



Salvatore DiLisi

May 11, 1962 - December 4, 2025

Salvatore DiLisi, 63, of Cinnaminson, NJ, passed away peacefully on December 4, 2025, with his family by his side. Born in Carini, Palermo, Sicily on May 11, 1962, to Giacomo and Concetta DiLisi (Cucci).

Devoted husband to Nancy Sparacio for 38 years. Loving father to Giacomo Antonio DiLisi (Isabella) and Valeria DiLisi. Proud Nonno to Angelina DiLisi. Dear brother to Croce DiLisi (Susanna). Sal will be missed by many nieces, nephews, other relatives, and countless friends.

When Sal was 10, he and his brother came to the United States for a year in 1972. He returned permanently in 1977, where he would soon open Pizza Plaza, later known as DiLisi Ristorante, in Bridgeton, NJ. It was there that Salvatore discovered his passion for running restaurants. His employees often spoke—years later—about everything they learned byfrom him. He was a devoted, hardworking boss who never said no to a task and had a remarkable ability to ensure everything was figured out.

Sal was known not only for his work ethic but also for the meticulous and precise way he approached everything he did. Everyone who met him instantly loved him. In his downtime, he enjoyed working on his race cars, building engines and tending to his yard and garden. Everything he did he put his heart and soul into. Above all, Sal was a devoted and loyal family man.

A gathering of friends and family will be held at Givnish of Cinnaminson, 1200 Route 130 North, from 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM. His Funeral Mass will follow at Sacred Heart Church in Riverton, NJ at 1:00 PM. Entombment will take place

at Lakeview Memorial Park in Cinnaminson, NJ.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Salvatore's memory may be made to The Association for Frontotemporal Degeneration at www.theaftd.org.

Cemetery Details

Lakeview Memorial Park

1300 Route 130 North
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 9. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Givnish Funeral Home Cinnaminson
1200 Route 130 N
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077
(856) 829-8000
info@givnish.com
<https://www.givnish.com>

Funeral Mass

DEC 9. 1:00 PM (ET)

Sacred Heart Church
103 4th St
Riverton, NJ 08077-1205
(856) 829-0090

Tribute Wall

KH

“ I worked for Sal for two years in high school at DiLisi's, and I remember those days with such fondness. I always said it was the best first job I could've ever had. Sal was a great boss, but more than that, a great person. He was funny, passionate, and kind. I respected him very much as a businessperson. His love for his family was always evident. Prayers for his lovely wife and two dear children. He will be missed.

Kristi Hickman - December 09, 2025 at 05:22 PM

SS

I worked for Sal for years, he was an amazing boss, hard working and he loved his family. Sal and Nancy were the cutest couple, Nancy was so sweet to everyone, all his family are in my thoughts and prayers 🙏
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Sharon StClair - December 09, 2025 at 06:53 PM

ML

“ Marina lentini purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Marina lentini - December 08, 2025 at 09:50 PM

ML

“ Marina lentini planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Marina lentini - December 08, 2025 at 09:50 PM

GA

“ Gatto, Maurizio, Nuccio and Alessandro... purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Gatto, Maurizio, Nuccio and Alessandro... - December 08, 2025 at 09:12 PM

GA

“ Gatto, Maurizio, Nuccio and Alessandro... planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Gatto, Maurizio, Nuccio and Alessandro... - December 08, 2025 at 09:12 PM

MC

“ Maria C. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Maria C. - December 08, 2025 at 04:08 PM

FF

“ Franco ,Raye and Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Franco ,Raye and Family - December 08, 2025 at 12:36 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.*



December 08, 2025 at 11:43 AM



“ *John and Robin Rarrick planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.*

John and Robin Rarrick - December 08, 2025 at 11:43 AM



“ *Carlo and Benedetta Mannino purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.*



Carlo and Benedetta Mannino - December 08, 2025 at 10:54 AM



“ *Bartolo, Lia Evola & Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.*



Bartolo, Lia Evola & Family - December 08, 2025 at 10:53 AM

BF

“ *Bartolo, Lia Evola & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.*

Bartolo, Lia Evola & Family - December 08, 2025 at 10:53 AM

MC

“ *Maria C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.*

Maria C. - December 08, 2025 at 10:47 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.*



December 08, 2025 at 10:47 AM

LC

“ *Love, Rich & Giusy Cusumano purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.*



Love, Rich & Giusy Cusumano - December 08, 2025 at 10:40 AM

LC

“ *Love, Rich & Giusy Cusumano planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.*

Love, Rich & Giusy Cusumano - December 08, 2025 at 10:40 AM

VG

“ Vita G. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Vita G. - December 08, 2025 at 09:45 AM

PM

“ Riposa in pace Cugino Sarai sempre nei nostri cuori 🥹❤️🙏



Piera e Franco Marciano - December 08, 2025 at 08:44 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



December 07, 2025 at 09:42 PM

JM

“ Joe DiSalvo and Sandy Morris planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Joe DiSalvo and Sandy Morris - December 07, 2025 at 09:42 PM

SM

“ Sandro's Friends at NAI Mertz purchased the Dais of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Sandro's Friends at NAI Mertz - December 07, 2025 at 07:13 PM

MB

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. My thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time . Wishing you peace and comfort as you navigate this challenging time 🙏❤️

Maria Sparacio Beneventano - December 07, 2025 at 07:04 PM

AV

“ Aida V. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Aida V. - December 07, 2025 at 06:05 PM

AV

“ Aida V. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Aida V. - December 07, 2025 at 06:05 PM

LG

“ Love Giuseppe and Maryanne Gatto purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Love Giuseppe and Maryanne Gatto - December 07, 2025 at 05:57 PM

TF

“ The Guiseppe Gallina Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



The Guiseppe Gallina Family - December 07, 2025 at 03:13 PM

TF

“ The Guiseppe Gallina Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

The Guiseppe Gallina Family - December 07, 2025 at 03:13 PM

A(

“ Amanda (Crispo)Marguglio lit a candle in memory of Salvatore DiLisi



Amanda (Crispo)Marguglio - December 07, 2025 at 02:33 PM

SF

“ Salvatore & Antonina Balsamo & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Salvatore & Antonina Balsamo & Family - December 07, 2025 at 11:12 AM

SF

“ Salvatore & Antonina Balsamo & Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Salvatore & Antonina Balsamo & Family - December 07, 2025 at 11:12 AM

SE

“ Sonia E. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Sonia E. - December 07, 2025 at 10:59 AM

GE

“ Giuseppina E. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Giuseppina E. - December 06, 2025 at 11:46 PM

GE

“ Giuseppina E. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Giuseppina E. - December 06, 2025 at 11:29 PM

PP

“ *Piero and Rosaria Passalacqua purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.*



Piero and Rosaria Passalacqua - December 06, 2025 at 10:36 PM

NF

“ *Sal was the best man of my wedding, he was a great friend, he loved his cars and we were always at ATCO Raceway. He will be missed.*



Nick & Candi Terrigno & Family - December 06, 2025 at 09:01 PM

SN

“ *Smurro Family and Nadia planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.*

Smurro Family and Nadia - December 06, 2025 at 01:04 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.*



December 06, 2025 at 01:04 PM

ZR

“ Zia Linda, Josie, Aida, Rose planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Zia Linda, Josie, Aida, Rose - December 06, 2025 at 11:48 AM

ZR

“ Zia Linda, Josie, Aida, Rose purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Zia Linda, Josie, Aida, Rose - December 06, 2025 at 11:48 AM

SC

“ Sending love and prayers to all of Salvatore's Family and friends. May all your memories and love for him comfort you in this difficult time. Sincerely, Salvatore and Vickie Cucci .



Salvatore Cucci - December 06, 2025 at 11:20 AM

SC

“ Santino Cracchiolo purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Santino Cracchiolo - December 06, 2025 at 11:00 AM

JP

“ Joe and Kerry Pistone purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Joe and Kerry Pistone - December 06, 2025 at 09:49 AM

MA

“ Mariella A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Mariella A. - December 06, 2025 at 09:11 AM

EC

“ Erika C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Erika C. - December 06, 2025 at 03:29 AM

DB

“ I worked for Sal when I was in high school and one summer when home from college. I still remind myself to always get “every last piece” and not waste a drop when transferring food between containers - what would Sal say if he knew I was careless?! My love and regards to everyone. He was a good teacher.

Dan Boner - December 05, 2025 at 10:31 PM

VM

“ Vito Mazzamuto lit a candle in memory of Salvatore DiLisi



Vito mazzamuto - December 05, 2025 at 10:18 PM

MD

“ Morgan, Stephen, Linda & Demitra planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Salvatore DiLisi.

Morgan, Stephen, Linda & Demitra - December 05, 2025 at 09:25 PM

MD

“ Morgan, Stephen, Linda & Demitra purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Salvatore DiLisi.



Morgan, Stephen, Linda & Demitra - December 05, 2025 at 09:25 PM

GF

“ Sal will always be my favorite boss! I was a waitress for many years at DiLisi Restaurant in Vineland. He always put a smile on my face and treated me like Family. One of my favorite memories is, at the end of my shift, Sal and I would sit down and eat dinner together and talk about the night. He called me “Ginger” from Gilligan’s Island. I still, til this day, think he just related my name Gina, to Ginger because they both started with the letter G! Love you Sal, rest easy! Love, Ginger!

Gina Fiocchi - December 05, 2025 at 05:57 PM