



## Mr. Thomas "Tom" L. Vita

June 4, 1939 - December 24, 2017

Thomas "Tom" L. Vita

Loving Husband, Father, Step Father, Grandfather and Great Grandfather

Thomas "Tom" L. Vita, of Catskill, NY, born on June 4, 1939, passed into eternal life peacefully on Christmas Eve morning, December 24, 2017, at the age of 78 at St. Peter's Hospital, Albany, New York, surrounded by his loving and devoted wife, Patricia M. (Taranto) Vita and her family.

Survivors include his beloved wife, Patricia (Taranto) Vita, his son, Anthony and his daughters Maria and Madeline. Tom was also a step father to Dawn (Perkowski) Vorraro, William Perkowski Jr., Brooke (Perkowski) Mabb, and Mary Perkowski. He was a loving grandfather of many grandchildren and a great grandfather to two great-grandchildren.

Tom loved fishing, cooking, laughing and poking fun every chance he that he had.

Tom's life will be celebrated with a private ceremony of immediate family.

To honor of Tom's life, cards and expressions of condolences may be sent to P.O. Box 162, South Cairo, New York, 12482.

Arrangements are under the direction of Richards Funeral Home, 29 Bross Street, Cairo, New York.

Condolences and memories may be made at  
[www.richardsfuneralhomeinc.net](http://www.richardsfuneralhomeinc.net).

# Tribute Wall

JR

“ Dawn, Brooke and family, our thoughts are with you all. We hope the memories you have bring comfort during this time. With Love,  
John and Jeanette Rotolo

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**Jeanette Rotolo** - December 31, 2017 at 10:13 PM

KL

“ Patty, I am very sorry to just hear of your loss... You are in my thoughts and prayers.  
As you wrote, "til we meet again," hang in there and live your best life.  
You are loved and thought of by many people, even strangers.  
Keith (& Bruce) Lampman-Perlman

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**Keith Lampman-Perlman** - December 31, 2017 at 10:53 AM

LL

“ Linda Lawrence lit a candle in memory of Mr.  
Thomas "Tom" L. Vita



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**Linda Lawrence** - December 30, 2017 at 06:48 AM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Brianna Vita** - December 28, 2017 at 11:57 AM



Linda Lawrence - December 30, 2017 at 06:50 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Memories of Tom*



Richards Funeral Home of the Mid Hudson Valley Inc. - December 27, 2017 at 03:43 PM



*My love, I will love you forever. You will always be with me. I will carry you with me in my heart. Until we meet again*

Patty vita - December 28, 2017 at 12:03 PM

MA

“ *I am my father's tuffy...  
When we went to the beach he told me to jump high from the waves  
He told me to be good  
He told me to save my money  
He told me to always be happy  
I'm glad I found you again and saw you  
I'm glad you met my son and my nieces  
I was gonna surprise you after the holidays to see u but you went  
away so you can be around me all the time watching me...now i  
have to be good...ajajajaj  
I love u daddy ..  
Now i have to be tougher like you always say im your tuffy..im your  
baby girl  
I'm not saying goodbye ..  
I'm saying see ya  
Love always your daughter baby girl tuffy  
Madeline*

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**MADLINE** - December 27, 2017 at 11:33 AM

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*Lovely written.*

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**Anonymous** - December 27, 2017 at 03:38 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for  
the family of Mr. Thomas "Tom" L. Vita .*



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December 27, 2017 at 10:29 AM