



John Panagis

February 1, 1973 - June 20, 2025

John Panagis, 52 of Old Bridge, New Jersey passed away on Friday, June 20, 2025, at Raritan Bay Medical Center in Old Bridge, New Jersey.

Born Thursday, February 1, 1973 in Cleveland, Ohio, John was the son of Fran Panagis, and Andreas Panagis.

The Panagis family moved to Old Bridge when John was a young boy. John grew up in Old Bridge, and was a graduate of Cedar Ridge High School. Throughout his youth John enjoyed all sports, and would continue to conquer them all later in life.

John was a skilled handy man. He worked in construction, where he specialized in painting. He was a jack-of-all-trades, but when John wasn't working he enjoyed watching football games, and going golfing. More than anything he loved spending time with his family.

John is survived by his beloved daughter, Lilly, by his mother Fran, by his father, Andreas, and by his brothers, Christopher and James.

A Funeral service will be at 10:00 AM on Wednesday at Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals and Cremation Service located at 3377 US Highway 9 Old Bridge, New Jersey 08857. Interment will be in

Forest Green Cemetery, Morganville, NJ.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Tuesday, June 24, 2025, at Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals and Cremation Service, 3377 US Highway 9, Old Bridge, New Jersey.

Cemetery Details

Forest Green Cemetery

535 Texas Road
Morganville, NJ 07751

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 24. 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.hegarty-scaliafuneralhome.com>

Service

JUN 25. 10:00 AM (ET)

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JUN **25** (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Panagis.

June 24, 2025 at 07:13 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Panagis.

June 24, 2025 at 03:48 PM



“ Alex and Colleen Kaliakmanis purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of John Panagis.



Alex and Colleen Kaliakmanis - June 24, 2025 at 01:43 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



jp - June 24, 2025 at 01:42 PM

JP

“ <https://cdn.f1connect.net/m/obituaries/static/85504/img/nomedias.jpg>

jp - June 24, 2025 at 01:41 PM



“ A grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Panagis.

June 23, 2025 at 10:42 PM

EF

“ Egoavil-Wong Family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of John Panagis.



Egoavil-Wong Family - June 23, 2025 at 06:40 PM

CB

“ Christine Boldt lit a candle in memory of John Panagis



Christine Boldt - June 23, 2025 at 05:53 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of John Panagis.*



June 23, 2025 at 02:06 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Panagis.

June 23, 2025 at 02:06 PM



“ *The Greger Family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of John Panagis.*



The Greger Family - June 22, 2025 at 10:17 PM

CR

“ John spent the last year and a 1/2 working on our home. Almost every room was touch by his talented craftsmanship. The only room he didn't have a chance to finish was our bathroom. During that time we spent many hours talking about his beloved Lily and his mom. He was like uncle John in our home. We saw his smiling face every morning and looked forward to his meticulous work. When he would leave all his tools so organized we always would smile as it sat there. He was so proud of Lily and was looking forward to living with Lily and his mom. His eyes light up every time he told us a Lily story he truely was amazed by her and loved her so so deeply. He shared childhood stories and some college stories.

He was the type of friend that would bake cookies and just randomly drop them off on a weekend. He would packaged them individually for each family member so we didn't fight over them.

We can't put into words how devastating this loss feels. We are grateful to have called him our friend.
We want to extend our deepest condolences to Lily & his family.

Regards,
Blumberg Family

Cristina - June 22, 2025 at 03:39 PM



What can I say... John, Jimmy, and Chris were the closest thing to brothers I ever had. Met when I was 11. Instant best friend. Riding bikes in the neighborhood. Years of summers at the lake ridge west pool. Firework wars in the woods. (Thanks dad for the supplies) . My favorite was the summer building the fort in the woods. Going to the Delaware water gap, being to cheap to rent an inner tube so we went down the Delaware on an air mattress... And just to much to mention. I will miss you John. Love you bro...

Denis Aponte - June 22, 2025 at 05:47 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of John Panagis.



June 22, 2025 at 02:28 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Panagis.

June 22, 2025 at 02:28 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family of John Panagis.



June 22, 2025 at 12:31 PM