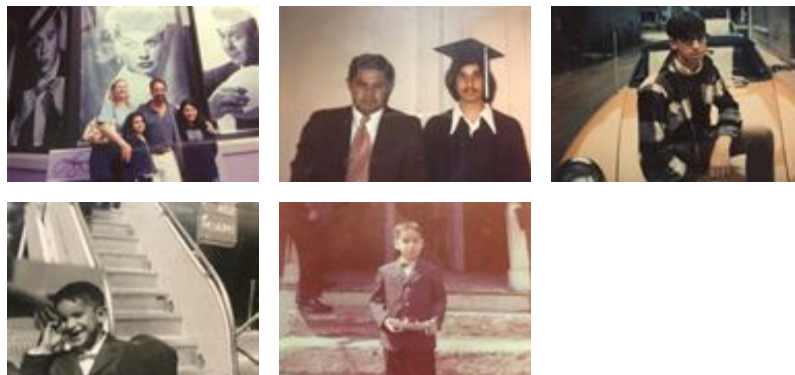
RS

“ Joanne, so sorry for your loss. You are in my prayers. Rose Senker

Rose Senker - September 29, 2022 at 11:52 AM



“ 95 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wattengel Funeral Home - September 29, 2022 at 08:24 AM

DM

Joanne and family, so very sadden by your loss. My thoughts and prayers for God's comfort in the days ahead. Love, Debbie Wattam McBride and family

Debbie Wattam McBride - September 29, 2022 at 02:51 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jeffrey L. Donato.*



September 28, 2022 at 06:21 PM

KZ

“ *Joanne - I'm so sorry about Jeff .I hope you take some comfort knowing that he's once again re-united with family that has gone before him. His spirit will live on and his energy will never leave this world.*



Kathy Zeller - September 28, 2022 at 05:05 PM

AM

“ *Joanne, Jen, Josiah and Sarah: I am sincerely sorry for your loss. Jeff was always kind to me and we had some great conversations about our jobs. His struggles are over and his memory will sustain you.*

AnneMarie Mitchell - September 28, 2022 at 01:15 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Jeffrey L. Donato.



September 28, 2022 at 11:26 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Jeffrey L. Donato.



September 28, 2022 at 11:07 AM



“ *Cynthia L.* purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Jeffrey L. Donato.



Cynthia L. - September 27, 2022 at 09:59 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes* was purchased for the family of Jeffrey L. Donato.



September 27, 2022 at 06:58 PM

MI

“ I knew Jeffrey Donato as the father of one of my closest friends. I met him for the first time at his daughter's research presentation at UB. He was so happy and proud to be there to support her. I got into a conversation with him about my plans to go to school for social work and he shared parts of his own journey in the field with me, which got me even more excited about starting my own. I am so grateful to have had the opportunity to know Jeff and wish to send his family all the love and support.

Michelle - September 27, 2022 at 06:50 PM

SP

“ Sue and Gloria Polich purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Jeffrey L. Donato.



Sue and Gloria Polich - September 27, 2022 at 05:46 PM