



## William "Billy" Fanto

June 27, 1961 - November 25, 2020

Billy Fanto, a life-long resident of North Tonawanda, NY passed away on Wednesday November 25, 2020 at the age of 59.

Billy was born on June 27, 1961 in North Tonawanda, NY to Irene and Louis Fanto. He graduated from North Tonawanda High School in 1979 and worked as an electrician for JM&R Electrical for over 30 years. Adored by many, his family and friends will remember him as a devoted son, loyal friend, and passionate sports fan.

Billy is survived by his mother, Irene Fanto; his sisters, Lori Russ and Patti (Scott) Holdaway; his niece, Melissa Russ; his nephews Josh and Jacob Holdaway; and his many cousins & friends. He is preceded in death by his father, Louis Fanto; and nephew Jeffrey Russ.

Due to the ongoing pandemic, private services will be held for immediate family and a public celebration of Bill's life will be held at a later date. A lifelong Buffalo Bills fan, Billy would ask to honor his life by cheering for his Buffalo Bills this season.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to the charity of your choice. The family would like to thank the staff at Millard Fillmore Suburban Hospital for their care.



# Cemetery Details

## Mount Olivet Cemetery

4000 Elmwood Avenue  
Town Tonawanda, NY 14120

# Events

**Details are pending.**

# Tribute Wall

EA

“ *Billy had a great smile, and he will be missed. We hope many happy memories bring you comfort. Our sympathy to Billy's family and friends --*

*Eleanor and Steve Ash*

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**Eleanor and Steve Ash** - December 03, 2020 at 08:20 PM

RL

“ *I met Billy 30 years ago at JM&R he was one of the nicest and most respectful person I've ever met, at work and outside of work Billy was a friend and good man,He will truly be missed.*

*Rich Lewis*

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**Richard Lewis** - December 02, 2020 at 07:09 PM

DK

“ *Eternal memory, my dear cousin --*

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**Deb Kosko** - December 02, 2020 at 10:19 AM



“ *The world has lost a very nice person / our sympathies to Bill's family, friends and co-works from Shanor Elect.*

*Will miss you  
Mark Priester*

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**A** - November 30, 2020 at 11:02 AM

RW

“ Our deepest sympathies to Bills family and friends on behalf of myself and everyone at Cooper electric. The world will not be the same without him.

*Robert Wolf*

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**Robert Wolf** - November 30, 2020 at 10:27 AM

MK

“ The Bills pulled this one out for you big guy... As usual, keeping us on our toes until the final minutes.... We will miss you at the games and know you can give them a little help from above and lots of cheers... Along with Jeff and your dad💙

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**marie kraft** - November 29, 2020 at 04:53 PM

KH

“ RIP Bill remembering golfing at Blueberry Hill Pa.every year in June will be missed Keith Hoppel

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**Keith Hoppel** - November 29, 2020 at 04:42 PM