



## James Trombetta

December 6, 1926 - January 8, 2022

James Albert "Jimmy" Trombetta, 95, of Paradise Valley, passed away Saturday January 8, 2022 at St. Luke's Hospital - Monroe in Bartonsville.

He was the loving husband of Elizabeth (Kertzman) Trombetta, with whom he celebrated 69 years of marriage on June 28, 2021.

Born in South Scranton, Jimmy was predeceased by his parents, Dominick and Anna (Tutino) Trombetta.

A proud Veteran, Jimmy served 2 years in The United States Navy with the SEABEES on Okinawa, Japan during WWII. He also served 2 years in The United States Army at Fort Hood, Texas and Fort Bliss.

Jimmy was a Lab Technician for 25 years at The National Drug Company, Merrill National Labs and Connaught Laboratories, now known as Sanofi-Pasteur in Swiftwater, PA.

He was a Bartender and Host for over 55 years, greeting and smiling with people at most of the Pocono Mountain Resorts including Shawnee Inn, Skytop Lodge, The Buck Hill Inn, Pocono Manor Inn, Sun & Ski, Johnnies Restaurant, The Wine Press Inn and Stroudsmoor Country Inn. Jimmy was known for his classy outfits with matching tie, hankerchief and cummerbund.

Since 1962, he was a member of Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Paradise Valley, formerly St Mary of the Mount, Mt. Pocono. Jimmy was a 4th Degree Knight in the Catholic Order of the Knights of Columbus, receiving the organizations highest and most prestigious degree.

Jimmy was a left handed bowler and golfer. He loved the sport of boxing and loved to show off his dance moves. He and his wife could really "cut a rug".

In the warmer months, you could see Jimmy cutting his lawn in his signature white dress shirt, black dress pants and wide brimmed straw hat.

Jimmy will be deeply but fondly missed by his family and friends in the Pocono and Scranton areas.

In addition to his wife Betty, Jimmy is survived by his daughter Ann Marie DePue (Sal), son James Trombetta and his wife Judy, son Michael Trombetta and his wife Valerie, daughter Maureen Lotz and her husband James. Grandchildren Aaron DePue, Trevor Lotz, Brianna Lotz, Joshua Trombetta and great-grandson Lucas DePue. Also surviving, Brothers Vito Trombetta, Scranton and John Trombetta and his wife Micheline, Pittston and many beloved nieces and nephews. Jimmy was also predeceased by his two brothers Paul and Angelo.

Services are private. There will be a mass of Christian Burial at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church in Tannersville with Msgr John Bergamo and Msgr Arthur Kashenbachcon celebrating.

Burial with full Military honors will be in the Italian-American Cemetery in the Minooka Section, Scranton, PA. Bolock Funeral Home, Cresco is handling arrangements. A public memorial and celebration of Jimmy's life will be announced at a later date.

# Cemetery Details

## Italian American Cemetery

2899 Cemetery Avenue  
Scranton , PA 18505

# Tribute Wall

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“ Mike,  
My sincere condolences to you and your family during this difficult time. May your father Rest In Peace.

Sincerely,  
Sue Thomas (Boyle Construction)

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**Sue Thomas** - February 10 at 12:31 PM

TH

“ Dear Betty and family, on behalf of the Hanzimanolis family, I'd like to extend our sincerest condolences. Jimmy was always a joy to share pleasantries before and after church on Sundays. He was "Sunday grandpa" to our children and such an exemplary man. Prayers to you all. May he rest easy and, his memory be eternal. Thomas Hanzimanolis on behalf of Laurie Ann, Dimitri, Nicholas and Alexa.

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**Tom Hanzimanolis** - January 21 at 02:58 PM

MN

“ Betty & family. I am so sorry for your loss. Jim was a wonderful role model to his family which he spoke of often. I will miss our times when we went to lunch with Jim & Betty. It was always a joy to be in their company. I will miss his presence in all our lives. I know he was loved by many people & I count myself blessed to be among one of them. I know he is at peace now. We will all keep him close in our hearts. We love you Jim. You will never be forgotten.

Marge Niski

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**marge niski** - January 20 at 01:17 PM

BJ

“ T. What a Giant in The Poconos , and what a loving family.  
We'll always miss him.  
Bill & Keala Jabara

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**Bill Jabara** - January 17 at 11:05 AM

JN

“ Betty and family, so sorry for your loss. I always looked forward to getting together with Jim and Betty, whether it was a visit, a lunch, or a family occasion. Jim always had a smile on his face and a kind hello and everywhere he went everyone always seemed to know him. I clearly remember him pointing to the pictures of his children in his living room and saying he was so proud of them and his family was everything to him. Every time he saw me he always told me that he was praying for me and I have no doubt he was. Jim, you are in my thoughts and prayers and you will never be forgotten. God Bless.

Julie Niski - January 17 at 06:57 AM

VC

“ Mrs. Trombetta, Ann Marie, and family,  
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I know you will keep the special memories you have in your heart. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.  
Victoria Modafferi Connor

Victoria Connor - January 16 at 10:15 PM

JW

“ You are all in our prayers. So sorry.

Kate & Jeff Woehrle

Jeff Woehrle - January 16 at 08:18 AM

MG

“ Our deepest condolences to the Trombetta family, God bless. Mike, Heike and Alexa Gessner



Mike Gessner - January 15 at 04:30 PM

AT

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to my Aunt Betty, cousins Annie, Jim, Michael and Maureen. And the rest of the Trombetta family. Uncle Jim was a wonderful kind hearted man. I will always remember his saying " Everyday is a good day." And never forget all the family gatherings we had in the past. We always had fun dancing. Especially when I was a kid. May you rest in peace with God. 🙏😊 We love you and you will be missed. Ann, Jim and Jimmy Barrows. ❤️

Ann Trombetta/Barrows - January 15 at 03:37 PM

JP

*Betty and Family, let us convey our sincere condolences during this very sad time. It saddened us that we couldn't pay our respects to Jim. Our love and prayers, Peter and JoAnne Pascullo*

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**JoAnne Pascullo** - January 17 at 05:48 PM