



## Anthony C Tararo

April 4, 1948 - May 15, 2022

It is with great sadness that the family of Anthony Charles Tararo, known as Nino to many announces his sudden passing on Sunday, May 15, 2022, at the age of 74. He succumbed to his long battle with heart disease.

Anthony, also known as The Climate King, will be lovingly remembered by his son, Anthony Michael Tararo, his eldest sister, Christine Marcouiller and his brother-in-law Marvin Marcouillier, his elder sister, Charlene Harris, his younger sister, Rosemary Tararo-Torres and brother-in-law, Jose Torres, his younger sister, Sheila Szaflarski and brother-in-law, Kenneth Szaflarski and his youngest sister, Carol Adelpia as well as numerous nieces and nephews and other family members and friends.

Anthony was predeceased by his parents, father, John Joseph Tararo, Sr. and mother, Elizabeth Tararo Schlegal and brothers, John J. Tararo and Peter Tararo.

Due to the miles between them, each family will mourn in their own way. The family however would like to thank his friends Brian, Joe, and George for their years of friendship and camaraderie. He loved you guys.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the ASPCA a fond charity of Nino's who absolutely loved animals.

As his eldest sister I want to share with you that Anthony was my baby brother and no matter how he felt or what kind of a day he was having, he always had a joke, a kind word, and a smile for anyone he met. He loved people, life, animals, good food and music and was lovingly referred to as the "lawyer" as he always tried to be the voice of reason.

A fond memory of many memories was of Nino when he was a little child and he would get in trouble, he would always tell my parents that "Titine did it" as he was not able to say Christine, but I even got blamed for peeing in his pants!

In the last few years of his life, when he was weak, my family and I were there for him and always would be because as the saying goes, he wasn't heavy he was my brother, and we loved him very much and always will.

Anthony...you will forever be in our hearts, and I know someday we will be together again in heaven. For now, goodbye my little brother we will miss you forever.

SERVICES FOR ANTHONY WILL BE PRIVATE

# Tribute Wall

MS

“ He was always very caring ... when we dated he insisted on picking me up at Beauty School in Oak Park on winter nights and made sure the car was warm for me and would never let me take the bus home, and sometimes Mitch was with him and we would go to the Golden Bear on North Ave. .... he used to sing a song by The Delfonics to me when it came out in 1968, I smile when I think of him and it has been over 54 years since then. There are just some people you never forget ... Nino was one of them even though we went our separate ways .... Always, Mariann

Mariann Sarysz - June 08, 2022 at 06:26 PM

RT

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ROSEMARY TARARO - May 30, 2022 at 08:45 AM

MA

“ Memories of our wild and crazy teens ... dancing at the Coffee Break ... you singing that DelFonics song that just came out ... what a voice .... your beautiful sisters who were so kind to me ... and how you loved my mom ... look for her Nino ... her angel wings sparkle and glow .... give her a big hug .... RIP Nino ... Sincerely, Mariann

Mariann - May 27, 2022 at 01:03 PM

RT

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



ROSEMARY TARARO - May 25, 2022 at 11:51 AM

RT

WE WOULD ALL HAVE A GLORIOUS VISIT ❤️🙏

ROSEMARY TARARO - May 25, 2022 at 11:52 AM

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ROSEMARY TARARO - May 25, 2022 at 11:40 AM

RT

5 YRS AGO AT CAROLS HOUSE LITTLE FAMILY REUNION WITH US CHICAGOANS 🙏❤️

ROSEMARY TARARO - May 25, 2022 at 11:42 AM

RT

“ ROSEMARY TARARO lit a candle in memory of Anthony C Tararo



ROSEMARY TARARO - May 25, 2022 at 11:38 AM

CH

“ Sent a gift in memory of Anthony C Tararo



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**Charlene Harris** - May 24, 2022 at 04:05 PM

CH

“ Charlene Harris sent a virtual gift in memory of Anthony C Tararo



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**Charlene Harris** - May 24, 2022 at 04:04 PM

JT

“ I've known Nino since I was 12 years old. He gave me my first job handing out flyers for his HVAC business. My sincere condolences to the family. Nino was always excellent to myself and my mother(Kathy Tincu). Anytime either of asked him for anything he was there on a moments notice. His caring and giving nature is always something I looked up to and aspired to be. He will be greatly missed. John Tincu.

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**John Tincu** - May 20, 2022 at 09:42 PM

CH

“ Charlene Elizabeth Harris lit a candle in memory of Anthony C Tararo



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**Charlene Elizabeth Harris** - May 20, 2022 at 03:03 PM

CA

“ Rest In Peace my big brother. The gentle arms of all who have gone before you are waiting 🙏 I loved you in life and will miss you always. 💙

carol adelphia - May 19, 2022 at 02:30 AM

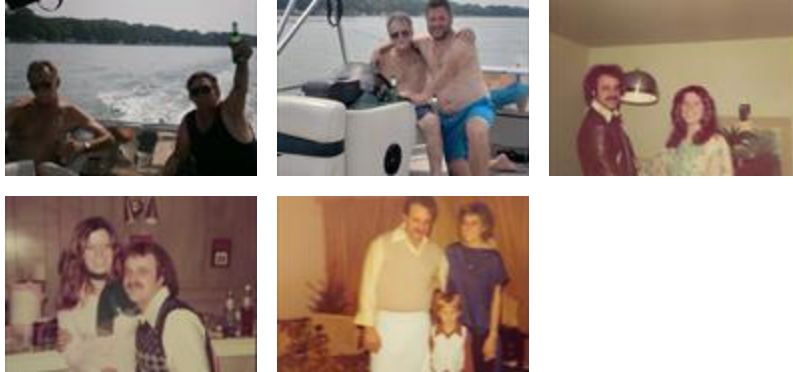
RK

“ I new Nino during my teens to twenty years and we would hangout with the same crowd and places. As life took us in different directions I sit here now and close my eyes and hear his laugh and see his smile. It's something that you never forget. He was a great guy and friend to me then. My deepest condolences. Bob Kufel

Robert Kufel - May 18, 2022 at 01:02 PM

AN

“ 21 files added to the album Pap



Anthony - May 17, 2022 at 04:22 PM

RT

OMG I CANT STOP CRYING, THANKYOU LITTLE NINO FOR SHARING THESE, SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS AND I LOVE YOU!! AUNT ROSE 🙏❤️💎 HE WILL BE IN MY HEART FOREVER❤️

ROSEMARY TARARO - May 17, 2022 at 04:36 PM

KT

*Love the pictures Anthony, so sad we never met, you were always number one in his life, thank you for sharing. I will miss him beyond words 🙏🕊️*

**Kathy Castady Tincu** - May 17, 2022 at 04:57 PM

CH

*Thank you Anthony Jr. for sharing. I am so sorry for the loss of your father and my dear brother. Love to you always, Aunt Char ❤️🕊️*

*Love to you always, Aunt Char*

**Charlene Elizabeth Harris** - May 17, 2022 at 07:42 PM

SS

*“BEAUTIFUL PHOTOS, WONDERFUL MEMORIES”! THANK YOU SO VERY MUCH ANTHONY JR. FOR THIS SHARE”! LOVE, Aunt Sheila, Uncle Ken, and Family ❤️*

**Sheila Tararo Szaflarski** - May 17, 2022 at 09:01 PM

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**Sheila Tararo Szaflarski** - May 17, 2022 at 09:25 PM

MP

*Anthony this is your cousin Mike.*

*Beautiful way to honor your father, uncle Nino.*

**Michael John Plecas** - May 17, 2022 at 10:15 PM

SS

*"AND TO YOU NINO" From Your Little Sis She I'll Be Missing Our Most Recent Phone Visits Shared, That We're Very Intellectual, Sometimes Emotional, And A lot Of Fun! And I Will Never Forget The Support And Respected Advice That You Gave Me When I Was Very Sick! Thanks Again Nino! 🤔👍 As For Memories In Past Years, We Had A Lot Of Fun Times! That I Will Hold Forever In My Heart And My Mind! I'm Not Going To Go On Too Long Because, As You Always Said, She Don't Talk Too Much! And Let Me Do The Talking! 😊 But—+ Just To Add A Few, Remembering How Giving And Caring You Were To All In Our Family If In Need! And A Big Brother Who Would Strongly Defend His Sisters Of Any Troublemakers! You And Our Brother John Also! I Also Thought It Was SOO COOL When You, John, Rose And I Would Go To The Coffee Break Dance And We We're All Such Great Dancers, That Everyone There Would Form A Circle Around All Four Of Us To Watch Our Moves And Learn! 🤗 OK, That Was Just A Couple From The Past, I'm Done. 😊 Your Humor, Unreal!!! (Especially When You Made Up Your Own Jokes!) The Best! 😂🤔 And I'm Going To Miss Singing Songs With You! 🤔 Last Time @ Our Family Reunion Outside Of The Restaurant. Our Favorite, ( Songs By Mary Wells) And No. 1'S We We're Great!! S—Mokin !! 😊 Well Nino, We Are So Sorry That Our Recent Plan Of Getting Together And Your Bro Ken Teaching You Some Strings On The Guitar, 🎸 Us Singing And Jamming Together Didn't Happen. But No Worries, Keep Singing In Heaven 🕊️ With Your Beautiful Voice! 😊 And We Will Be Jamming With You In A Little While!! We'll Be Singing Songs By Etta James Too!! —Bye For Now— And I LOVE YOU, WE LOVE YOU SO VERY MUCH!!!! 🤗 She, 💋 🌸 Ken and Family*

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**Sheila Tararo Szaflarski** - May 17, 2022 at 10:51 PM

CT

*Hey Lil Nino Cuzn Chrissy here. The pics are Wonderful! Been a long time, sorry for the loss of ur dad! I remember Aunt Phylis fondly even though it was a short time in my life. She was very sweet to me and I can still hear her voice saying "hi Chrissy". I thank her for the kindness. ❤️ I LOVE MY UNCLE NINO & MISS HIM! I have many memories of uncle Nino!!! There were a lot of good times. MANY dinners at my Aunt Carol's & my Mom's & even 2 of my places out in Bensenville, at restaurants & visiting at couple his places & at my grandmothers back in the day etc. uncle Nino was super cool and sweet. I really miss him and wish there were more time and visits and conversations to look forward to. I know this is hard on my cousins out in Illinois as they grew up with him also. Sad, but ya if u have to find a positive- it's that he's not in pain. My two kids loved uncle Nino A LOT! Love you uncle Nino Ur the Best ❤️*

Christine Elizabeth Tararo - May 24, 2022 at 06:33 PM

KT

“Nino was a loving friend and caretaker through many illnesses, with love and laughter 🙏🕊️”

Kathy Castady Tincu - May 16, 2022 at 06:30 PM

JR

*Nino was a close friend to me when I was young, for many years. We had a lot of crazy adventures together, many that I hesitate to share. 😂 I remember when we were in sixth or seventh grade and we would sneak his moms Pall Mall cigarettes from her purse and walk down the side streets to Sunnyside School in the morning. He had a big, kind heart, he loved to cook, especially his great Eggplant Parmesan! Another thing was, as I got older, and we didn't see each other very often, but he always remembered my birthday and made sure he called me. I tried to do the same with his birthday, but wasn't as consistent as he was. I will miss him and I pray that he knew that his salvation was in Jesus and I will see him again. I think he did! ❤️*

jim romano - May 16, 2022 at 07:33 PM

RT

MY BEUTIFUL BROTHER NINO WHERE DO I BEGIN, I HAVE SO MANY MEMORIES FROM CHILHOOD UP, ONE OF MY FAVS WAS THE CHRISTMAS CAROLS WE USED TO SING A DUO OF SILENT NIGHT ALL THE FAMILY DINNERS AT MY HOUSE FOR THE HOLIDAYS, THE NEW YEARS EVE PARTYS RINGING IN THE NEW YEAR, AND THE BALMY SUMMER NIGHTS FOING KARAOKE IN THE YARD!! SO MANY FUN GOOD LOVING LAUGHING MEMORIES!! ONE OF MY FAVORITES AND IT MADE HISTORY, WAS WHEN WE WENT TO JOES ON COURTLAND FISH HOUSE AND WE LEFT THEY CLOSED AND WE HAD TO GO BACK CUZ YOU HAD WRAPPED YOUR DENTURES IN A NAPKIN AND WHEN WE CLEARED THE TABLE THEY WOUNDUP IN THE GARBAGE!!! WE LAUGHED ALL THE WAY HOME!! I WAS ALWAYS HAVING A GOOD TIME THERES SO MUCH MORE FUNNY ONES !!! YOU WERE AN AMAZING MAN AND YOU HAD A HEART AS BIG AS THE WORLD!!! YOU HAD A LOVING KINDRED SPIRIT AND ALWAYS ROLLED WITH THE PUNCHES,MY MEMORIES AND LOVE FOR YOU WILL BE WITH ME ALWAYS❤️ I CARRY YOU IN MY HEART SOON OUR CHAIN WILL LINK TOGETHER, UNTIL THEN..... YOU ARE MISSED💔❤️🥺😊

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ROSEMARY TARARO - May 16, 2022 at 07:48 PM

CH

*Nino was a shining star. He had charisma and his presence would light up a room. A comedian in his own right and could make you laugh so hard you'd cry. He had the ability to touch the lives of many people. He truly left a mark!*

*Nino and I were less than 14 months apart and so we were very close beginning in early childhood and on into becoming young adults. It was often that we palled around together and we shared the same friends and interests. He loved to dance and we were dancing partners when at the clubs together. He was great on the dance floor! We rode around together in the car and listened to music. Nino loved the song, He Ain't Heavy He's My Brother. . He was only 23 yrs old when I moved to California and he already had a plan for his future, as he told me he would one day be in business for himself and I could be his secretary. He was serious, but we had a good laugh because he knew I could barely hunt & peck on a typewriter. I always admired that he succeeded in his plans. He was a good brother and always looked out for me and all of his siblings. He paid a friend of his to drive with me in my car when I left Chicago.*

*He taught me so many things like how to swim and dive off the pier in Twin Lakes, Wisconsin.*

*He loved to cook and taught me how to cook meatballs for the first time, and I have to say his side show was better than Emeril! I could go on & on, but would have to ask any readers, how much time do you have?*

*In closing a special memory of Nino and I holding hands and walking to Sunnyside School together in wonder of what we thought was under the sidewalk. We came up with "Lions & Tigers". Nino was in the first grade and I in second grade. We loved each other so much. Nino was sentimental and just recently he made a joke that when he found out what was under those sidewalks he would let me know! Miles apart but always together in heart.*

*Sleep with the Angels Nino and someday our souls will meet again.  
With fond memories and love for you forever, Char*

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**Charlene Elizabeth Harris** - May 17, 2022 at 04:55 PM



*Nino was a guy with an offset ( but appreciated by those who got him) brand of humor. A few years ago I was in-between Jobs and he let me help him with his HVAC company. He mainly paid me to stand around as I knew nothing about heating and air conditioning, but I put the hours in and he never made me ask for cash payment at the end of the day. He knew I was in a jam and he sprung in to help. He also took care of my Aunt Kathy when he was not obligated to and fulfilled the role many of her busy family had sometimes been unable too. I'll rememeber him as a good man.*

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**Alex Parelius** - May 17, 2022 at 10:53 PM



*Yes he was a one of a kind and yes he has his salvation we also discussed scripture together particularly he like pslams and proverbs 🙏 we prayed together for one another and also for our family hes SINGING amazing grace RIGHT NOW!!1 🙏*

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**ROSEMARY TARARO** - May 18, 2022 at 01:21 PM