



## Joseph "Chris" T Vanderstine

January 31, 1942 - September 15, 2023

Joseph T. "Chris" Vanderstine, 81, of Haddon Heights, NJ, passed away peacefully at his home on September 15, 2023.

Born in Philadelphia, PA on January 31, 1942 to Joseph W. and Anna P. Vanderstine. Devoted husband to the late Kathleen J. Vanderstine (nee Mahler). Dear Father to Gabrielle (Rob) Kemly, Lois (Richard) Vespe and Dana DeMone. Loving Grandfather to Alexa (Michael) Desiante and Julia Kemly. Great Grandfather to Giavanna. Dear Brother to Philip (Evelyn) Vanderstine.

Uncle of Perry (Rebecca) Gallese, Christina (Nate) Dibble, and Jonathan Vanderstine. Great-Uncle of Grayson, Ariana, Juliet and Lucas.

Joseph was a talented architect. He enjoyed traveling with his Wife Kathleen and their friends, a few of their favorite trips were to Key West, Maui, and on board the Queen Elizabeth 2. He spent his time playing and watching sports such as football, softball, baseball and golf. He loved his cats, Corvette, and spending time by his built in pool with his family and friends. You could always find him by his garden, riding his bike or taking a walk on a sunny day. We will certainly miss his e-mails "just checking in", his singing Happy Birthday phone calls every year, and his presence at family dinners and holidays. He was greatly loved and will be missed by all.

A gathering of friends and family will be held on Saturday, September 30th at Givnish of Marlton, 398 E. Main Street, starting at 11:30am. His memorial service will follow at 12:30pm. In lieu of flowers, donations in his name may be made to the Animal Welfare Association, [awanj.org](http://awanj.org)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 30. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Givnish Funeral Home Marlton  
398 E Main St  
Marlton, NJ 08053  
(856) 452-5090  
info@givnish.com

## Memorial Service

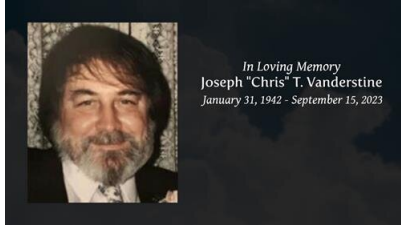
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Givnish Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joseph "Chris" T Vanderstine*



**Givnish Funeral Home** - September 29, 2023 at 10:11 AM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph "Chris" T Vanderstine.*



September 26, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



**Grayson Gallese** - September 19, 2023 at 09:14 PM



“ *I will miss Uncle Chris a lot. My favorite memories are being at his pool with him, going out to dinner with him, and him being just a block away. I remember working on his pool every summer and helping him with the garden. He planted cucumbers because he knew they were my favorite. He was like a grandpa to me and he was very special. Love you Man -Grayson*

**Grayson Gallese** - September 19, 2023 at 09:05 PM

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“ Uncle Chris will be greatly missed! I will miss: his broccoli rabe and Delbuono rolls left at our door, our pizza Fridays (he always brought me flowers and Italian bread - what more could a woman ask for?), 7 am visits and coffee, his calls on every birthday and anniversary (he was always the first to call), summers swimming in his crystal blue pool with the fridge stacked in 1801B, our Christmas day celebrations - these are just to name a few. I appreciated how prompt, reliable and helpful Uncle Chris was. He was there for EVERYTHING - taking care of our cats while we were away, helping with outside Christmas lights, being there for Grayson's pre-school plays and sixth grade graduation (and everything in between). What I am mostly grateful for is the role he played in Perry's life. It's because of Uncle Chris that Perry is the man that he is today. Love you man!  
Rebecca

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**Rebecca Gallese** - September 19, 2023 at 05:33 PM

JV

“ I remember all the times Uncle Joe would take me on job sites to measure for new structures so he could draw blueprints. He truly was a great man he took the time to show me how to do many things from playing golf, reading and drawing blueprints, and just how to have a good time. He was always there for me and I am going to miss the happy birthday and holiday calls. He was truly a main pillar in the family and will be truly missed.

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**Jonathan Vanderstine** - September 19, 2023 at 02:38 PM

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*Joe I will miss you at lunch every week.*

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**Ellie Enders** - September 20, 2023 at 09:19 AM