



Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola

September 16, 1948 - March 1, 2025

It is with profound sadness that we share the passing of our beloved father, Frank "Danny" Mendola who joined his wife Diane, brother Phillip, parents Romeo and Mae, and daughter Kathy in the afterlife on March 1st, 2025 at the age of 76.

Among his countless interests and hobbies, Frank was an avid historian, a talented musician, a meticulous artist restoring antique furniture and replicating tall ship models, and had a passion for all things nautical. Frank's ability to lighten a room and bring laughter to all those around him will be sadly missed.

Frank is a respected United States Navy Veteran, serving onboard USS Wright, a Saipan class aircraft carrier during the Vietnam War from 1967-1969. He proudly served his community for 20 years as a police officer of the 70th precinct in Brooklyn, NY. Upon retirement from the police force, Frank and his love Diane fulfilled their dreams of sharing their dream home in Cape Cod Massachusetts with visiting families, as the proud owners of "The Gaslight Inn Bed and Breakfast"

Frank will be remembered as an exceptional husband; a supportive loving father, grandfather brother, uncle and friend. He is survived by his sister Roseanne, children Patty, John, Cynthia, Danielle and Stephanie and 24

beautiful grandchildren/great grandchildren.

Services will be This Wednesday and Thursday as follows:

Viewing: Wednesday March 5th, 3-8 PM at Byrnes Funeral Home

Services: Thursday March 6th, 11:00 am at Greenwood Cemetery Chapel.

Procession leaving Byrnes Funeral Home at 10:00 am

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Crematory

500 25th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11232

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 5. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.*



March 05, 2025 at 08:44 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.

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“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.*



March 04, 2025 at 05:50 PM



“ *My best friend in my teens and twenties. My sympathies to his family.. I lost contact with Danny about 40 years ago*

George Benecke - March 04, 2025 at 05:00 PM

JO

“ I just found out about your passing, you were one of the nicest and funniest guys I ever met and I loved hanging out with you as a kid. Rest in peace Danny and Godspeed. I'll never forget the story about the piranha when you were a cop. John & Kathy Orloff

John Orloff - March 04, 2025 at 04:13 PM

ST

Thanks Johnny & Kathy. That's a great story! A good example of his kindness...even to a piranha!

Stephanie - March 04, 2025 at 08:43 PM

LU

“ Love the 24 of us purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.



Love the 24 of us - March 04, 2025 at 01:51 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.

March 04, 2025 at 11:32 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.



March 04, 2025 at 11:32 AM

BD

“ Bob & Veronica DeWitt planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.

Bob & Veronica DeWitt - March 04, 2025 at 08:19 AM

BD

“ Bob & Veronica DeWitt purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.



Bob & Veronica DeWitt - March 04, 2025 at 08:19 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.



March 03, 2025 at 10:12 PM

LS

“ Laura Stedman planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.

Laura Stedman - March 03, 2025 at 04:53 PM

LS

“ *Laura Stedman purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Francis Dominick Mendola.*



Laura Stedman - March 03, 2025 at 04:53 PM

DV

“ *I didn't have the pleasure of meeting Frank, but I knew Diane and Kathy very well. Frank sounds like a wonderful man and I am glad he and Diane were a loving couple. My condolences to the family.*
Dale Vani

Dale R Vani - March 03, 2025 at 10:02 AM

CH

Rest in Peace Danny...I remember you as a kid, one of my brother Tommy's friends. The Hennessy Family

Charles Hennessy - March 04, 2025 at 03:45 PM