



## Margaret Kokas

April 2, 1941 - December 11, 2020

Margaret Kokas, 79 of Old Bridge, New Jersey passed away on Friday, December 11, 2020, at the Jersey Shore Medical Center in Neptune, New Jersey.

Born Wednesday, April 2, 1941 in Galway, Ireland, Margaret was one of 11 children born to Christopher and Celia Murphy.

After attending school in Ireland Margaret would join her oldest sister in the United States in 1962, moving to the Bronx. Soon after that Margaret would meet her future husband, and the couple would have a daughter, and resided in the Bronx.. They would then live in Manhattan before moving to Manchester, England. After their second daughter was born the family would move to Staten Island, where they would have a son, then Tennessee, before returning to New York City, living in the Bay Ridge section of Brooklyn. It was later in life that Margaret would move to Old Bridge. Margaret worked as a switchboard operator for many years. She enjoyed watching Jeopardy, and taking trips to Atlantic City. Margaret most enjoyed spending time with her children and family, especially going to Brunch with the whole family. She was a dedicated mother who will be deeply missed by all those that loved her.

Margaret is survived by her loving children, Cecelia Bader and her husband Hal, Cathy McEvoy and her husband Kevin, and Steven Kokas, and by her

cherished grandchildren, Shannon Bader and Michael Kokas.

The family will receive friends from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Monday, December 14, 2020, 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

DEC **14**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Margaret Kokas*



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**Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service** - December 13, 2020 at 09:46 AM



“ *Margaret Kokas*

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October 05, 2023 at 11:16 AM



“ *Abington Reldan, LLC lit a candle in memory of Margaret Kokas*



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**Abington Reldan, LLC** - December 14, 2020 at 02:55 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Margaret Kokas.*



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December 13, 2020 at 02:00 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Margaret Kokas.*



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December 13, 2020 at 11:45 AM



“ *134 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service** - December 13, 2020 at 09:35 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Kokas.*



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December 13, 2020 at 07:41 AM

JM

“ Deepest condolences to Cecelia Cathy and Steve. You're Mom will be truly missed but the memories we have together will keep her light shining forever.  
Love Floyd and Joanne💔💔



Joanne Miller - December 12, 2020 at 08:38 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Margaret Kokas.



December 12, 2020 at 06:57 PM

CB

“ My deepest condolences to all on the loss of a wonderful lady Auntie Marge 🙏❤️ Love Chris and Dylan

Christopher Burke - December 12, 2020 at 06:40 PM

CM

“ Our deepest condolences to you all, our hearts are with you.  
Love, Connie & Epi Magnus-Melendez

Connie Magnus-Melendez - December 12, 2020 at 05:13 PM

TF

“ *The Quaglieri Family purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Margaret Kokas.*



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**The Quaglieri Family** - December 12, 2020 at 04:06 PM

SR

“ *Mrs. Kokas, I am sorry to hear of your passing. Your family is very special to me and I pray for your eternal peace and peace for those you left behind.* 🙏🙏🙏

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**Susan Arrabito Reilly** - December 12, 2020 at 03:13 PM

MB

“ *With thoughts of comfort and peace during your time of sorrow.*

*Love Christine and Mike*

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**Michael Burke** - December 12, 2020 at 03:00 PM

CB

“ *Mom you will be forever missed but will always remain in our hearts and memories. You were always such a strong person no matter what challenges we had to face! I love you mom* 💔💔



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**cecelia bader** - December 12, 2020 at 02:11 PM