



## Bart Cerasuolo

June 26, 1942 - July 28, 2024

Bart Cerasuolo, 82, passed away on July 28, 2024, at Nathan Littauer Hospital after a long illness. He was born in Torre Annunziata, Italy on June 26, 1942, the son of Vincent and Anastasia (Nancy) Cerasuolo. He spent his childhood on the beach in Naples, Italy swimming in the bay while his parents ran a small store.

At the age of 8, Bart became an apprentice to hair care and design by taking a train to Pompeii to volunteer helping a professional hairdresser around his shop. At the age of 14 he arrived by boat to a port in New York City and began the process of earning his US Citizenship.

He graduated from Gloversville High School in 1962. During his years he ran track and field, cross country and was a bowler. He was voted "best looking" "most popular" and "best physique" among his high school peers. Bart had an incredible sense of humor and many friends.

He attended Troy Beauty School in the fall of 1962 then earned an advanced hair style training certification in New York City studying at Charles of the Ritz on Madison Avenue. In 1963, he began his profession then opened up his own business "Bart Anthony's Coiffures" then later called "Bart Anthony's Hair Studio" both in Gloversville. He remained in business through June 2024 (61 years).

During this time Bart was also in the National Guard 1963-68, came out as an E-5 sergeant. Bart was one of the original five members who started the Miss Fulton County Pageant and worked for the Miss Fulton County Pageant doing hair for ten years.

Bart was also a member of the Gloversville School Board of Education for six years 1978-1983. In 1995, while still doing hair, he opened up Oak Tree Landscaping and gardening remained his passion. He particularly enjoyed landscaping for the dental offices of Dr. Andrew Levine. Bart kept a beautiful home, and people were amazed by his "green thumb."

He is the proud parent to Bart Cerasuolo (Violetta) and Stacy Wesley. Grandfather to Ella (4), Luca (6), Dr. Kayla Wesley and Cadet Jake Wesley. Bart is survived by his former wife, Donna Cerasuolo as well as his sister Camille Cerasuolo Marotta, Anthony Cerasuolo and several nieces, cousins, and nephews.

He was predeceased by his infant daughter, Dina Marie Cerasuolo, parents Vincent and Nancy Cerasuolo, sister Rosa Marie Semione, brothers John and Joe Cerasuolo, and brother-in-law Ralph Marotta.

A special thank you to Bassett Healthcare and Nathan Littauer Hospital, and to several friends and family for your love and dedication over these few years. A very honorable thank you goes out to Richard Semione (Bart's brother-in-law) and Donna Cerasuolo (Bart's former wife) for their endless and very selfless care and commitment they provided to Bart around the clock through his final days.

A service will take place on Saturday, August 10th at 11 a.m. at The Church of the Holy Spirit, 153 South Main St. Gloversville, NY. Online condolences to the

family may be sent to: [www.amicofuneralhome.com](http://www.amicofuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

AUG **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of the Holy Spirit  
153 S Main St  
Gloversville, NY 12078-4219  
(518) 725-3143

# Tribute Wall



“ *Cheeseboard Gourmet Gift was purchased for the family of Bart Cerasuolo.*



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August 10, 2024 at 10:17 AM



“ *Justyna Ferenc planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bart Cerasuolo.*

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**Justyna Ferenc** - August 10, 2024 at 10:17 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Bart Cerasuolo.*



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August 08, 2024 at 09:20 AM

SB

“ When they moved to the USA from Italy, Bart and his brother Joe joined many of us west-end kids in Mr. Spurza’s sixth-grade class at McNab School. After he realized my dad could speak Italian and that his parents had come from Bart’s native area of Italy, Bart jumped at the chance to speak in his familiar Italian dialect. He often walked over to our yard and nostalgically chatted with my dad, describing his small Italian village near Naples. He became a good family friend and was comfortable enough to spontaneously help out. One day we came home to find he’d taken the wash off our clothesline before it started to rain, folded it, and placed it in the laundry basket! That same hospitality and friendliness remained with him throughout his life, enhanced by a twinkle in his eye and his inclination to tease, always with a sense of humor and confidence. We were blessed to have Bart as a friend. May he rest in peace and may God bless his family.  
With sympathy and love,  
Stephanie DeSimone Bollam

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**stephanie desimone bollam** - August 06, 2024 at 04:56 PM

MA

“ Condolences to Bart’s family. May his memory be a blessing. Mary A. Ivancic

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**Mary** - August 05, 2024 at 08:43 AM

CM

“ Cheryl M. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Bart Cerasuolo.



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**Cheryl M.** - August 03, 2024 at 12:01 PM

RC

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

Robert C. - August 02, 2024 at 10:19 PM

JO

“ Jody purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Bart Cerasuolo.



Jody - August 02, 2024 at 01:37 PM

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“ Jody planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bart Cerasuolo.

Jody - August 02, 2024 at 01:37 PM

CO

“ *Bart was a lifelong friend and dedicated father to his children. We have memories of sharing many dinners together over the years and his sense of humor and wit always entertained us. Bart helped us install our patio blocks years ago and these are still offering us a wonderful outdoor space at our home. Barts gardening skills were superior and he took great pride in his harvest, always willing to show his garden to visitors. When I visited him a few years ago his peach tree was so laden with peached that he had to install braces to hold the branches up!!!*

*When Bart had an accident with his snow blower years ago, a client at the beauty shop called Albie, who ran to the house and found Bart's finger in the snow and delivered this to the emergency room at Nathan Littauer Hospital. Unfortunately this couldn't be reattached, however, Bart continued with his expert hairdressing and gardening..... never letting this become a handicap.*

*Bart will be missed by many who knew and loved him....he was a unique personality and special friend.*

*With our sincere love and condolences,  
Albie and Conniejo*

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**conniejo** - August 02, 2024 at 10:58 AM

KB

“ *We are so sorry to hear about Bart. We will cherish our memories. He will not be suffering anymore.*

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**Kathy & Beaver Bradt** - August 02, 2024 at 06:25 AM