



Joseph P. Rucci, Jr.

December 9, 1926 - November 22, 2008

Joseph P. Rucci, Jr., on November 22, 2008 of Sewell, formerly of Southwest Philadelphia. Age 81. Husband of the late Dorothy E. (nee Furry). Father of Joseph P. Rucci, III (Denise) of Deptford, Donna M. Rucci of Sewell, Michael J. Rucci (Joanne) of Clayton, Michele Holland (late George) of Sewell, Paul Rucci (Carol) of Mullica Hill and David Rucci (Theresa) of Wenonah. Twelve grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mr. Rucci was a WWII Army veteran and was the founder and first president of the Elmwood Park Boys & Girls Club in Southwest Phila. He was a member of the South Phila. String Band and the Hog Island New Year's Association. Relatives and friends are invited to attend a viewing Friday 6pm to 9pm and Saturday 7:30am to 8:30am at BOUCHER FUNERAL HOME, 1757 Delsea Dr., Deptford. Funeral Mass 9:30am at Incarnation Church, Mantua. Interment SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery, Springfield, PA. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Boys Town, 300 Flanagan Blvd., PO Box 7000, Boys Town, Nebraska 68010.

Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph P. Rucci, Jr.*

November 27, 2022 at 03:45 PM



“ *Grandpa Joe was a wonderful person, I will never forget how he had a quarter cemented outside of his house and he would watch as people tried to pick it up and fail every time! He will be truly missed. My condolences go out to the family.*

Tara Brown - December 01, 2008 at 08:50 PM



“ *Dear Michael & Family
I am so sorry for your lost. From what I remember of your Dad he was always the life of a party. My wish for you and your family is to find peace now and know that your Dad is at peace finally.
love
denise*

denise manning-wilke - November 26, 2008 at 08:39 AM



“ *Godfather, You will be missed. Love Claudia and Family*

claudia madani - November 25, 2008 at 06:58 AM

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“ I feel so blessed to have known Joe and to be privileged enough to be able to call him family. He will be deeply missed by the entire Madani / Bierkortte family, but we will continue to love and remember he and Dot, and the many blessings that they brought to our live, and look forward to joining them for a Mummer dance when we meet on the other side.

Sheada Madani Pratico - November 24, 2008 at 09:23 PM

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“ Joey, Donna, Michael, Michele, Paul, David & Family,
I am so so sorry about the loss of your Dad. He was one of the most wonderful kind hearted man there ever was to who all knew him. I'll alway remember him when we were little down the field on 4th of July, at the pool in Colwyn, on our street (ULENA) sitting out side your house and him telling jokes and all us kids around him laughing and having fun. He was the one who got me the job I'm in today (33 yrs later)& still there. He is now with your Mom, and his family member's and looking down on all his children and smiling. I will remember him in my prayers and always.
Love Linda

Linda Dunbar - November 24, 2008 at 07:36 PM

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“ Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your Dad. I can never think of him without a smile on my face, he was a unique individual, always ready to lend a hand to anyone in need and a word of advice whether you wanted it or not!

Kathy Patterson Atkins - November 24, 2008 at 05:44 PM