



## Mr. Lawrence J. Martrano

August 30, 1932 - December 8, 2022

It is with deep sorrow that the Martrano Family announces the death of Mr. Lawrence J. Martrano, 90.

Mr. Martrano entered into rest on Thursday, December 8, 2022. The Directors of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home are caring for the family.

A graveside funeral service to honor his life will be held at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, December 13, 2022, at Magnolia Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the graveside following the service.

Mr. Martrano was born in Pittsburgh, PA, where he lived most of his life. He was the son of the late Anthony and Amelia Martrano. He lived in the Mount Washington area for many years before moving to Coraopolis, PA. He and his late wife, Dorothy Guenther Martrano, relocated to the Hartsville, SC, area five years ago. He was living at The Legacy of Hartsville when he passed away.

Lawrence, better known by others as Larry, was known to be a quiet person who preferred to be by himself most of the time. He was known to be a baker by his grandchildren. After retiring as a police officer for the city of Pittsburgh, PA, he could be found in the kitchen watching TV and baking cookies, cakes, and pies, being assisted by his grandchildren. It was hard to determine who had the most flour on them, the grandchildren or papa. You never went hungry

when you stopped to visit. He would whip up some dinner to eat, and there was always a container for cookies to eat after dinner or later as a snack. He also loved his candy.

While his wife, Dorothy, was alive, we always thought she was the one who was always partaking in the sweet stuff. However, after her passing, we found out that he also had a sweet tooth with a drive for candy and ice cream.

He is survived by his sons, Lawrence (Mary Ann) Martrano Jr. of North Las Vegas, NV, David (April) Martrano of Hartsville, SC, Raymond (Lure) Martrano of Knoxville, TN; grandchildren, Chris (Sam) Martrano, Amanda (Jeremy) Williams, Samantha (Joshua) Altman, Melinda Martrano, Tiffany (Conner) Martrano, Anthony Martrano; great-grandchildren, Christopher (Jacklyn) Martrano, Jared (Tianah) Martrano, Jaxon Altman, Reese Williams; great-great-grandchildren, Emmett Martrano, Abbigail Martrano, and Elijah Martrano. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy Guenther Martrano; and his daughter, Mary Joanne Martrano.

# Cemetery Details

## Magnolia Cemetery

140 South Cedar Lane  
Hartsville, SC 29550  
(843) 383-3004

# Events

**Details are pending.**

# Tribute Wall

HA

“ I have so many fond memories of Larry aka Pa growing up. My brother and I would love when he would watch movies with us and have ice cream! He was a great drawer and always made my brother and I laugh! We lost contact after he moved but he sure will be missed. My condolences to family and friends

haley - April 01, 2023 at 11:05 AM

LW

“ My wife and I first met Larry when we moved to Dormont, PA, 27 years ago and what a wonderful meeting. He was there if I needed help and vice versa, going out to dinners. When my wife and I were looking for gold wedding bands Larry took over. Lost track when he moved and does saw news he passed. That was a wonderful friend and person

Larry Wirick - March 31, 2023 at 07:17 PM



“ April so sorry for your loss praying for you and your family



Crystal Minnehan - December 12, 2022 at 10:01 AM

MJ

“ Dear friends, we are so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. Love and prayers for you all during this difficult time.  
Love, Melanie, Scott, Monte, and Tyler

Melanie and Scott Jacksin - December 11, 2022 at 04:33 AM

DW

“ Dave, April, Amanda, and Samantha, your family is in my prayers. I'm sorry to hear for your loss. Love you all



Drew Walters - December 10, 2022 at 06:44 PM

EG

“ Dave and family,  
I'm sorry for your loss. I got to know your dad at the Legacy when my mom was there. He was always a pleasure to talk with 🙏

Eddie Gardner - December 10, 2022 at 05:02 PM

GV

“ April and family I am so sorry for your loss



Gary Vann - December 10, 2022 at 10:22 AM

MH

“ Maxine Howle lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lawrence J. Martrano



Maxine Howle - December 10, 2022 at 08:05 AM

KH

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.* ”



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**kim heustess** - December 09, 2022 at 07:48 PM