



## Philip J. Schweppenhauser

September 29, 1942 - April 1, 2025

Albany-Philip J. Schweppenhauser of Albany, NY, loved by many and admired by all, passed away surrounded by family in the early morning of April 1, 2025. A beloved Husband to the late Sandra T. Schweppenhauser (Sabatino) for 29 years and a loving companion to Irene Place for the past 21 years.

A devoted father to Philip A. Schweppenhauser (Kelly), Karen Grignon (Michael), and Lisa Catalano (Eric), and a loving Grandfather/ Plopers to Kayle Rose Messier and Lleyla A. Grignon.

Through his unwavering relationship with Irene, he gained an extended family of Chris and Monique Place (Nathaniel & Addisyn), Kelly and Graham Brewer (Samuel & Tyler), Jimmy Place and Renee Tilley-Goyette (Abigail, Victoria, Sarah).

Phil, born September 29th, 1942, was a Bronx man through and through and the only son of Valentine and Theresa (Kedl) Schweppenhauser. Through his extended family, he leaves many cousins.

A high school graduate of Mount St. Michael's in the Bronx and an alumnus of SUNY Farmingdale, Phil acquired a Bachelor's degree in Agricultural Sciences and began work with The NYS Department of Agriculture and Markets, retiring as a Chief Marketing Representative. In this role he spent

many a summer and autumn in Syracuse, NY running the wildly popular Potato Booth, showcasing New York's premier Potato crop.

After retirement from the State, Phil began a career at Capital District Off Track Betting as a Floating Manager.

A Volunteer Firefighter with North Bethlehem Fire Department, he served not only as a fireman but also as a District Commissioner for many years. In addition to his Volunteer work, he was also a Charter Member of the Guilderland Elks Lodge #2480.

Phil will be greatly missed and will continue to live on in the hearts of his friends and family through their treasured memories.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Philip's family Monday, April 7, 2025 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm in the Lasak & Gigliotti Funeral Home, 208 N. Allen St., Albany, NY 12206. Please enter the funeral home from the rear parking lot entrance only.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, April 8, 2025 at 10:30 am at All Saints Catholic Church, 16 Homestead St., Albany, NY where his funeral Mass will be celebrated.

The Rite of Committal will be held in St. Agnes Cemetery immediately following the Mass.

In lieu of flowers, please feel free to donate to the North Bethlehem Fire Department, or Guilderland Elks Lodge #2480.

To leave a message for the family or view other helpful services please visit [www.lgfuneralhome.com](http://www.lgfuneralhome.com).



# Cemetery Details

## St. Agnes Cemetery

48 Cemetery Ave  
Menands, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 7. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Lasak & Gigliotti Funeral Directors  
208 North Allen Street  
Albany, NY 12206  
(518) 463-1566

*Please enter funeral home from rear parking lot entrance only.*

## Funeral Mass

APR 8 (ET)

Parish of All Saints Catholic Church  
16 Homestead Street  
Albany, NY 12203

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lasak & Gigliotti Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Philip J. Schweppenhauser*



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**Lasak & Gigliotti Funeral Directors** - April 07, 2025 at 09:11 AM

PS

“ *Pam S. purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Philip J. Schweppenhauser.*



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**Pam S.** - April 06, 2025 at 03:44 PM

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“ *Carol, David, Brian, Megan, Craig, Emmy purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Philip J. Schweppenhauser.*



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**Carol, David, Brian, Megan, Craig, Emmy** - April 04, 2025 at 03:10 PM

JT

“ Our condolences to Irene and the family. Phil was a wonderful neighbor and so respected for his work with the North Bethlehem Fire Department.  
The Tynan Family

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**Judith Tynan** - April 03, 2025 at 02:58 PM

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“ Funniest Memory was the first time I got yelled at for driving the Lawnmower to fast, and the best part is there are a few people who can post the same thing as me here. Phil, R.I.P. and see you up there soon, in the mean time keep an eye on some of us down here would ya.... We Miss you so much and you are always Loved and never forgotten!

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**Eric Catalano** - April 03, 2025 at 02:15 PM

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*Sleep well, Philly Willy, and I will miss that wonderful smile of yours.*

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**Mary Gamelin** - April 03, 2025 at 03:20 PM