



## Luciano Minetti

September 27, 2019

Luciano Minetti passed away on September 27, 2019 at the age of 85, surrounded by family. He is survived by his wife, Maria Pia, daughter Sonia, son Rino and his wife Shari, three grandchildren Oriana, Luciano and Stefano and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews and godchildren. He was affectionately known as “Papa,” “Nonno,” and “Falco.” Luciano was born and raised in Rome, Italy. He spent his childhood growing up in his family’s circus where he was best known for his fearlessness on the tightrope and trapeze — a trait that he carried throughout his life. He married his wife, Maria Pia, in 1957 and they came to the United States with their kids in 1966. He was proudly employed by Alitalia Airlines for 30 years. All who knew him recognized his immense passion for life, magnificent love, and endless desire to help others. His extraordinary personality made him the life of the party and filled any room he was in. He loved spending his time listening to music, dancing, hosting countless family and friends and traveling to his native Italy. He will forever be remembered as an exceptional gentleman of impeccable integrity and a loving husband, father and grandfather. He will be dearly missed by all. Visitation at Barrett Funeral Home 148 Dean Dr., Tenafly on Monday September 30, 2019 from 4 PM to 8 PM. Funeral Mass, Tuesday, 10 AM at St. Therese Church, Cresskill. Entombment Madonna Mausoleum, Fort Lee, NJ.

# Cemetery Details

## Madonna Mausoleum

2070 Hoefleys Lane  
Fort Lee, NJ 07024

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **30**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Barrett Leber Funeral Home  
148 Dean Dr  
Tenafly, NJ 07670  
(201) 568-8043  
<https://www.barrettleberfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Mass

OCT **1**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Saint Therese of Liseux Church  
120 Monroe Avenue  
Cresskill, NJ 07626

# Tribute Wall

LF

“ Love, The Spies Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Luciano Minetti.



Love, The Spies Family - September 30, 2019 at 01:12 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Luciano Minetti.



September 30, 2019 at 09:41 AM

LF

“ Love, Florence, Chris & family purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Luciano Minetti.



Love, Florence, Chris & family - September 29, 2019 at 09:07 PM

CR

“ Cindy & Jim Roper purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Luciano Minetti.



Cindy & Jim Roper - September 29, 2019 at 07:47 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Luciano Minetti.



September 29, 2019 at 03:39 PM



“ St. Therese Festival Choir purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Luciano Minetti.



**St. Therese Festival Choir** - September 29, 2019 at 02:25 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Luciano Minetti.



September 29, 2019 at 12:28 PM



“ Love Michael and Mary Principe purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Luciano Minetti.



**Love Michael and Mary Principe** - September 29, 2019 at 11:19 AM

RC

“ *Rosa & Ron, Jason, Ann & Chris purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Luciano Minetti.*



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**Rosa & Ron, Jason, Ann & Chris** - September 29, 2019 at  
09:41 AM