



## Ralph Romano

January 1, 1924 - March 31, 2018

It is with great sadness that the family of Ralph Romano shares the news of his passing. Ralph died peacefully on Saturday, March 31, 2018, at the age of 94 years.

Ralph will be lovingly remembered by his daughters MaryAnn Morrell and Rosemarie (Walter) Machala. Ralph will also be fondly remembered by his sister Flora (Tony) Sferrino, brother Joseph (Ruth) Romano, four grandchildren, Patrick (Colleen) Morrell, Jamie (Todd) Medland, Nicole (Jeffrey) Haffner, Melissa (Jimmy) Fox, and six great-grandchildren, Emma, Ally, JT, Everett, Trevor and Francesca, many nieces, nephews and friends. Ralph was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 57 years, Emma (née Perri). Funeral is Saturday 8:45 AM from Foran Funeral Home 7300 W. Archer Ave..(55th st. just west of Harlem to St.Rene Goupil Church for a 9:30 AM Mass. Entombment Queen of Heaven Cemetery. Visitation will be from 3-9pm on Friday, April 6, 2018 at Foran Funeral Home . In lieu of flowers, Memorials in Ralph's name to the American Lung Association and Plymouth Place would be appreciated.

# Cemetery Details

## Queen of Heaven Cemetery

1400 S. Wolf Road  
Hillside, IL 60162

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 6. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Foran Funeral Home - Summit  
7300 West Archer Ave  
Summit, IL 60501  
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## Prayers

APR 7. 8:45 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ We can't ever replace the one who's gone. Your father was one of the good guys, a wonderful man and your grief is shared by all who knew him.  
He appreciated how terrific you all were and surely you know that you meant the world to him.  
He was great company on his visits to Florida. In fact, he became Uncle Ralph to all our family and friends, always smiling and cheerful.  
One year walking into our club to play bingo, he was recognized as "Uncle Ralph is here" and cheering broke out. He was so embarrassed,  
waved, and quickly sat down. The next week he went to play poker. Having him visit was special for Eddie. The two of them would revel in stories of Taylor Street, the old days growing up in Chicago and family.  
Jennifer and I have truly missed Uncle Ralph's visits the last few years. We had hopes of sharing some more time and doing a few more  
1,000 piece puzzles.  
Now, we will keep him in our hearts forever and remember him often. We were so lucky to have had the company of Uncle Ralph and the lovely Aunt Emma.  
Sending our deepest sympathy and love,  
Elaine and Jennifer...

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**Elaine Perri** - April 06, 2018 at 05:00 PM

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**Jennifer Lewers** - April 06, 2018 at 04:35 PM

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“ *MaryAnn and Rosemarie: If a man is as tall as the sum of his deeds, your father was a giant among men. Please accept our deepest condolences. Madeline Vitrano and Marylou Gadin*

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**Marylou Gadin** - April 04, 2018 at 10:34 AM

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“ *Will miss the hockey puck donuts from Weber's Bakery you would bring to John's Service Center. Will always remember the laughs we had. My thoughts and prayers are with your family. God Bless you.*

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**Larry Doranski** - April 02, 2018 at 02:11 PM