



Mr. Francis X. Galla Jr.

June 6, 1938 - August 14, 2021

Francis Xavier Galla

June 11, 1938 – August 14, 2021

Francis (Frank) Galla passed away peacefully at home on August 14, 2021 following a prolonged illness. He was a career Police Officer with the NYPD, retiring from the 63rd precinct in 1981. He was also a longtime member of the Knights of Columbus Baron DeKalb Council 1073 where he also served on the Board of Directors and as a popular Steward behind the bar.

He enjoyed fishing, rooting for his favorite teams and spending time at the NY beaches. He was a fan of all kinds of music from Frank Sinatra to the Beatles and a career highlight was working the 1964 concert at Shea Stadium.

Frank is survived by his three daughters, Elizabeth, Pierrette and Christine; 10 Grandchildren; 5 Great Grandchildren along with Patricia, his Dear Friend and longtime Companion. He also is survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Crematory

500 25th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11232

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 18. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

James P. Byrnes Funeral Home
2384 Gerritsen Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11229
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Funeral

AUG 19. 9:00 AM (ET)

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Mass

AUG **19**. 9:30 AM (ET)

Resurrection Church
2331 Gerritsen Ave
Brooklyn, NY 11207

Tribute Wall

MW

“ we worked in same sqd from 1964 until he retired.

Martin Weisen - August 18, 2021 at 09:29 PM

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“ i remember a vacation with him at the police camp.
which of his 3 daughters sat next to me on the ski lift?

Martin Weisen - August 18, 2021 at 09:27 PM

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“ To a wonderful Uncle , Godfather , and man , Uncle Fran . You brought life and love to everyone you touched . You were definitely one a a kind . Cool like Frank Sinatra who you had playing in your house in Brooklyn and we had in our home in Deer Park (Long Island) at every occasion and Holiday party. You made life fun for all those around you . My Mom (your Older sister Eileen adored you ..and your older brother Jack as well . I'm grateful to not only have known you as a child and a teen but way into adulthood. Im so sad you are gone esp for Patricia (Pat) your loving companion of 23 plus years and caregiver at the end . I know you are free of your broken body and in Heaven at peace with all of our loved ones . May you rest gently in the arms of God until we meet again . See you over that rainbow 🌈 . With much love and a world of memories, your niece , ❤️.Rosemary (and my family).

Rosemary Opalka - August 18, 2021 at 11:02 AM



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Pierrette Farber - August 18, 2021 at 05:51 AM