



## Raymond H. Chiusano

February 24, 1943 - March 22, 2024

In the early hours of March 22, 2024, Raymond Henry Chiusano left us to be with the lord.

Raymond Henry Chiusano was born on February 23, 1943, in Baldwin, New York. He

was the beloved son of the late Henry and Antoinette Chiusano. In his younger

years he enjoyed playing and watching sports, cars and finding the best pizza spots.

He graduated from Baldwin Senior High School.

Shortly after graduating high school, he joined the Army from 1964-1967.

During

that time, he did a tour in Korea. Ray would often speak of his time in the army and

his experiences in Korea.

Later in life, his family put down roots in Marlton, N. Ray attended Glassboro State

College and received his degree in Industrial Arts. He briefly worked in education

then dedicated most of his career to working in construction with his cousins for

their family's company, Chiusano Builders. In retirement, he worked for BJ's

Wholesale Club, where he enjoyed working with his co-workers.  
In his golden years, Ray met and married his sweetheart, Marianne Chiusano, on September 22, 2001. They lived in Voorhees, NJ for 17 years before settling in Mount Laurel, NJ. Ray and Marianne enjoyed going out to dinner, family parties and celebrations. Ray was a devout Catholic and would rarely miss a Sunday mass at St. Thomas Moore Church in Cherry Hill, NJ. Ray was also an active member of the Knights of Columbus. He loved to dance and was known to light up the dance floor.

Sometimes Ray would dazzle us by beautifully playing Heart and Soul on the piano.

For 23 years, Ray and Marianne lived a beautiful life together.

Raymond Henry Chiusano is lovingly survived by his wife Marianne Chiusano, stepchildren, Danielle(Matt) Christiansen and Brian Stayton; sisters, Annette Chiusano and Rosemary Billert; nephew John Billert; and a devoted Raypop to Dylan and Lily Christiansen. .

Relatives and friends may visit from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 27, 2024 at the Perinchief Chapels, 438 High Street, Mount Holly, N.J. A funeral service will follow at 12:00 p.m. at the Funeral Home.

Funeral Services for Raymond will be live streamed via Zoom, log in credentials are posted below.

Meeting ID: 831 9004 3411

Passcode: Chiusano1



# Previous Events

## Family and Friends Received

MAR 27. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Perinchief Chapels  
438 High Street  
Mt. Holly, NJ 08060  
(609) 267-0399  
info@perinchief.com  
<http://www.perinchief.com>

## Funeral Service

MAR 27. 12:00 PM (ET)

Perinchief Chapels  
438 High St.  
Mount Holly, NJ 08060  
(609) 267-0399

# Tribute Wall

LN

“ I only knew Ray a short time but you didnt have to know him long to know his kind heart. I wish I had known him in his dancing days because it would have been so much fun. I will always remember his smile, his wanting to enjoy life until the end. His wonderful partner Marianne made his world a better place and he was lucky to have walked his earthly journey with her. He will be waiting for us all and I will want a dance. I will miss you my friend and I thank you both for all the kindness you showed me and Scott. You made Medford a better place. Lorraine and Scott Nogle

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**Lorraine Nogle** - March 27, 2024 at 09:36 AM

LC

“ I have only been blessed to know Ray and Marianne over this last year.

As we all are aware he was placed in Medford Care Center as his Parkinsons was taking over his body- not his wit or humor- that was not the case!

He always greeted me when I visited my sister Christine and we often enjoyed meals together!!! He would interject the funniest things when you were not expecting it.

Ray would have that sparkle in his eyes when we would reminisce about old times. He could always make Marianne laugh and I know that was one thing she loved about him.

Ray loved his sweets and Chocolate.

Marianne's love and devotion kept him going as there were days he wouldn't take his medications due to the taste- but he would do it for her... or he knew I would not stop bothering him to do so!

We had a grand Birthday Party this year and you could see that he enjoyed the party as he was smiling the whole time.

I know that there will be days ahead that will be hard but please know I am here for you and I cherish this friendship that I wouldn't have had if our paths had not crossed at Medford Care Center.

Love and prayers to you and your family,  
Lori and Christine

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**Lori Clayton** - March 26, 2024 at 11:53 AM

TT

“ How lucky am I to have something that makes saying goodbye so hard. Tom Tait

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**Tom Tait** - March 26, 2024 at 11:38 AM

TT

“ Tom and Cynthia Tait purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Raymond H. Chiusano.



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**Tom and Cynthia Tait** - March 26, 2024 at 11:36 AM

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“ Tom and Cynthia Tait planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raymond H. Chiusano.

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**Tom and Cynthia Tait** - March 26, 2024 at 11:36 AM

SP

“ Sending many prayers to Marianne and family. I enjoyed seeing him. Always a smile and wanting a hug. Will miss seeing him.

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**Sandra Potts** - March 26, 2024 at 11:10 AM

LD

“ Ray was the handsome BIG brother of my best friend Ro and her glamorous big sister Annette!! More than anything I loved Friday night dinners at the Chiusano house!! Best pasta on the planet and I was always thrilled to be a part of that incredible family! Ray is at peace now and he'll be welcomed by Nettie and Hank!!! We'll miss you Ray.....



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**Leslie Bowra Danzer** - March 25, 2024 at 06:25 PM

AC

*So many amazing memoies at 11 Campus Pl, Leslie. You truly were his 3rd sister to round off the 4-some! He loved you very much. In our hearts forever. XOXO*

**Annette Chiusano** - March 26, 2024 at 08:47 PM

SG

“ *Marianne,*

*Ray was such a wonderful man! He was so kind, smart, funny, and determined. And, so handsome!*

*He was also loved by all at the home. There is such an air of sadness there without him.*

*Ray was so blessed to have you; and you him. You lit up each other's lives.*

*The bond of love is never broken, not even in death. His spirit will always be with you. Hopefully, knowing that will help heal your broken heart.*

*Along with knowing he is now lighting up Heaven's dance floor.*

*With love,  
Sheila*

**Sheila A Ghiglieri** - March 25, 2024 at 11:23 AM

RS

*Love you bro. Thank you for sharing your kindness & sense of humor w the world. And being a kind God father to John. He felt your love & you made him laugh & come out of his shell. Give mom & dad hugs from Annette & I & hopr u see Doug & your buddies. And be sure to put your dancing shoes on* ❤️ 🙏 🙏 😊

**Ro Chiusano Sistet** - March 27, 2024 at 07:20 AM

SA

“ Sheila A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raymond H. Chiusano.

Sheila A. - March 25, 2024 at 02:01 AM

AF

“ Anita Chiusano DeNardo and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Raymond H. Chiusano.



Anita Chiusano DeNardo and family - March 24, 2024 at 08:07 PM

JC

“ Jim and Mary Cullen and Phil Chiusano purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Raymond H. Chiusano.



Jim and Mary Cullen and Phil Chiusano - March 24, 2024 at 03:23 PM

CM

“ My deepest condolences and prayers for all of Ray's family. Ray was my oldest cousin and although I didn't see him often when I did he always had a bright smile and warm hug. May God bless Ray and welcome him home. Sincerely, Carolyn Magistro McCrann

Carolyn McCrann - March 24, 2024 at 03:20 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Raymond H. Chiusano.



March 24, 2024 at 02:54 PM



“ Pete and Patt Christiansen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raymond H. Chiusano.

**Pete and Patt Christiansen** - March 24, 2024 at 02:54 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Raymond H. Chiusano.



March 24, 2024 at 11:36 AM