



## John Giannantonio

November 4, 2014

Wantage - John Giannantonio, age 76, peacefully passed away on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 at his home while surrounded by his loving family. Born in Englewood to the late Nicholas and Angelina (Carucci) Giannantonio, John had lived in Palisades Park before moving to Sussex County. He had served as a Policeman for 30 years for the Palisades Park Police Department and had retired in 1996. John was a proud veteran, serving in the United States Marine Corps. He was a life member of the NRA and he enjoyed hunting, fishing and spending time outdoors. He adored his grandchildren and took a lot of pleasure in spending time with them and his family. John especially appreciated his vacation time in Myrtle Beach. He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Eileen (Kaiser) Giannantonio; his three daughters, Lisa Worts and her husband Craig of Frankford, Denise Hough and her husband, Rick of Montague, and Maria Sampson and her husband Brian of Wantage; his brother, Nicholas Giannantonio and his wife Marian of Mahwah; his seven grandchildren, Ricky, Michael, and Nicholas John Hough, Craig John Worts and John Nicholas Worts, and Angelina and Lia Sampson; his nephew, Nicholas Giannantonio, III and his wife Maria; and his niece, Dawn Giannantonio. Funeral services will be held at 7 p.m. on Friday, November 7, 2014 at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Friends may pay their respects to the family prior to the service on Friday from 4-7 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, PO Box

1893, Memphis, TN 38101-9950. Online condolences may be offered to the family at [www.pinkelfuneralhome.com](http://www.pinkelfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

JA

“ John G was, above all, a family man. He cherished his wife and daughters and the sons-in-law and grandchildren they brought to him. We had the pleasure of knowing him through Maria and will always remember his big smile and huge heart. Our sincere sympathy for your loss.  
*Jim and Debbie Anderson*

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**Jim and Debbie Anderson** - November 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ We are so sorry for your loss... John touched us all in one way or another, and Bob and I have always felt like family to you all... Bob will miss the times in the shed during hunting season... so many memories... no words can take away this loss of him as a Husband, Father, and Grandfather... Family meant the world to him and he is now watching over his family... He will be missed and his love for his family will continue to shine through all your memories. Hugs...and love always, Sherry & Bob

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**Bob & Sherry Hough** - November 07, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ TO THE FAMILY OF JOHN,WE LOOSE OUR LOVED ONES BUT THEY ARE ALWAYS IN OUR THOUGHTS. HAVE FAITH HE IS IN PEACE WITH HIS MALE COUSINS, WHO WERE LIKE BROTHERS TO EACH OTHER.HE WILL NEVER LEAVE YOU, ALWAYS IN YOUR THOUGHTS. SOME MEMORIES YOU WILL LAUGH ABOUT OTHERS WILL SADDEN YOU. HE IS OUT OF HIS PAIN, HE IS AT PEACE.! COUSIN MARY

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**MARY SAMBOGNA GALLO** - November 07, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you, always.*

Robin Marotta - November 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ *Praying for peace and comfort for your family.*

Chrissy Ennis-Gebbia - November 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TO

“ *Praying for God's peace until you are all together again.*

Toni - November 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your entire family today and in the days to come...*

Dawn & Rich Klein - November 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ *Heaven has gained another angel. I am so sorry for your loss. Sending love and strength to you all.*

*Love,  
Autumn, Meadow, & Brooklynn*

Autumn Davis - November 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ *Maria and Family- so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Tracy Douches - November 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

NR

“ So sorry...

*Johnny and I were very good friends in our youth and teenage years and at Leonia HS and then in the 70-92 years at Palisades Park.... we worked together on some Palisades Park HS activities ....*

*John was always the best...Nick Rotonda*

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**Nick Rotonda** - November 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *So sorry to one of the closest and nicest families I have ever met. He was a wonderful man and will be missed by many. He loved you all so very much. Heaven gained another angel and you all have him watching over you. Hugs and kisses to all. I love you guys.*

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**Dawn Fundell** - November 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *John Giannantonio*

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November 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ *Thoughts and prayers are with the entire family during this very difficult time. XOXO*

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**Joanne Dzialo** - November 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Dear Eileen,

*We are so very sorry for your loss. John was a wonderful man, and we will always treasure our memories of him. Our deepest sympathies to you and your family. God Bless, you're in our thoughts and prayers.*

*With Our Love,  
Mike & Sharon Paladino*

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**Sharon Paladino** - November 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM