



Juan J. Ferraro

August 17, 1941 - June 14, 2017

Juan J. Ferraro, age 75, of Bear, DE, passed away surrounded by loving family, Wednesday, June 14, 2017. Juan was a classy gentleman who enjoyed the finer things in life. He enjoyed attending operas at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York City. He enjoyed all forms of classical music. Juan was a committed Boy Scout leader for over 30 years. During his tenure with the Boy Scouts he was part of the Order of the Arrow. As a Boy Scout leader, he received many awards including the Silver Beaver and the District Award of Merit. In New York City, he gave over 25 years of dedicated service to the Xerox Company. Juan was a man of many hobbies. He enjoyed model railroading, camping, bowling, volleyball, horse racing, vegetable/flower gardening, and taking care of his beautiful fish pond. Juan could be found watching western movies (especially John Wayne) and World War II movies.

Although he had many interests, his chief passion in life was his family to whom he was devoted. His grandchildren added great joy to his life. He will be sadly missed by his wife of 44 years, Carmen Ferraro; 4 sons: Javier Ferraro, Sergio Ferraro (Angela), Marco Ferraro (fiancée Gabrielle), and Alejandro de los Santos; grandchildren: Hannah, Giavanna, Sophia, and Vincenzo; father, Jose Ferraro; and sisters: Sister Victoria of St. Veronica's Convent in Philadelphia, Sonia Ferraro, and Elena Gonzaga (Luis); his niece, Sonya; his nephew, Martin; and numerous cousins. He was preceded in death by his mother, Zoila Ferraro.

A visitation will be held Sunday, June 18, 2017 from 6-9 PM in the Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Rd., Newark, DE 19702. Another visitation will be held Monday, June 19, 2017 from 9-10 AM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, 345 Bear Christiana Rd, Bear, DE 19701 followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 10 AM. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers donations may be sent to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. For directions or to send an online condolence visit www.stranofeeley.com

Strano & Feeley
Family Funeral Home
302-731-5459

Juan J. Ferraro, edad 75 de Bear, DE, fallecido rodeado de su amorosa familia, Miercoles, Junio 14, 2017. Juan era un caballero con clase que disfrutaba de las cosas mas finas de la vida. Disfruto de la Opera y de la musica Clasica. Juan fue un lider comprometido con los Boy Scout por mas de 30 años. Durante su mandato con los Boy Scouts fue parte de la Orden de la Flecha. Como lider de los Boy Scouts recibio muchos premios incluyendo el Castor de Plata y el Adjudicacion de Merito. En la ciudad de Nueva York dedico mas de 25 años de servicio a la empresa Xerox. Juan era un hombre de muchas aficiones. Disfruto del modelo de ferrocarril, boliche, voleibol, las carreras de caballos, vegetales y jardineria de flores, y el cuidado de su estanque de peces hermosos. Juan podria ser encontrado viendo peliculas de vaqueros (especialmente a John Wayne) y de la Guerra Mundial II.

Aunque tenia muchos intereses, su principal pasion en la vida era su familia a la que se dedico completamente. Sus nietos agregaron gran alegria a su vida. El sera tristemente recordado por su esposa de 44 años Carmen Ferraro; 4 hijos: Javier Ferraro, Sergio Ferraro (Angela), Marco Ferraro (prometida Garielle), y Alejandro de los Santos; nietos: Hannah, Giavanna, Sophia, y

Vincenzo; padre, Jose Ferraro; y hermanas: Hermana Victoria del convento de St. Veronica en Philadelphia, Sonia Ferraro , y Elena Gonzaga (Luis); su sobrina, Sonya; su sobrino, Martin; y numerosos primos. Fue precedido en muerte por su madre, Zoila Ferraro.

Se realizara una visita el Domingo 18 de Junio del 2017 de 6-9 PM en Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Road., Newark, DE 19702. Se realizara otra visita el Lunes, 19 de Junio del 2017 de 9-10 AM en la iglesia St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, 345 Bear Christiana Rd., Bear, DE 19701 seguido por Misa de Cristiana Sepultura a las 10 AM. El entierro sera privado. En lugar de flores donaciones pueden ser enviadas a St. Jude's Children Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. Para direcciones o para enviar una condolencia en linea visitar www.stranofeeley.com

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 18. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home
635 Churchmans Rd
Newark, DE 19702
(302) 731-5459
info@stranofeeley.com

Visitation

JUN 19. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St Elizabeth Ann Seton Church
345 Bear Christiana Rd
Bear, DE 19701
(302) 322-6430

Service

JUN 19. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SU

“*Juan was a sweet man, wishing peace and prayers to the entire Ferraro family. The love Juan had for his family was so strong, God bless all of you.*

Susie - June 20, 2017 at 08:12 AM



“*Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." was purchased for the family of Juan J. Ferraro.*



June 18, 2017 at 04:03 PM

CP

“*We are saddened to hear about the loss of our dearest neighbor, Juan. As Maya Angelo once said, people will forget what you said, but people will never forget how you made them feel. Juan touched everyone's life and made them feel special, with his warm heart and beautiful smile. Juan was not only a great neighbor on 58th street, but was an outstanding leader and mentor to O.L.P.H.'s Cub/Boy Scout Troop 563. He would still come up to OLPH long after he moved to Delaware to ensure the Boy Scouts were still going. He would show me family pictures, especially proud of his grandchildren. Our prayers and blessings are with the Ferraro family during this difficult time. Descanse en paz Juan. Cecilia and Royce Fedyn*



Cecilia Pakruda-Fedyn - June 18, 2017 at 02:26 PM

PA

“ *Juan was our neighbor. Such a sweet man! He will be missed. Praying for your family during this time of grieving.*
Darrell and Pam Andrews & Family

Pam - June 18, 2017 at 05:46 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Juan J. Ferraro.*



June 17, 2017 at 11:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Juan J. Ferraro.*



June 17, 2017 at 01:05 PM

BB

“ *Barbara Borthwick-Deats sent a virtual gift in memory of Juan J. Ferraro*



Barbara Borthwick-Deats - June 17, 2017 at 07:47 AM

EC

“ I am so sad to hear of Juan's passing. Our family has known Carmen and Juan for 43 years. My parents enjoyed game nights with them in Brooklyn and my Mom loved carrying a suitcase and running up and down the block with Juan at midnight on each New Year in hopes it would bring them the luck of traveling that year. Through the years we have shared so many of life's happy milestones together! I'm sure everyone that knows the Ferraro family will agree that you can't find better friends. They are such a loving, kind and considerate family and Juan always led the way. Please know you are all in our prayers and that Walter and I and our children are grieving with you. Love, Elizabeth & Walter Cisek

Elizabeth Cisek - June 17, 2017 at 01:35 AM

ML

I was so saddened to hear of Juan's passing. He was such a joy to know. I always enjoyed speaking with him. He was so kind and considerate. Carmen, I will keep you and your family in my prayers.

Mary Lawson - June 17, 2017 at 09:21 PM

EC

“ Elizabeth Cisek sent a virtual gift in memory of Juan J. Ferraro



Elizabeth Cisek - June 17, 2017 at 01:06 AM

KS

“ My memories of Tio Juan is someone who always had a ready smile. He loved children and when my Titi bought him home to meet the family all the children pounced on him. He always played with us even though I'm sure we must have drove him crazy at times. He was patient and kind and will be terribly missed by our family.



Karen Sikorski - June 16, 2017 at 02:59 PM

CA

Thank you for loving him

carmen - June 17, 2017 at 09:45 AM

VF

“ I am so sorry to hear about your loss. I pray that he will Rest In Peace, free from pain. I pray that you will find comfort in God and each other during this difficult time.
Condolences,
Vinny Fabozzi



Vinny Fabozzi - June 16, 2017 at 11:25 AM

TW

“ The Wasson's lit a candle in memory of Juan J. Ferraro



The Wasson's - June 16, 2017 at 11:13 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Juan J. Ferraro.* ”



June 16, 2017 at 10:13 AM