



Anthony Valente

December 19, 1914 - June 28, 2002

Anthony Valente, 87, of Pershing Ave. New Britain, beloved husband of Anna Frangione Valente, died Friday June 28, 2002 at New Britain General Hospital. A lifelong New Britain resident and graduate of E.C. Goodwin Technical School, he served in the US Marine Corp during WWII. Tony was manager of shipping and receiving at the American Bazaar Corp. in New Britain for 45 years, retiring in 1990. He was a 71 year member of the South Congregational-First Baptist Church and sang with the church choir for over 50 years. He was also a member of the New Britain YMCA and was past president of the Marconi Club in New Britain.

Besides his wife of 61 years, he leaves a son, John Valente and his wife Pamela of Windsor; a daughter, Carol Collins and her husband Scott of New Britain; two sisters, Louise Tangarone of Rocky Hill and Terry Marino of Newington; 3 grandchildren, Paul Prims and his wife Dea of Windsor, Tracy Prims and Eric Prims both of New Britain; a great grandson, T.J. Hughes III; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services are Tuesday 10 AM at South Congregational-First Baptist Church 90 Main St., New Britain. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery. Calling hours are Monday evening 6 to 8 PM at Carlson Funeral Home 45 Franklin Square New Britain. Memorial donations may be made to the South Congregational-First Baptist Church.

Tribute Wall

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“ I had the pleasure of working with Tony's son, John for 10 plus years. I met Tony only once but it was obvious through John that his father's influence was always present. Regardless where John and I worked throughout the US and abroad, his parent's well being was always foremost on his mind.

Tony's legacy lives on with those he leaves behind. He will be missed.

Bob McGuire and family

The McGuires - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Growing up, I will always remember my annual visits to ‘the shop’ to find my new winter coat. Uncle Tony was always there to meet me and to patiently take me through the racks helping me to find the perfect style, color and fit. He always seemed to enjoy the process as much as I did and he seemed so proud and happy to be able to do this for me. Sometimes my choice was made just because I knew it was something he liked. He always had a way of making me feel special. And up to the last day that I saw him in the hospital earlier this month, despite being so ill, his response told me once again, I was someone special in his eyes. I am grateful for that day. I will always remember my Uncle Tony as a loving and gentle soul and I will miss him very much.

Rita Frangione - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ My father, my friend, and my confidant, you gave me all that I ever needed to make my life complete. I will miss you each and every day, for as long as I live.

John Valente - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM