



## Joseph E Petta, Jr.

July 19, 1937 - July 18, 2018

Joseph E Petta, Jr., 80 of Old Bridge, New Jersey passed away, surrounded by his loving family on Wednesday, July 18, 2018, at Roosevelt Care Center in Old Bridge, New Jersey.

Born Monday, July 19, 1937 in Brooklyn, New York, Joseph was the son of the late Joseph Sr., and Amelia Petta.

Joseph was born in Brooklyn, eventually he would move to Hempstead Long Island, before settling in Old Bridge, NJ almost 35 years ago. Joseph was a proud veteran of the United States Army. Joseph worked alongside his father and brother, as a trading specialist on the American Stock Exchange. Joseph was a great cook, and with that talent enjoyed hosting parties for friends and family. He was an avid Jets fan. Joseph will be missed by all those that loved him.

Joseph was predeceased by his parents Joseph Sr. and Amelia, and by his brother Lewis Petta.

Joseph is survived by his beloved wife of 34 years, Catherine, by his loving children, Joseph E. Petta III and his wife Bonnie, and Mary Kate Romanowski and her husband Robert, by his cherished granddaughter Daisy Petta, by his caring sister Anita Rafferty, and by many loving nieces and nephews, brother

in laws, and sister in laws.

A Funeral Mass will take place on Monday at 10:15 AM, at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Old Bridge, NJ. Private Cremation to follow.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM on Sunday, July 22, 2018, at Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals and Cremation Service, 3377 US Highway 9, Old Bridge, New Jersey.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **22.** 1:00 PM - 5:00 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

JUL **23.** 10:15 AM (ET)

St. Thomas the Apostle  
1 St Thomas Plaza  
Old Bridge, NJ 08857

# Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph E Petta, Jr.*

October 05, 2023 at 11:16 AM



“ *Linda Y lit a candle in memory of Joseph E Petta, Jr.*



Linda Y - August 08, 2018 at 11:05 PM



*My deepest condolences to Cathy and family.*

Linda Y - August 08, 2018 at 11:06 PM



“ *Love, Susie, Rich and Aaron Degaetano purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Joseph E Petta, Jr..*



Love, Susie, Rich and Aaron Degaetano - July 21, 2018 at 03:30 PM

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“ *Sincerely, Pak, Bernard, Claudia, & family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Joseph E Petta, Jr..*



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**Sincerely, Pak, Bernard, Claudia, & family** - July 20, 2018 at 09:31 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Joseph E Petta, Jr..*



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July 20, 2018 at 12:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joseph E Petta, Jr..*



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July 20, 2018 at 10:26 AM

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“ *Janice Healy purchased the A Full Life for the family of Joseph E Petta, Jr..*



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**Janice Healy** - July 20, 2018 at 09:46 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Joseph E Petta, Jr.*



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July 20, 2018 at 08:19 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Joseph E Petta, Jr.*



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July 19, 2018 at 10:58 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Joseph E Petta, Jr.*



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July 19, 2018 at 07:29 PM



“ *Debra Wisowaty* lit a candle in memory of *Joseph E Petta, Jr.*



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**Debra Wisowaty** - July 19, 2018 at 06:05 PM



*Cheryl Trancucci lit a candle in memory of Joseph E. Petta Jr*

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**CHERYL trancucci** - July 19, 2018 at 07:03 PM