



## Antonio "Tony" Scapillato

October 1, 1935 - April 17, 2024

April 17, 2024 of Lancaster, NY

Beloved husband of 58 years to Mary (nee Stephens) Scapillato; loving father of Phillip (Debra), Kim (Daniel) Pierscinski, Anthony (Joanne Hajduk), Michael (Tamara), and Eric (Bridget) Scapillato; cherished grandfather of Ashley (James Abbott), Christina, Jessica, Anthony, Adam, Michael, Matthew, Abby, Ryan, Sara, and Ella; Predeceased by 1 sister and 3 brothers; also survived by nieces and nephews. Tony migrated from Lake Como, Italy to Buffalo at the age of 16. He was a serviceman for many years at Johnny's Amusements. The family will be present to receive relatives and friends on Monday April 22nd from 3-7PM at the DANIEL R. SMOLAREK FUNERAL HOME 2510 Union Rd., Cheektowaga (2 blocks south of William St.). A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Tuesday at 10AM in Our Lady of Pompeii R.C. Church, 158 Laverack Ave, Lancaster. Please assemble at the Church. Mass will be livestreamed via parishes website, [www.olpparish.com](http://www.olpparish.com). Flowers gratefully declined. Please leave condolences online at [www.SmolarekCares.com](http://www.SmolarekCares.com).

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **22**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Daniel R. Smolarek Funeral Home - Cheektowaga  
2510 Union Road  
Cheektowaga, NY 14227

## Mass of Christian Burial

APR **23**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Pompeii Church  
158 Laverack Ave  
Lancaster, NY 14086  
<http://www.olpparish.com>

*Please Assemble at Church*

# Tribute Wall

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“ As an 8 year old kid bowling at Broadway in the Sat Pepsi league having Uncle Tony leaving all the pinball machines on for a free game for me and my friends was pretty cool. Then as a teenager getting free packs of cigarettes when he filled the machines. The only thing I couldn't figure out was being a Yankee fan how he used to root for the Minnesota twins back in the 60's. Rest in peace Uncle Tony you will be missed.

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**Lou Scapillato** - April 21, 2024 at 02:01 PM

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Tony was a bar tender at a bowling alley where my family members bowled. My sister Mary, who later became his wife, introduced us. I recall, he was pleasant, soft spoken, a great listener. humble and we became ever lasting friends. When he and Mary married and he became an in-law and chose to adopt Mary's son as his own my family was very happy for them. Over time they increased their family with more children. My respect for Tony grew. He was a wonderful husband, father, uncle, brother-in-law and family member. Rest in Peace my beloved brother-in-law. You will be missed eternally. My utmost condolences and love to the family.

*Kathie LaPoma*

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**Kathryn LaPoma** - April 24, 2024 at 08:59 PM