



Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino

February 21, 1949 - July 21, 2022

Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino, 73, passed away at his residence peacefully on Thursday, July 21, 2022.

His funeral service will be at 2 PM on Monday, July 25, 2022 at Kimbrell-Stern with entombment to follow at Crown Hill Mausoleum. The Rev. Ray Levreault will officiate. The family will receive friends at Kimbrell-Stern on Sunday, July 24, 2022 from 2-4 PM.

Mr. Mannino is survived by his wife: Luigia Mannino; daughters: Francesca Bragg, Rosa Craft, and Elisa Mannino; son: Giacomo V. Mannino; grandchildren: Isabella Craft, Marianna Bragg, Gabriella Darrah, Matthew Bragg, Lia Darrah, Buddy Jay Craft, Alexandria Darrah, Skylar Mae Atkinson; great granddaughter: Ivory Lynn Vincenza Hendley.

Mr. Mannino was born in Carini, Sicily, and had lived in Albany for over 40 years. He owned and operated Mama Gina's/Picnic Pizza. He was loved by many and anyone who had crossed his path was always part of his family. He will be greatly missed. There will never be another "Vinny" like him.

Cemetery Details

Crown Hill Mausoleum

1907 Dawson Rd.
Albany, GA 31707

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **24.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Kimbrell-Stern Funeral Directors
1503 Dawson Rd.
Albany, GA 31707

Funeral Service

JUL **25.** 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LG

“ Lou G. lit a candle in memory of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino



Lou G. - May 15, 2025 at 09:24 AM

LK

“ I first met Vinny in 1977 when e had a restaraunt in Pensacola FL. Couple years later, when I moved to Albany, he was in Albany Mall. I ate Picinc Pizza a lot. Even when I moved to Ms and came back home, that was only place I'd eat. His friendship meant world to me. RIP my friend. Prayers for Gina and family.

Linda Kapcar - July 28, 2022 at 01:24 PM

LG

“ 2 files added to the album WhattaBlend of Italia-Mazing Memories



Lou Gerlando - July 28, 2022 at 08:10 AM

LG

“ Lou Gerlando lit a candle in memory of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino



Lou Gerlando - July 28, 2022 at 05:39 AM

LG

“ 1 file added to the album 1993 District One



Lou Gerlando - July 28, 2022 at 05:32 AM

LG

“ WhattaBlend of Italia-Mazing this man was to me. We had so much fun working at the pizza shop together back in the 90's. We were each others right hand, a true ICON AND LEGEND HE IS!! For me when he passed my entire right side went with him. Deeply saddened to lose the best friend I've ever had. when I arrived in Albany back in 1992 he took me under his wing we both clicked immediately. We worked together side by side everyday. I AM SADDENED FOR HIS FAMILY AS WELL FOR THEY LOST A TRULY BEAUTIFUL DAD, GRANDFATHER & UNCLE! VIN I WILL MISS TALKING TO YOU, LAUGHING WITH YOU...I LOVE AND MISS YOU SO MUCH...I KNOW I HAVE ANOTHER GUARDIAN ANGEL IN MY CORNER. I AM TRULY GRATEFUL & THANKFUL FOR BEING A PART OF HIS LIFE...LOVE YOU FROM HERE TO THE MOON & BACK CUZ 10X'S...Sincerely, Lou G. RIP Pal xoxo

Lou Gerlando - July 28, 2022 at 05:29 AM

NP

“ Vinny's Picnic Pizza was our favorite place to eat. Vinny always took care of us and the many young boys from our 8th Ave baseball teams when we would bombard him almost every week. We bragged to everybody that you couldn't beat a "Picnic Pizza pizza".
Condolences to the family.

The Powell's - JT, Nancy, David, and always Adam.

Nancy Powell - July 25, 2022 at 03:15 PM

CB

“ He always took the time to listen...He was special. Thankful to have known him.



Crystal Bartley - July 24, 2022 at 10:37 PM

HO

“ I absolutely loved Vinny. He never met a stranger. His hugs and his smile was the best. I can hear him saying "HOLLI" and hugging me and kissing me on the cheek. RIP my friend. Until we meet again

Holli - July 24, 2022 at 06:07 PM

HO

“ Holli lit a candle in memory of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino



Holli - July 24, 2022 at 06:05 PM

KD

“ Vinny and Gina gave me my very first job. I have more memories than can be listed, but most of all I remember the many meals shared with friends, family and strangers alike. There was always room for one more at the table. No favor was too big with Vinny. I'll always remember the twinkle in his eyes and the arms open wide greetings. Vinny, you will be missed; Gina and family, Chuck and I send you all so much love ❤️

Kathy Dubiansky - July 24, 2022 at 10:24 AM

CY

“ Carol York lit a candle in memory of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino



Carol York - July 24, 2022 at 09:29 AM

DG

“ When Vinny & his brother-in-laws opened picnic Pizza in the mall he was next door to Tony the Taylor and his beautiful wife where I worked . Vinny was my every day Bench sitter at lunch time outside our doors and when his girls were small he scooped them up and told them how much he loved them . This was almost everyday. Gina would stop in with the girls , Joey, Vito stayed in the kitchen and for many years this family brought something new, authentic and wonderful to the Albany area. As years went by my sister worked at the mall with Picnic and she loved every moment being with this special family.

Vinny was always praying for a boy while showering his daughters with kisses. He was lovable and comical every single day. When he was mad, it was a man on a high wire, but always landed with laughter.

I dearly loved Vinny! He was my friend. He met my husband and daughter years later in the 90s and when my family moved to the mountains, it was always Picnic Pizza we craved when we came home to visit friends and family. Always glad seeing Vinny and he would sit at the table and over a glass of wine we would catch up. My condolences to his beautiful family who meant everything to him and all those that had the honor and privilege to know him. I know I feel blessed .

RIP my friend, one day we will all sit at the great table in the sky and I hope and pray I see you with my favorite picnic special in hand !
God Bless this family and comfort them during this sad time. Debi, Kevin, & Mary Griffin Blue Ridge , Ga.

Debi Griffin - July 23, 2022 at 09:34 PM



“ *Elena Taylor lit a candle in memory of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino*



Elena Taylor - July 23, 2022 at 06:06 PM

BR

“ *Beth B. ROUSE lit a candle in memory of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino*



Beth B. ROUSE - July 23, 2022 at 04:22 PM

BR

“ *Vinny always was a kind man. He always made you feel welcome in his presence. My children loved to go eat pizza and see Mr Vinny. He always spoiled them and gave them money fir the bubble gum machine. He will be missed. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers. GOD BLESS*

Beth B. ROUSE - July 23, 2022 at 04:21 PM

GL

“ *Ginger Lesieur lit a candle in memory of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino*



Ginger Lesieur - July 23, 2022 at 02:20 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino.*



July 23, 2022 at 02:13 PM



“ *The Rosenfelds purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino.*



The Rosenfelds - July 23, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Scott Snellgrove lit a candle in memory of Vincenzo "Vinny" Mannino*



Scott Snellgrove - July 23, 2022 at 11:34 AM



He was a wonderful fellow give you the shirt off of his back going to miss him RIP

Scott Snellgrove - July 23, 2022 at 11:36 AM



We are very sorry for your loss. Vinny will be missed.

JEFFREY ROSENFELD - July 23, 2022 at 11:38 AM

NL

Our deepest prayers and sympathies to the Mannino Family. Vinny was a wonderful person and we always enjoyed his hospitality at Picnic Pizza.

The Long family

Nancy Long - July 25, 2022 at 07:53 AM

LG

My Vinny, THE MAN THE MYTH THE LEGEND...LITERALLY THERE WILL NEVER BE ANOTHER THAT CAN EVEN COME CLOSE TO THIS MAN...TRULY MISSED DAILY I LOVE YOU CUZ....

Lou G. - May 15, 2025 at 09:27 AM