



## Mr. Fred J. DeCosta

March 21, 1930 - December 15, 2018

Fred J. DeCosta (Freddie), 88 of Middletown, New York, passed away on December 15th at the Kaplan Family Hospice Residence surrounded by his family.

Fred was born in Mount Pleasant, NY to Jack DeCosta and Lisa Mastroddi. He served in the United States Navy during the Korean War as a sailor on the U.S.S Coral Sea. He was a lifelong fan of the New York Yankees, and enjoyed attending games each year. Fred truly loved being a father and spending time with his children, and was a permanent fixture at their sporting events at Minisink Valley High School. Fred also loved the time that he was able to spend with his three grandchildren, especially his granddaughter Mia Grace Solan, whom he was able to spend the most time with. Fred was also a past member of the Knights of Columbus and Holy Name Church in Otisville, NY.

Fred is survived by his wife Pamela DeCosta of Middletown, NY, daughter Tanya Solan and husband Adam of Middletown, NY, son Patrick DeCosta and wife Bonnie of Middletown, NY, three grandchildren; Mia Grace Solan, Dominic Solan and Rowan DeCosta. Fred is also survived by multiple nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his three sisters Anna, Jean and Helen.

A Visitation will be held at Martinez-Morse Funeral Home, located at 33

Railroad Avenue in Middletown, NY on Wednesday December 19th from 1pm-3pm and 6pm-9pm.

Father Michael Palazzo of Holy Name of Jesus Church in Otisville, NY will conduct a funeral service at 8:30pm..

Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Orange and Sullivan, 800 Stony Brook Court, Newburgh, NY 12550.

The family wishes to extend gratitude to all those who helped to care for Fred and support his family in his last few years.

Arrangements are under the direction of Martinez-Morse Funeral Home  
33 Railroad Ave Middletown, NY 10940 845-343-6918

Messages of condolence can be left for the family at [www.morsefuneralhome.com](http://www.morsefuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **19**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Martinez-Morse Funeral Home  
33 Railroad Ave  
Middletown, NY 10940  
(845) 343-6918  
martinezmorsefcs@gmail.com  
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## Visitation

DEC **19**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



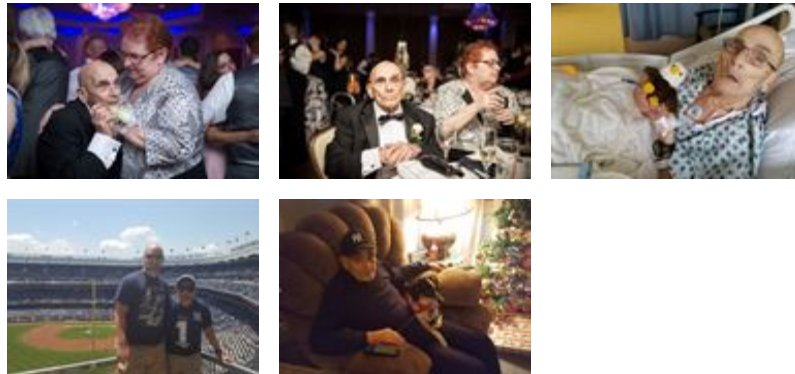
“ *Martinez Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Fred J. DeCosta*



Martinez Funeral Homes - December 18, 2018 at 01:55 PM



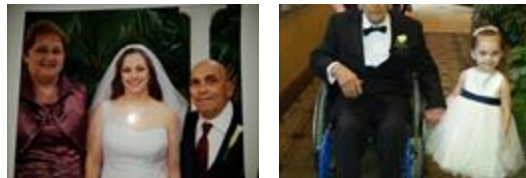
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Martinez Funeral Homes - December 18, 2018 at 12:48 PM



“ *Love you and miss you dad*



Tanya - December 18, 2018 at 10:41 AM

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“ *From Your loving Sister in laws and husbands purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White for the family of Mr. Fred J. DeCosta.*



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**From Your loving Sister in laws and husbands** - December 17, 2018 at 04:06 PM



“ *Colleen Solan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Fred J. DeCosta*



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**Colleen Solan** - December 16, 2018 at 05:52 PM



*Thank you for the memories & laughs. Our best to Pam, Tanya, Pat, and entire family. RIP Fred.*

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**Colleen Solan** - December 16, 2018 at 05:56 PM

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“ *Thank you Freddie for your service and for your help to me for many years. RIP buddy you've earned it. Our love and prayers for the family.*

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**D. L Green** - December 16, 2018 at 04:54 PM