



## Michael "Mike" Iliano

August 14, 1924 - November 5, 2018

Michael "Mike" Iliano, 94 of Willowick, passed away Monday, November 5, 2018 at the David Simpson Hospice House in Cleveland. He was born August 14, 1924 in San Palo Matese, Italy to the late Joseph and Theresa Iliano.

Mike came to the U.S. in 1929, settling down in Collinwood, Cleveland. He was a U.S. Navy Veteran and part of the Seabees from 1943-1946. He attended St. Mary Magdalene where he was also an usher. In 1986 he retired from Euclid Products as an Office Manager. He loved retirement and spent thousands of hours volunteering for various civic and church organizations. His love for volunteer work was only surpassed by his love of family and golf. He received the city of Willowick Public Servant of the Year award in 1994; Saint Mary Magdalene Man of the Year in 2000; Kiwanis Appreciation Award for service on the food bank in 2001 and the Willowick Chamber of Commerce Man of the Year in 2004.

Survivors include his sons, Joseph, Louis (Debra), Michael (Myra) and David (Carol) Iliano; grandchildren, Joey (Amanda), Tony (Janee), Katie (Les), Annie (Bo), David, Tony (Deanna) and Emily; 9 great-grandchildren; sister-in-law, Rosemarie Iliano; former daughter-in-law, Veronica Iliano and many other loving family members.

Preceding him in death are his wife of 62 years, Lucy; sister, Marie Sporich;

brother, Joseph "Junior" Iliano and daughter-in-law, Linda Iliano.

The family will receive friends 4-8pm., Wednesday, November 7, 2018 at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

A Funeral Mass will be held 10:30 am., Thursday, November 8, 2018 at St. Mary Magdalene 32114 Vine St, Willowick, OH 44095, please meet at the church.

Burial to take place in All Souls Cemetery, Chardon.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions in memory of Mike may be made to the Willowick Food Pantry 32114 Vine St, Willowick, OH 44095 or Hospice of the Western Reserve P.O. Box 72101, Cleveland 44192 donate online at [www.hospicewr.org](http://www.hospicewr.org)

Please offer condolences at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com).

# Cemetery Details

## All Souls Cemetery

10366 Chardon Rd.  
Chardon, OH 44024  
(800) 582-6850

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 7. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center  
8466 Mentor Avenue  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 255-3401  
ajs@brunners.com  
<https://www.brunners.com/>

## Funeral Mass

NOV 8. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Mary Magdalene  
32114 Vine St.  
Willowick, OH 44095  
(440) 943-2133

# Tribute Wall

JC

“ *Very sad to hear of the passing of Mr. Iliano. I was one of the guys who hung around with his son Joe in our teens. I remember Mr. Iliano being an advocate of the guys. He always had time for us and would ask our opinion on issues of the day. My sincere condolences to the family. Take care Joe Iliano!* ”

*Joe Chimera*

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**Joe Chimera** - November 07, 2018 at 03:58 PM

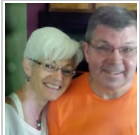
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“ *Candace, Pat, Perry and Frank Petrilli families purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Michael "Mike" Iliano.* ”



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**Candace, Pat, Perry and Frank Petrilli families** - November 07, 2018 at 09:41 AM

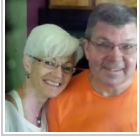


“ *Karen Zader lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Iliano* ”



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**Karen Zader** - November 06, 2018 at 04:35 PM



“ I still vividly remember being a young child at Grandma and Grandpa Paradiso's house on Sundays. That tiny little place was filled with anywhere from 6 to 10 adults and at least a dozen kids! Whenever the adults wanted some 'quiet adult' time, Uncle Mike would pull out the provolone cheese and goose liver (braunschweiger/liverwurst?), opening it up to let those 'delicious smells', in his opinion, waft around that tiny space. Well... that sure did send us kids running! Soooo, did he really like the smell of those foods...?

Also, whenever I think of him, I am reminded of how to be good natured, kind, and caring. He is an example to me of these precious qualities. Thank you, Uncle Mike.

Lovingly,  
Karen Zader (nee Ryan)

P.S. To my cousins: I'm guessing this might be a difficult time and you are feeling a loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. So many fond thoughts of our times together are still very much a part of my life and I feel connected through these memories. May we all continue to be good natured, kind, and caring as a tribute to your father.

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**Karen Zader** - November 06, 2018 at 04:32 PM

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“ Uncle Mike was a wonderful man. I know he will have a king size seat in heaven. I know he will be missed by all of you but always remember how lucky you were to have him as a father. May he RIP..

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**Patty and Lou Paradiso** - November 06, 2018 at 04:02 PM

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“ *Our condolences on your loss.*  
*Kathy & Bill Schmidt*

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**Kathy Schmidt** - November 06, 2018 at 01:31 PM



“ *Candi Paradiso lit a candle in memory of*  
*Michael "Mike" Iliano*



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**Candi Paradiso** - November 06, 2018 at 10:18 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the*  
*family of Michael "Mike" Iliano.*



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November 05, 2018 at 10:33 PM