



Joseph E. Ferrelli

September 8, 1924 - September 17, 2020

On Thursday, September 17, 2020, Joseph E. Ferrelli, age 96, of South Park. Beloved husband of the late Dorothy L. (Hindman) Ferrelli; loving father of Joseph F. (late Joyce) Ferrelli of South Park and Barry (Cathy) Ferrelli of South Park; grandfather of William Ferrelli of South Park, Mark (Juliet) Ferrelli of Wexford, Stacey (Brian) Bischoff of Ross Twp., Anthony Ferrelli of Upper St. Clair, and Vincent, Julianna and Gianna Ferrelli all of South Park; great-grandfather of Marissa, Alaina, Kaylee, Aryana, Stefano, and Sabrina; brother of the late Katie Bradburn, John Ferrelli, Sam Ferrelli, Tony Ferrelli, and Mary Champion; also survived by many nieces and nephews. Joe was a Corporal in the U.S. Army during WWII, serving in Germany and France. He was distinguished with 5 bronze stars. He was a member of the Broughton Volunteer Fire Department for 80 years, serving as Fire Chief for 27 years. He was also the township Fire Marshall for many years. Joe was an avid golfer, who loved playing at South Park Golf Course up until this past summer. He was also passionate about carpentry and working with wood. Friends received Sunday 7-9 p.m. and Monday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the GRIFFITH FUNERAL HOME, INC., 5636 Brownsville Road, (at 6th St.), South Park Twp. (412) 655-4600. Funeral Prayer Tuesday 10:15 a.m. at the funeral home followed by a Service in the Broughton Fire Hall at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in Joe's name to the Broughton Volunteer Fire Department, 1030 Cochrans Mill Road, South Park, PA 15129, or to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Condolences may be offered for the family at www.GriffithFH.com

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **20**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Griffith Funeral Home, Inc.
5636 Brownsville Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15236

Visitation

SEP **21**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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SEP **21**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Broughton Fire Hall
1030 Cochrans Mill Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15236

Tribute Wall

AF

“ *Deepest sympathy to the family for your loss. Heaven has gained an angel. The Foglia family*



Anthony foglia - September 13, 2022 at 01:31 PM

JP

“ *The Ferrelli Family
My deepest sympathies. I will always have fond memories of Joe's contagious smile and laughter. Being greeted with a smack on my shoulder and a hey cuz! He will be missed and all of you are always thought of. You are all in my thoughts and prayers, and I pray you all blessed with memories of love and laughter.*



Juilette Piccolo - September 23, 2020 at 07:11 PM

DM

“ *Joe was a good friend of my dad's and he was loved by many! When my dad was very sick with cancer, Joe was there when they took my dad to the hospital where he later passed away! He was always smiling and kind to us! Prayers of comfort for the family and friends!! My condolences to all!*

Debbie Bashor Mikec - September 22, 2020 at 07:31 PM

CA

“ *Pinch the cheek. You so cute. Our memory from 1975 broughton fire hall bingos. Great man. Kind man. Rest my friend.*

Cynthia Atchison - September 22, 2020 at 06:06 PM

BF

“ *Bischoff & Logan Families purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joseph E. Ferrelli.*



Bischoff & Logan Families - September 19, 2020 at 05:48 PM

CH

“ *Connie Lee Hindman sent a virtual gift in memory of Joseph E. Ferrelli*



Connie Lee Hindman - September 19, 2020 at 05:38 PM

CH

“ Dear Joe,
I'm so SORRY to hear about your father what a sweet a kind man. My mother June Doring DelVitto knew you're Father and mother back in the day. They had been boyfriend and girlfriend. My mother told me this cute story about your Joe had a date that night with Dorothy. He needed his car washed and cleaned. He asked my mother and her girlfriends if they would wash his car. They agree and said yes. Mom said that his car was so DIRTY inside and out. When finished cleaning his car. Joe asked them how much? Mom and her girlfriends asked Joe if would buy each of them a bottle of pop and a bag of potatoe chips MOM was 12 years old when they did his car. I wish my mom was here to tell you the story. I also have a story about Mr. Ferrelli when I was about 8 years old. When they had a Christmas party for the children at the Old Broughton Fire Department. Your father was passing out bags of treats and little gifts for all. That is why I said Mr. Ferrelli was a kind and sweet man. Joe I'm so SORRY about your mother and your wife passing. I didn't know about your mother. I didn't know your wife I dld see her obituary . Mom and I would always see your parents shopping at Shop & Save
Joe my thoughts and prayers are sent to you and your family. Joe and your family know that when you see a butterflies that your family is watching over your.
Again SORRY for your loss
Connie Lee DelVitto Hindman



Connie Lee Hindman - September 19, 2020 at 05:36 PM

SF

“ Joe> We are very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Steve & Leslie Fluke

Steven Fluke - September 19, 2020 at 05:15 PM

LN

“ *Ferrelli family. I am so sorry for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers 🙏🙏🙏*

Laura Nagy - September 19, 2020 at 02:42 PM

SC

“ *Dearest Ferrelli family,
Our sincere condolences during this difficult time. My kids still talk about Aunt Dot and how much candy she gave them. Uncle Joe will surely missed and in our hearts forever.
Sincerely, Sherry Champion and kids*

Sherry Champion - September 19, 2020 at 01:00 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph E. Ferrelli.*



September 19, 2020 at 12:53 PM

JB

“ *We would like to express our deepest sympathy to the Joseph Ferrelli family for their loss and to acknowledge a life well lived.*

THE ANGELO (MUZZY) BRUNI FAMILY.

J BRUNI - September 19, 2020 at 11:49 AM

RV

“ *Cathy, Bobbi and my prayers go out to you and yours in this tender time. May our Lord bring peace and comfort to you. Rico and Bobbi*

Rico Vespa - September 19, 2020 at 11:42 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph E. Ferrelli.*



September 18, 2020 at 04:30 PM