



## Anne Murray - Duso

February 1, 1922 - January 21, 2020

Anne Murray Duso, age 97, passed away peacefully on January 21, 2020, at Centra State Medical Center in Freehold, NJ after a brief illness.

Anne was born on February 1, 1922 to Irish immigrants, Mary (Farrell) and John McGreevy, in the Red Hook section of Brooklyn, NY. Her parents later moved to East Flatbush, where Anne continued to live, work and eventually raise her family in the home in which she was raised.

Upon graduation from Girls Commercial High School, Anne began a long and successful career with NY Telephone, NYNEX, eventually retiring after forty-three years of service as a customer traffic manager with Verizon during which time she balanced her career and family flawlessly as a woman before her time.

In August 1943, Anne married the love of her life, Joseph T. Murray, who was then a soldier in the US Army stationed in Bangor, Maine. Sadly, he passed away in 1976 at the age of 56. Upon his death, Anne courageously sold her home in Brooklyn and in 1977 migrated to Manalapan, NJ, all the while commuting to work in either Brooklyn or Staten Island and taking brief vacations to her home in Florida, where she eventually met Robert Duso, whom she married in 1988. She then divided her time between Florida and New Jersey, never wanting to be away from her children and grandchildren for

too long.

Anne is predeceased in death by her loving husband, Joseph T. Murray; her parents, Mary and John McGreevy; her sisters Mary and Helen McGreevy; and her brothers, John (Margaret) and Joseph (Loretto) McGreevy. She is survived by her husband, Robert Duso and her loving and devoted children Joseph (Claire Sutherland) Murray and Patricia Greene. She will always and forever be affectionately known as 'GranMommy' to her grandchildren, Richard Greene, Kristen (Daniel Salfas), Erin (Kristopher Kapinos); and Jodie (James Rossi) and by her great grandchildren, Ryan, James, Haley, Gavin, Marissa and Connor.

She will be forever missed as a mother, grandmother, great grandmother, mentor and as an example of enduring courage, strength and complete and utter selfless love.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that donations be made to the St. Jude Children's Hospital.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 - 8:00 PM on Monday, January 27, 2020 at the Michel Hegarty/John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service, 3377 US Highway 9, Old Bridge, NJ 08857.

A funeral mass will be held at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, January 28, 2020 at the St. Thomas More Church, 186 Gordons Corner Road, Manalapan, NJ 07726.

Online condolences may be made to the family at:[www.Hegarty/ScaliaFuneralHome.com](http://www.Hegarty/ScaliaFuneralHome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **27**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service  
3377 US Highway 9  
Old Bridge, NJ 08857  
(732) 679-4422  
hegartyfh@scaliahome.com  
<https://www.hegartyscaliafuneralhome.com>

## Service

JAN **28**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Thomas More Church  
186 Gordons Corner Rd  
Manalapan Township, NJ 07726

# Tribute Wall



“ *Anne Murray - Duso*

October 05, 2023 at 11:16 AM



“ *273 files added to the album LifeTributes*



**Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service** - January 27, 2020 at 12:54 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Anne Murray - Duso.*



January 27, 2020 at 10:46 AM

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“ *Brian Sutherland & Family purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Anne Murray - Duso.*



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**Brian Sutherland & Family** - January 26, 2020 at 12:51 PM

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“ *My beautiful Granmommy, oh how I will miss you so. My heart is broken in pieces. I will always cherish our time and memories. Thank you for your unconditional love and always being one of my biggest cheerleaders* 🥰🥰🥰🥰🥰

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**Kristen Salfas** - January 26, 2020 at 12:14 PM

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“ *Mommy, I will miss you all the days of my life. You were such a part of me that I sometimes wondered where you left off and I began. I know this. You will always be the most wonderful, loving, selfless mother there ever was. I know this too - that you gave life to me twice, and I am going to be fine. Where would I be without you? The only regret I have is that you can no longer hear me tell you how much I love you. I have to believe that you are hugging Daddy right now; he has waited long enough for his “War Department” to arrive.*

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**Patricia Greene** - January 26, 2020 at 11:45 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Anne Murray - Duso.*



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January 25, 2020 at 10:20 AM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Anne Murray - Duso.*



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January 24, 2020 at 04:17 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Anne Murray - Duso.*



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January 24, 2020 at 01:36 PM