



## Joseph Thomas Phillips

August 22, 1935 - December 2, 2023

Joseph Thomas Phillips was born on August 22, 1935 to Albert and Carmella in Malta. He passed away on December 2, 2023 at the age of 88. Beloved wife of Lourdes. Loving father of Mario (Jacqueline) Phillips and Denise (Scott) Terhaar. Proud nunu of Rachel, Nathaniel, Alexander, Emily (Will) and Joseph. Dear brother of Doris (the late Joseph) Galea and Margaret (Charles) Bonnici. Joseph is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

Joseph was a family man and loved his grandchildren unconditionally. He lived in Malta and came to Michigan for a better life. He was a hard worker where he worked for General Motors for 40 years. He had a love for soccer and became an avid soccer player.

Visitation will be held on Friday, December 8, 2023 from 1:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. with a 6:00 p.m. rosary at Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. 49150 Schoenherr Road (N. of 22 Mile) Shelby Township. Instate in church Saturday, December 9, 2023 from 9:30 a.m. until a 10:00 a.m. funeral mass at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, 44633 Utica Rd., Utica.

# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road  
Clinton Township, MI 48035

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 8. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Rosary

DEC 8. 6:00 PM (ET)

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

## Instate in church

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DEC 9. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church  
44429 Utica Road  
Utica, MI 48317

## Funeral Mass

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DEC 9. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church  
44429 Utica Road  
Utica, MI 48317

# Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Thomas Phillips.* ”



December 07, 2023 at 07:16 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph Thomas Phillips.* ”



December 07, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *110 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. - December 06, 2023 at 12:46 PM

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“ So many fond memories of Joe. He will certainly be missed. I'm sure he is entertaining everyone in heaven with his animated stories. Joe and Cindy Urbas

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**Joe and Cindy Urbas** - December 05, 2023 at 05:11 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Joseph Thomas Phillips.



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December 04, 2023 at 04:12 PM

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“ Loved seeing him at All Saints Catholic School when we were picking up the kids, (Marisa & Gina Mazziotti). He was always there, dependable and smiling.

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**Dona M Mazziotti** - December 04, 2023 at 09:06 AM