



Joseph Francis Treacy

December 24, 1941 - August 17, 2019

Joseph Francis Treacy, 77, passed away August 17, 2019 at his home. A native of Cortland, New York, he was a son of the late Francis Treacy and Elizabeth Kelsey Verbeck, a retired employee of Duro Last Corporation, a veteran of the US Marines having served six years, and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Joseph was a 48 year volunteer fire fighter, most recently with Tyger River and Lake Cunningham Fire Departments. He was a 4th degree Knights of Columbus and was previously a Grand Knight. Surviving are his wife, Jean Begnoche Treacy of the home; five daughters, Karen Garcia Del Rio (Alejandro) of Lyman, Joann Treacy Barnhart (Raymond) of Duncan, Dawn Curto (Frank) of Hampton Bay, New York, Sonya Fortier of Daytona, Florida and Kimberly Treacy Dixon (Ronald) of Sarasota, Florida; one sister, Jane Musbeck of Newport, New Hampshire; eleven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was also predeceased by two brothers, Clyde and Patrick Treacy and one sister, Frances Treacy.

A Catholic Funeral Mass will be held 10:00 a.m. Friday, August 23, 2019 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, conducted by Father Jaime Gonzalez. Burial will be at a later date.

Honorary escort will be the Knights of Columbus, the Tyger River Fire Department and the Lake Cunningham Fire Department.

Visitation will be held 5:00 until 8:00 p.m. Thursday, August 22, 2019 at The Wood Mortuary. The Rosary will be held at 5:30 p.m., Thursday, August 22,

2019 at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at their respective homes.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Lake Cunningham Fire Department Firehouse Angel Fund, 2802 North McElhaney Road, Greer, SC 29651.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **22**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary Chapel
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

AUG **23**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Blessed Trinity Catholic Church
901 River Road
Greer, SC

Tribute Wall

DT

“ *Hugs and prayers to all! Love Donna Treacy*




Donna Treacy - August 28, 2019 at 10:01 AM

DB

“ *Dear Jean and Family,
Joe was a person one enjoyed knowing at first meeting.
What a fantastic person with a great personality.
We want to extend our sincere condolences to you.
He will be missed.*

*Dan and Susan Beckman
St. Rafka Parish*

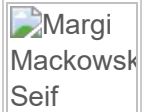
Dan & Susan Beckman - August 22, 2019 at 04:56 PM

 Margi
Mackowski
Seif

“ *Margi Mackowski-Seif lit a candle in memory
of Joseph Francis Treacy*



Margi Mackowski-Seif - August 22, 2019 at 04:00 PM



“ *Dear Jean and family,
Bill and I want to extend our sincerest of condolences on your loss.
Please know that you remain in our prayers.
Joe was a good man. If we all could have that said about us what a
wonderful world it would be.*

*Sincerely,
Margi and Bill Seif*

Margi Mackowski-Seif - August 22, 2019 at 03:59 PM



“ Today is going to be a day that I will never forget. Saying goodbye to not just a brother Firefighter but a great mentor and an amazing friend.

Joe was truly one of a kind. Selfless, caring, driven, faithful, and honest ... Traits that are truly hard to come by today, he had them all and more. I think back to all the things that I have been taught by this man. Not just the ways of the Fire House, and how to fix damn near anything as he could, but the things that make a man a man. He loved God, his family, and his friends, and he showed it daily. Whether it was solving the world's problems sitting on the front bumper of the firetruck while drinking a cup of coffee or enjoying a cold beer while doing some odd job around the house. He had no problem sharing his wisdom and knowledge with the ones he loved. I am blessed to have absorbed as much as I did.

As one who grew up without a father, I can say Joe was and always will be a father figure to me. I feel that I am a better man for having you a part of my life. I will miss you so very much, and I thank you for accepting me into your life as a son. I hope and pray that I will become the man that you have taught and guided me to be, so that one day when we meet again, I can know that I made you proud.

Rest easy Joe and so much love!

*Your adopted Son,
Chris \ Arizona*

Chris Catalano - August 22, 2019 at 12:05 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Joseph Francis Treacy.*



August 22, 2019 at 08:27 AM



“ *Love Brenda & Tony Cioce purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Joseph Francis Treacy.*



Love Brenda & Tony Cioce - August 21, 2019 at 08:04 PM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. I did not know him but he must have been a wonderful man. God bless and help you thru this time.*



Francine Higgins - August 21, 2019 at 09:10 AM

JH

“ *Dear Jean and Family:*

Please know that you are in our prayers. We will always remember Joe.

God bless you.

John & Bea Heberger

John & Bea Heberger - August 20, 2019 at 08:03 PM

DW

“ *Dear Jean and family:*

May the memory of Joe be eternal. His soul shall dwell with the Blessed.

Deepest sympathy ,

Deb Weigel

Deb Weigel - August 20, 2019 at 11:11 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph Francis Treacy.*



August 20, 2019 at 08:23 AM



“ *Sending deepest sympathy and prayers to Joe's family. I met Joe at St. Rafqa's while he was roofing the garage and later in Wickett Hall.*

Since learning of his illness I have been keeping him in prayer. He was a brother Marine and not many people have the honor of serving their country under the Marine standard.

*Joe is out of pain now and at peace. May his memory be eternal
Semper Fi Joe*

Paul R Bussemey

Paul Bussemey - August 19, 2019 at 02:05 PM

TG

“ *To a wonderful man and a good friend that I enjoyed talking to. I miss all the deer hunting stories of him and my step dad George and how they saw deer and Missed them, Hunting was a good time for them to spend in the serenity in the woods away from all the hustle and bustle of the world a to be in the calming presence of the woods and what God had made us to enjoy. I will miss his smiling face and antics and jokes. Rest in peace brother until we meet again and swap many stories. God Bless.*

Tony J Gemme - August 19, 2019 at 09:57 AM

JT

“ *Joann Treacy lit a candle in memory of Joseph Francis Treacy*



Joann Treacy - August 19, 2019 at 09:53 AM

JT

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Joann Treacy - August 19, 2019 at 09:50 AM

SD

“ I love you Dad to the moon and back



Sonya Fortier Joes Daughter - August 19, 2019 at 09:29 AM

JM

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Jane musbek - August 18, 2019 at 07:39 PM

MC

“ Jean and family, is like to express my sincere condolences for your loss. Joe was undoubtedly an incredible man. The amount of knowledge he passed on to me during my time with Tyger River, Lake Cunningham, and even with everyday life advice even into my move back to NY will always stick with me. No matter what the issue was he was always there to help me as well as anyone else who needed a hand. I'm so saddened to hear of his passing and wish you all the best during this time.

Mike Campbell - August 18, 2019 at 04:31 PM

JJ

“ Jesonis Family susan,chris,Brandon and james purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Joseph Francis Treacy.



Jesonis Family susan,chris,Brandon and james - August 18, 2019 at 02:45 PM

MB

“ *Ms. Jean and Girls,
Words can't express how much Joe meant to me and my family. I have never met a better example of a hard worker, husband, servant, and father. He was a great man. We know that he is no longer in pain and resting easy now, which we know Joe, and he's probably scoping out a project to start on up above. He was a great role model and taught me a lot. I along with many others looked up to Joe and respected him for his many years of knowledge in building, roofing, and of course the fire service. He was the first to lend a hand to help someone. My family is truly grateful for him coming and building our ramp when my wife was unable to walk. He saw what I had put together and knew that my wife would be scared for a second injury, so he made it right. When the cancer came, I have never seen someone fight it as tough as he did, he fought until he couldn't no more.
We are keeping you and the family in our thoughts and prayers, and know Joe is looking after us all forever.*

Matthew Bullard - August 18, 2019 at 02:34 PM

JT

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Joann Treacy - August 17, 2019 at 08:46 PM

JT

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Joann Treacy - August 17, 2019 at 08:43 PM