



## Serafin Torres

September 30, 2021

Serafin Torres of Forest Hills passed away September 30, 2021 in his 90th year. There will be a visitation to honor Serafin held at Roslyn Heights Funeral Home Tuesday October 5 from 3-7PM. The following day Wednesday October 6, Serafin will be laid to rest at St. Raymond cemetery.

At the request of the family they kindly ask all visitors to please wear a mask upon entering the funeral home.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Raymond's Cemetery

2600 Lafayette Ave.  
Bronx, NY 10465

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 5. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Roslyn Heights Funeral Home  
75 Mineola Ave  
Roslyn Heights, NY 11577  
(516) 621-4545  
roslynheightsfh@gmail.com  
<https://RoslynHeightsFH.com>

## Meet & Leave

OCT 6. 9:15 AM - 9:45 AM (ET)

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75 Mineola Ave  
Roslyn Heights, NY 11577  
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## Interment

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OCT **6**. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Raymond's Cemetery  
2600 Lafayette Ave.  
Bronx, NY 10465

# Tribute Wall



“ *Serafin Torres*

November 16, 2022 at 07:31 PM



“ *Our condolences on your family's loss. May he rest in eternal peace. Sending prayers to give you all strength to get through this very difficult time. ~ Chris and Jackie, Union, NJ.*

**Jackie** - October 05, 2021 at 05:19 PM



*Thank you*

**Janette Vasquez** - October 06, 2021 at 03:04 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Serafin Torres.*



October 05, 2021 at 12:41 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Serafin Torres.*



October 05, 2021 at 12:15 PM

KV

“ He was the only grandfather I knew from my father’s side he was always saying this to make you laugh when I was little he would tell me your so ugly and try to take my nose I would stay so mad he thought it was cause he had my nose but it was because he would call me ugly lol I knew it was all out of love RIP Serafin you will be missed love you always



kesha vasquez - October 05, 2021 at 10:22 AM

MR

To the only grandfather I’ve ever known I remember him always calling me ugly every time I see him always grabbing my nose and always giving us candy when we see him always offering us coffee his coffee was so good S.I.P sarafin forever in our hearts.

Marynely Rivero - October 05, 2021 at 11:15 AM



“ For the only Grandfather I have ever known, Thank you for teaching me how to make Coquito. I now make the BEST in the Bronx bc of you. My fondest memory as a child was you giving us caramel candies every time we came to visit. Sleep in Peace ❤️🙏



Eliza Rivero - October 05, 2021 at 09:03 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Serafin Torres.*



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October 05, 2021 at 08:57 AM



“ *Serafin was my neighbor. I will always remember his humor and strong voice. He always asked my wife for me. Whenever she told him I was sleeping, he would say in a very loud voice “he is lazy”. I enjoyed having daily conversations with him and my family and I will miss him. He will never be forgotten. May he sleep in peace.*

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**Rawle Hamilton** - October 03, 2021 at 09:44 PM



“ *Marysol Mari sent a virtual gift in memory of Serafin Torres*



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**Marysol Mari** - October 03, 2021 at 07:19 PM

MM

“ I know his name is Serafin but I called him SARAFIN! I met Serafin when I was 14 years old I'm now 59 so it's been 44 years. When I met him he immediately took my heart! He would call my name really loud CHOLY!!! Not to long ago I went to see Serafin at the nursing home and as the nurse is bringing him down I can hear him saying really loud “LYDIA.....LYDIA....” Then he see's me and saids “You're not Lydia”, “ Then “You're not Nena” I go “NO”! He saids “Choly?” I go Yeap!! Then he saids Choly you're not 19?!!! I said No I'm a lot older then 19 Serafin. Then he went on to ask me how I was doing & he asked for my daughter. I will always love ‘ remember Serafin. Thinking about him always bought a smile & a joy to my spirit! Rest In Peace my Serafin as you now walk through the Golden Gates of Heaven. ❤️🙏❤️ Love always: CHOLY

Marysol Mari - October 03, 2021 at 07:14 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Serafin Torres.



October 03, 2021 at 01:14 PM

AR

“ I remember everytime I came from Boston or FL to NY, Serafin would pack our goodies better than any store could pack n wrap. He would even try to wrap all the fruits from kitchen table too. 😊

Anna Rosario - October 03, 2021 at 10:44 AM

EN

“ Neighbor in NJ:

*Oh I'm so sorry may he Rest In Peace. He was so nice I loved when he would walk and come by us and talked. May gods watch over you and give you strength.*

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**Elaine Nemezio** - October 03, 2021 at 10:13 AM

YR


“ *There are so many memories but the one that stands out the most is when Serafine would bring his work home cut up fabric and staple them to paper and then stamp the color of them under neath each fabric. He would even get us to help him and Mommy would be in the kitchen making him a snack of chicharron and he would try to get us to repeat after him in Spanish silly things.*

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**Yvette Rivero** - October 03, 2021 at 10:07 AM

MM

*Yvette, this is a same memory I have with Sarafin as he stapled beautiful color coordinated fabric on card board. ❤️🙏❤️*

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**Marysol Mari** - October 03, 2021 at 07:22 PM

 Ana Vazquez

“ *When ever he heard the Mr Softee ice cream truck music in the neighborhood he would say Ana Mr Softee is here .*

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**Ana Vazquez** - October 03, 2021 at 09:02 AM

YV

“ What I remember most about Serafin, was when I took him to his doctor and Dr. Sure would drain his knee of fluid. Serafin would hold my hand tight and say “Oh my god that hurts” and after it was all done he’d say “Dr. you don’t feel no pain right? It’s not hurting you it’s hurting me.” Serafin would always joke around with the nurses and with Dr. Sure. He would tell the nurses, who didn’t speak Spanish, “Repeat after me YO SOY FEA” then he would laugh and say “You just said, you were ugly.”

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**Yvonne Vasquez** - October 03, 2021 at 08:48 AM

MV

“ My fondest memory is of Serafin and Mommy making Pasteles for Thanksgiving and Christmas. It was amazing how they would take a shopping cart on the subway to Spanish Harlem, then go back home with a full cart of ingredients and spend hours working until midnight just to make them special for the family.

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**Mimi Vasquez** - October 03, 2021 at 12:33 AM

JV

“ I remember when he used to buy bags of Werthers candy just to share it with the neighborhood kids and anyone he greeted.

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**Janette Vasquez** - October 03, 2021 at 12:11 AM

HE

“ All the cousins used to be at their ( momi iya and Serafin’s) house and when he heard the ice cream truck he’d always check his pockets or make a B line to his room and give us money to get ice cream. We’d all rush out the house and go running to the ice cream truck smiling. Thank you for the memories

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**Helena** - October 02, 2021 at 05:17 PM

NV

*Beautiful memories.*

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**Nerida Vasquez** - October 03, 2021 at 12:13 AM

NV

*I Just Went Through Years Of Memories Looking At Pictures And I Had A Smile On Me Face The Entire Time. And I Also lol. Thank You For Being In My Life. I Was Lucky To Have You As A 2nd Father. Love You Always And Forever!*

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**Nerida Vasquez** - October 03, 2021 at 12:16 AM

MA

*I will always remember Mr. Torres he was like a father figure to me. Whenever I came over to the apartment to do some artwork with his son Henry my dear old school brother, he would call me into the kitchen where he would relax for a moment after having his dinner and would invite me to sit down at the table with him, he would say things to me in Spanish and then ask me what did he just say, Lol, I would answer I don't know, then he'd look at me and reply, " Mauricio, you need to learn the language! And eventually I did. Te echo de menos mucho senior Torres.*

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**Maurice Antonio** - October 09, 2021 at 12:57 PM