

*Celebrating the Life
Of*



Patrick Russomano

Sunrise: March 17, 1947

Sunset: February 4, 2020

Wednesday, February 12, 2020 - 10:00 a.m.

Antioch Baptist Church

640 S. Springfield Ave., Springfield, NJ

Obituary

On February 4, 2020, the Lord called **Patrick Joseph Russomano** home. He was born on March 17, 1947 to the late Albert and Mildred (nee Lemongello) Russomano. Patrick received his education in the best catholic schools, he graduated high school from Essex Catholic for Boys located in Newark, NJ and obtained a Bachelor's Degree and Master's Degree from Fairleigh Dickerson University. Patrick started his career at PSEG and received many accolades. He worked his way into a leadership role and was committed to work until his retirement after 30 years of service in 1995.

Growing up Pat had many achievements that he was proud of. He proudly spoke about being an altar boy and being a crossing guard for the grammar school he attended at St. Francis Xavier elementary school. This speaks to his character of always wanting to help. Saturday's was special to Pat, he enjoyed working in his brother Tommy's store, spending time with his best friend Jimmy and going to Callandra's to get donuts for his children. Patrick was a kind and considerate spirit ever and will always be known as a good person.

He never missed a moment or opportunity to show his family and those around him how much he loved them. He felt that every accomplishment, every birthday, every holiday or even just a small milestone deserved a celebration whether big or small. Although, he liked celebrating everyone else, he would always say "don't you buy me anything" or "don't worry about me". It was these times his family enjoyed making sure a camera was always ready when they didn't listen to his directions and would get him gifts and mostly a card. When he would read a card from his children, they knew that this was a special moment, because he would always cry tears of joy.

Pat enjoyed conversations with his siblings, he was very proud of his sibling's accomplishments. He was proud to be an Italian and loved Italian food. He often joked about "being connected" and said "don't mess with me".

Ovetter was the love of Pat's life. He made sure she was always happy and would do anything to keep a smile on her face. Before she knew it, he swept her off her feet naturally 37 years ago and their love flourished organically. Pat enjoyed having dinner, traveling and experiencing new things with Ovetter. He truly loved her with all of his heart.

Pat's favorite past times were spending time with his family, watching mass daily, playing games, and reading the news on his Ipad. He was a professional catalog shopper and would always find the most unique things to buy. Sitting on the deck with a cup of coffee and a fresh danish or being able to enjoy a freshly grilled hot dog was his favorite things to do in the summertime.

He was preceded in death by his parents Albert and Mildred (nee Lemongello) Russomano. His brothers Albert Russomano, Louis Russomano and his wife the late Giovannia, sister Loretta McCullough and her husband the late John, and by his brother-in-law Walter Krebs.

He leaves to cherish his memories, his wife Ovetter Bryant. His children, Gregory Bryant and his wife Christina, Antoinette Harrison and her husband Marlon, Rhonda Edwards and her husband Edwin and Chalynda Maynard and her husband Tim. His grandchildren, Markiea Bryant, LePrish Roman, Christian Bryant, Jeremiah Bryant, Adam Bryant, Ethan Maynard, Irvin Wilson, Edwin Edwards Jr. Rhylee Edwards, SiennaRose Maynard and Glenda Howard. His great grandchildren, Aamari Flores, Knyla Howard, Amor Flores, Ava Austin and the late Aiden Flores. His siblings, Mildred Manto and her husband Perry, Genevieve Pousseioux and her husband Willie, John Russomano and his wife Lucille, Ralph Russomano and his partner Donna, Thomas Russomano and his wife Pat and Patricia Krebs, and brother-in-law of Josephine Russomano and Elizabeth Harley. He also leaves to cherish a host of many nieces, nephews and cousins.



Order of Service

Rev. Milton Hobbs, Presiding
Antioch Baptist Church

Musical Prelude

Processional..... Rev. Milton Hobbs and Family

Prayer of Comfort..... Rev. Milton Hobbs, Pastor

Scripture Reading:
Old Testament - Romans 6:4
New Testament: John 14:1-3

Poem..... Randolph Johnson, Jr.

Selection..... Jonathan and Norah Royal

Special Remarks..... Pastor Linwood McNeil
Congregational Baptist Church

Cards & Condolences (2 min)..... Family and Friends

Selection..... Jonathan and Norah Royal

Obituary Reading..... Reverend, Reginald Harris

Selection..... Jonathan and Norah Royal

Eulogy Rev. Milton Hobbs, Pastor

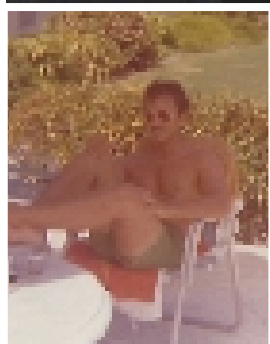
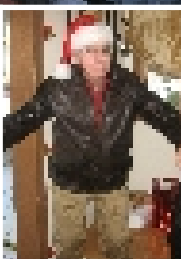
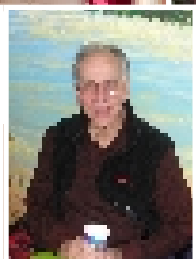
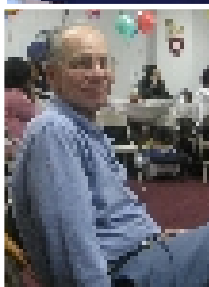
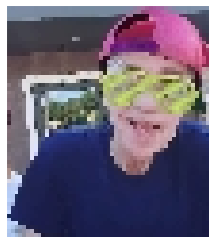
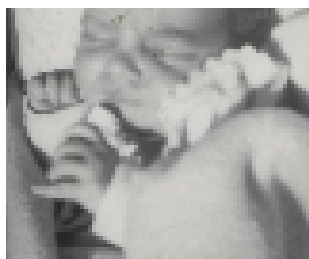
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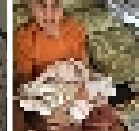
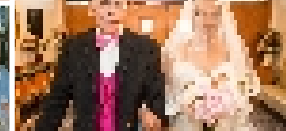
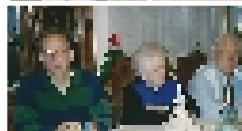
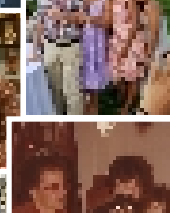
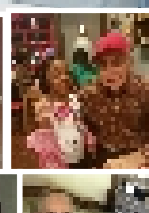
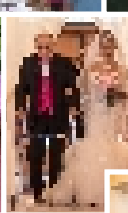
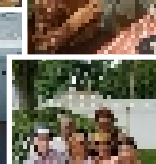
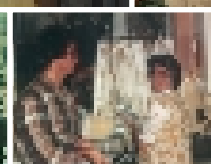
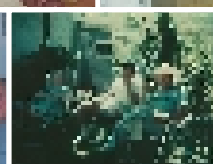
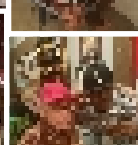
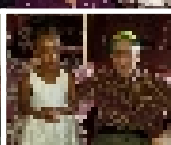
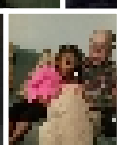
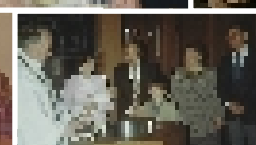
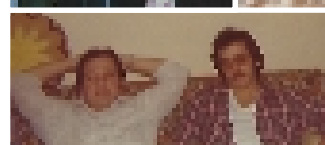
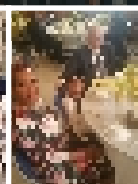
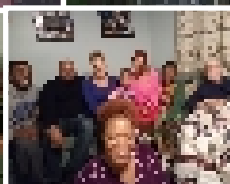
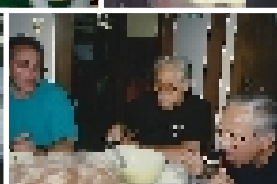
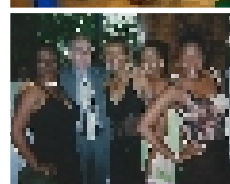
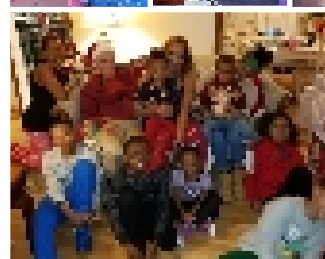
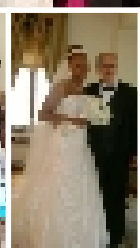
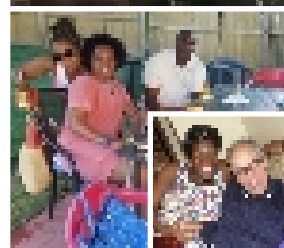
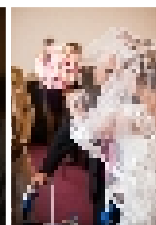
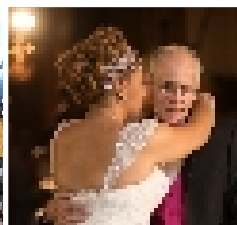
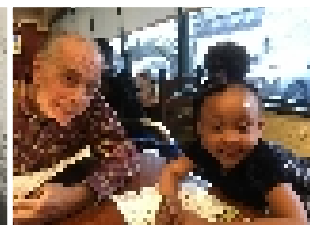
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Interment

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28 Hoover Avenue
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

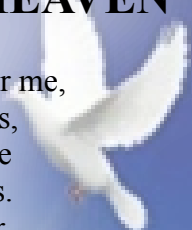
*The family will have a repast at the Antioch Baptist Church
immediately following the interment.*







I HAVE A PLACE IN HEAVEN



I have a place in heaven
Please don't sing sad songs for me,
Forget your grief and fears,
For I am in a perfect place
Away from pain and tears.
It's far away from hunger
And hurt and want and pride,
I have a place in Heaven
With the Master at my side.
My life on earth was very good,
As earthly life can go,
But Paradise is so much more
Then anyone can know.
My heart is filled with happiness
And sweet rejoicing, too.
To walk with God is perfect peace,
A joy forever new.
—Author Unknown

Honorary Pallbearers

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| Edwin Edwards | Marlon Harrison |
| Timothy Maynard, Jr. | Anthony Russomano |
| John Russomano, Jr. | Tommy Russomano |

Acknowledgements

The Family of the Late **Patrick Russomano** wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, comforting words, and prayers shown during our time of bereavement.