

# O B I T U A R I E S

## Arthur Crisafulli

Arthur Crisafulli, of Quincy, formerly of Hull, passed away peacefully on March 23.

He was the devoted husband of Rose Marie C. Crisafulli (Cerrutti) of 56 years, as well as, the devoted father of Maria Lisa Crisafulli of Quincy and Stacy Anne Gonsalves and husband Gary of Rhode Island. Devoted nonno of Gabriella. Arthur also leaves his loyal dog, Smokey.

He was the devoted brother of the late Nardina Trischitti, of California, the late Joseph, formerly of Hull, his brother Carmellino of Italy and Ferdinand of Quincy. He also leaves many nieces and nephews and dear friends.



**ARTHUR CRISAFULLI**

Arthur was a contractor and antique dealer. He was a kind generous man who loved going to the Casino and poking around in his garden, playing the lottery, bowling and playing cards.

Private services were held for his immediate family. In honor of Arthur please do a kind act or make a donation to a favorite charity.

## Sean M. Graham, 45

Sean M. Graham, age 45, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, died peacefully, March 22, at Carney Hospital, in the comfort of his loving family.

Born in Dorchester, he was raised and educated in Quincy and attended Quincy High School. Sean was employed as a cook in various restaurants for many years. He also worked with his friend assisting him with the installation of water heaters.

Sean enjoyed bowling and shooting pool.

Loving father of Kayla N. Graham of Quincy.

Beloved son of Robert V. Graham of Dorchester and the late Roberta E. (Dooling) Graham.

Devoted brother of Kelsey Graham of Salem, Andrew Graham of Taunton, and the late Amy E. Graham.

Dear grandson of Francis V. Graham of Dorchester.



**SEAN M. GRAHAM**

Nephew of Rachel Otka of Connecticut.

He was also survived by many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

In light of current events, funeral services will be private. Memorial services will be held at a later date.

For those who wish, donations in Sean's memory may be made to the charity of your choice.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy

## Bernadeta B. Karosas

Bernadeta B. (Mimgaudis) Karosas, of Quincy, died March 26.

Bernadeta's family and faith were the center of her heart and life. Holidays, celebrations, and family gatherings kept her close to the ones she loved. She also enjoyed shopping, gardening, and trips to Vermont.

Mrs. Karosas was a member of the Lithuanian Social Club and St. Peter Lithuanian Church in S. Boston. She will be remembered as a giving person, who had a deep faith, and exhibited unconditional love to all those she met.

Beloved wife of the late Rimvydas "Raymond" Karosas. Loving mother of Algis Karosas and his wife Alison of VT, Daina Rosa of Boston, and Ruta Beach and her husband Rick of Quincy. Sister of Irene Hannigan of DE, and pre-deceased by five siblings. Grandmother of Raymond Laverty, Alyssa Beach, Tyler Beach, Ryan Beach, Kaitlin Beach, Aleksandra Karosas, Tasiya Karosas, and Maya Karo-



**BERNADETA B. KAROSAS**

sas. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Expressions of sympathy may be made in Bernadeta's memory to nonprofits helping to respond to COVID-19 or a favorite charity.

Normally, the funeral is an opportunity for the community to gather in support of one another. Although we cannot gather together with Bernadeta's family at this time, friends may still offer their support by visiting [www.Keohane.com](http://www.Keohane.com) and sharing a special memory or message.

For those who cannot access the website, call 1-800-KEOHANE to have your message added.

## Frederick P. Hallisey

Frederick P. Hallisey, of S. Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, died in the comfort of his home with his family by his side on March 21.

Fred was born and raised in Quincy to the late George and Margaret Hallisey. He attended Quincy High School and was a proud United States Navy veteran.

Fred worked hard to start his own contracting business; D.E.H. General Contracting Inc. and retired in 1995. He spent his remaining years working by the side of his son Fred in his business. He embraced the time with his family and also enjoyed spending time on his front stoop with neighbors, their children and grandchildren. He will be dearly missed by all who knew him.

Beloved husband of 50 years to Darlene E. Hallisey of S. Weymouth. Loving father to Lisa M. Bohmbach and Robert of E. Taunton, Anne M. Hallisey of S. Weymouth, Sharlene M. Cellini and Joseph of S. Weymouth, Frederick P. Hallisey II and Ellen of S. Weymouth



**FREDERICK P. HALLISEY**

and John S. Balonis. Dear brother of Anne Meade of Weymouth, Warren Hallisey of FL and the late George, Paul, Robert and David Hallisey. Devoted Grandfather to 6 grandchildren whom he adored; Scott Balonis, Joseph Cellini, Teresa Santos, Ariana Cellini, Molly Hallisey and Frederick P. Hallisey III. Soon to be great grandfather with the anticipated arrival Mia Belle Cellini. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Services for Fred shall be announced at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, consider a donation in memory of Fred to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis TN 38105.

## Ethel Frances Merrigan

Ethel Frances Merrigan, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, died peacefully at her home on Tuesday, March 24, 2020. She was 93.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Dorchester and was the daughter of the late Edward J. (1971) and Ethel M. (Lane) Merrigan (1957). Ethel attended local schools and graduated from the Jeremiah E. Burke High School with the Class of 1945. After high school, Ethel went to work for John Hancock where she retired after 40 years as an office manager.

In her spare time, Ethel enjoyed quilting and playing cards with friends. Primarily, she devoted her life, love and attention to her family; they were her universe. She especially enjoyed the annual family trips to Hyannis, Cape Cod and Lake George, New York where lifetime memories for two generations were forged. She taught her nieces, nephews, grand nieces and grand nephews the value of family. Ethel was the definition of a selfless individual. Her life lessons and example are her legacy that continues through her family.

Ethel was the loving aunt of Carol McLaughlin of Weymouth, Susan Curran and her husband James, Edward Merrigan and his wife AnneMarie, all of Quincy,



**ETHEL F. MERRIGAN**

Patricia Stein of Bridgewater and Karen Merrigan of Weymouth. She was the loving grand aunt of Artie of Quincy, Mark and his partner Christina of Hanover, Brian of Yarmouth, ME, Stephen of Rockland, Colleen of Weymouth, Katie, Griffin, Shae, Eddie, Joey and Rachael, all of Quincy, Danielle and her fiance, Devin, of Halifax, and Jonathan of Attleboro. Ethel was the loving great grand aunt of Liv of Hanover. She was preceded in death by her brother Edward J. Merrigan, Jr. (1966) and Pauline O. Merrigan (1986).

In keeping with current health concerns regarding the Covid-19 coronavirus, services will be private.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Ethel's name may be sent to the charitable organization of one's choice.

## Robert L. Patcha

Robert L. Patcha, age 81, of Quincy, formerly of Boston and Arlington, Virginia, died peacefully, Sunday, March 22, 2020, at South Shore Hospital.

Robert was born in Downey, California and raised in Long Beach. He was a graduate of California State University, Long Beach, Class of 1961.

He had lived in Quincy for the past four years, previously Boston for fifteen years, and earlier in Arlington, Virginia for twenty-five years.

Bob was proud to have served in the United States Coast Guard Reserve for over twenty years, retiring

with the rank of Commander.

In retirement, he worked as a webmaster for several Boston organizations including the Newmarket Business Association.

Bob was an accomplished and talented singer, performing at Symphony Hall as a member of a choral group which also performed in Europe.

Beloved son of the late Rudolph John and Rowena Josephine (Pence) Patcha.

Dear brother of the late Pamela Sue Weidler.

Also survived by several nieces, nephews, and his friends, Herb and Janice.

At Bob's request, funeral services were private.

## Donald K. Kennedy, 68

Donald K. Kennedy of Quincy passed away unexpectedly on March 27 at age 68.

A lifelong Quincy resident, he was a Vietnam veteran, U.S. Army and worked as a carpenter in the Carpenter's Union. Don was the loving father of Donald Kennedy and his wife Michelle of Quincy; dear grandfather of Rory; beloved bother of Diane

Campbell of FL, Debbie Shagley of MD, Darlene Clausen of NY, Dorene Robison of VT and David Kennedy of FL; and is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

In light of current events services will be held at a future date.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.



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