



Nicholas J Palermo

February 9, 1937 - November 14, 2023

Nicholas J. Palermo, age 86, of Parsippany, NJ, passed away peacefully in his sleep on Tuesday, November 14, 2023. Born on February 9, 1937, in Jersey City, NJ, Nick was the son of the late Joseph Palermo and the late Agostina “Chickie” Tosto.

Nick was a graduate of Rutgers University earning a BA in Political Science in 1958 and an MBA from Fairleigh Dickinson University in 1967. After serving in the US Army, he started a 35-year career in banking. Upon his retirement from banking, he embarked on a second career as a 5th grade social studies teacher that brought him the most joy.

Nick married the love of his life, the late Josephine (nee Davino) Palermo, in 1960 and is survived by his daughter Jennifer Palermo, her husband Kevin Edwards, daughter Cristina Havens and her Husband John Havens, and grandchildren Kennedy Havens, Tucker Edwards and Jack Havens.

Visitation for Nick will be held on Thursday, November 16, 2023, from 4-8PM at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 268 Kinderkamack Rd., Oradell, NJ.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Nick’s name may be made to the Saint Jude’s Children's Research Hospital.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 16. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Volk Leber Funeral Home
268 Kinderkamack Road
Oradell, NJ 07649
info@volkleber.com
<http://www.volkleber.com>

Religious Service

NOV 16. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Volk Leber Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Nicholas J Palermo*



Volk Leber Funeral Home - November 15, 2023 at 10:43 AM

LG

Girls - Sending heartfelt condolences and prayers that the memories of your dad fills you will love forever. It's been a long while since your Mom & Dad allowed me the privilege to be a teenage "baby-sitter" you two cool cats, but the time stays seared in my fondest memory banks. That night led to an internship, a career launch, and most importantly the confidence to "Make it Happen" in my personal and professional life. I'm sure I'm one of hundreds that call your Dad a mentor, and hope it gives you both pride and happiness that his legacy does live on all over the world, in so many people. Love - Lorene Sabatino Graves (PS - I heard you guys still have the teeshirts, or I would have sent you mine :)xox

Lorene Jo Graves - November 18, 2023 at 10:33 AM



We spent much time over breakfast talking about our Italian heritage in the 1980s when I worked for the AMP. I admired your leadership skills very much. RIP.

Salvino Provino - January 30, 2024 at 08:54 AM

WB

“ Your Dad was one of my 2 sponsors for membership at Hackensack Golf Club in 1991. The letter he wrote for me was absolutely a masterpiece and I've referred to it many times during my career in business. May he rest in peace with God in heaven. Bill Bottine

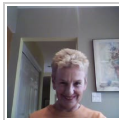
William Bottine - November 15, 2023 at 01:51 PM



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Pat and Jim Goldman send sincerest condolences to Jennifer, Christina and families. We remember Nick fondly having shared so many good times with him and Josephine. We admired, respected and loved Nick Palermo.

Pat Goldman - November 15, 2023 at 06:01 PM

JM

Most wonderful man and family ... I was fortunate to spend the most fun time with him in Australia.
I feel blessed to have known him.

Janet Merrill

Janet Merrill - November 16, 2023 at 07:55 PM

LG

Jennifer & Christina - I've had you two in thoughts and prayers. It was so long ago your parents trusted me to "sit" for you two. That fun night led to an Apprentice Management position at Chase, and your Dad becoming my most important mentor. I pray that happy memories of your time together, & the love your parents imbedded in your souls - and knowing he is well again and back with his lovely Jo - give you peace. And knowing his legacy does live on in so many who he taught to "Make It Happen" gives you pride.

Lorene Sabatino Graves 🍷

lorene graves - November 24, 2023 at 03:06 PM