

## Joseph V. Mazzara

February 23, 1940 - October 30, 2014

Joseph V. Mazzara passed away at his home in Macomb Township on October 30, 2014, at the age of 74. He was born on February 23, 1940 to Frank and Mary (nee Castiglione) Mazzara in Detroit. Joseph spent a career working at the Mazzara Cheese Manufacturing Company. Mazzara Cheese Manufacturing Company was a wholesale cheese manufacturer that was started by Joseph's father Frank in the 1940s when the family immigrated to the United States from Italy. Mazzara Cheese Manufacturing Company became a staple at the corner of Harper and Connors on Detroit's east side until its eventual closing in 1989.

Joseph is the beloved husband of Mary. Loving father of Mary (Pasquale) Presti, Ann Mazzara, Frank Mazzara and Gina Mazzara. Dear grandfather of 5 grandchildren. Dear brother of Leonardo (Carol) Mazzara, Maria (Gino) Salamone and Vito (Michele) Mazzara.

Visitation Saturday 5-9 p.m. and Sunday 1-9 p.m. with a 7 p.m. Scripture service at the Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. 49150 Schoenherr Rd. (N. of 22 Mile) Shelby Twp. Instate Monday 9:30 a.m. until time of Funeral Mass at 10 a.m. at St. John Vianney Church, 54045 Schoenherr Rd., Shelby Twp. Interment at Guardian Angel Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Guardian Angel Cemetery

4701 N Rochester Rd  
Rochester Hills, MI 48306

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 1. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
(586) 532-8600  
[shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com](mailto:shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com)

## Visitation

NOV 2. 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
(586) 532-8600  
[shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com](mailto:shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com)

## Scripture Service

NOV 2. 7:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
(586) 532-8600  
shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com

## Instate at Church

NOV 3. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. John Vianney Church  
54045 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, Mi

## Funeral Mass

NOV 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. John Vianney Church  
54045 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, Mi

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dear Mary and family-our sincere condolences to you & your family!  
Mario & Maria(Fazio) Verga and family*

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**Maria Verga** - November 02, 2014 at 06:16 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss.*

*Our deepest condolences,  
Maria, Dean, Grace and Paul Archer xo*

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**Maria Archer** - November 02, 2014 at 05:22 PM



*Our deepest condolences  
From Al Fazio (Gaspere) , Lea and Christian*

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**Al Fazio** - November 03, 2014 at 11:15 AM



“ *Our sincerest condolences to the Mazzara family. You are in our  
thoughts and prayers.*

*Leo & Pam Grammatico & family*

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**Leo & Pam Grammatico** - November 02, 2014 at 01:03 PM



“ *To a man I will love and admire, on of my best memories is when he  
would give you a hug and slap your back and say"guess who's  
back". May GOD bless your family through this hard time. Love to  
all. Dawn (Gentry) Morski.*

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**Dawn Morski** - November 02, 2014 at 12:42 PM

DL

“ I will always remember Joe during our hunting days up North with my husband, Carl and brother-in law Larry, and cousin Jerry. He was always so much fun. My heart goes out to Mary and family. God Bless!!! Doris Lathrop and Family

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**Doris Lathrop** - November 02, 2014 at 11:55 AM

GH

“ Dear dear Mary and family please accept my most sincere condolences .....words fail me to express my sorrow...sending love and prayers...your cousin Giuseppina Alagna

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**Giuseppina Alagna Hilsinger** - November 01, 2014 at 06:22 AM

CM

“ My sincerest condolences to the Mazzara family for your loss. My prayers are with you during this difficult time.

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**Caroline Militello-Gardner** - November 01, 2014 at 05:10 AM

MJ

“ So sorry about the loss of your father. Keeping you and your family in my prayers.

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**MICHELE Jackson** - October 31, 2014 at 08:56 PM

TM

“ Dear Mary and family....We are deeply saddened to hear of Joe's passing. We will always remember our youthful years, full of laughter and cheer at family gatherings. May God be with all of you during this difficult time.....Love, Tony & Linda Messina

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**Tony & Linda Messina** - October 31, 2014 at 08:26 PM

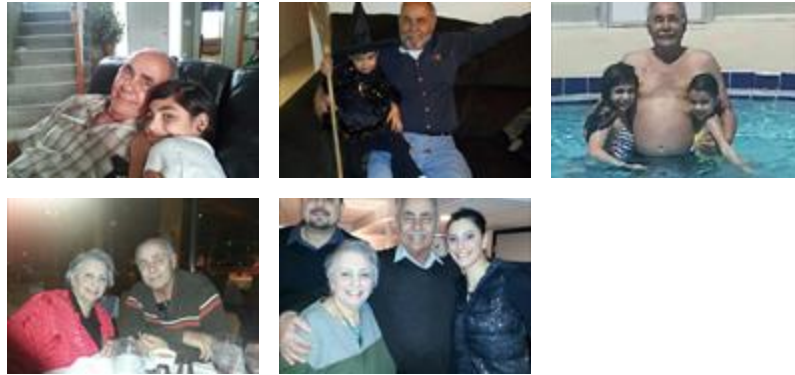
JM

“ Always a fun funny guy to be with. My condolence to all the family. -  
Joe Maio & family

joe maio - October 31, 2014 at 08:02 PM

ER

“ 11 files added to the album Joe Mazzare



eric - October 31, 2014 at 01:05 PM

ED

“ 23 files added to the album Joe Mazzare



Eric DeGraw - October 31, 2014 at 12:45 PM