



Frank Ringkamp

November 15, 1938 - December 27, 2022

Myrtle Beach,

Francis Conard Ringkamp III, 84, of Myrtle Beach, SC, passed away on Tuesday, December 27, 2022, after a courageous battle with pulmonary fibrosis. Born in Trenton, NJ, on November 15, 1938 to the late Ethel Cubberly and Francis C. Ringkamp, Jr. On May 11, 1963 he married Lois Barbara Scerba at St. Hedwig Catholic Church, Trenton, NJ.

Francis is survived by his beloved spouse Lois of 59 years, a son Christopher (Melissa) of Hollidaysburg, PA, and a daughter Sharon Vaccarello (Ron) of Ocean City, NJ; grandsons Andrew Vaccarello of Seattle, WA, Tyler Vaccarello (Katrina) of Malvern, PA, and Nathan Ringkamp of Washington, DC; brothers Donald (Kathleen) of Longs, SC, and Richard of Boise, ID; brother-in-law George E. Scerba Jr. (Patricia) of Downingtown, PA, many nieces and nephews, and his close friends and neighbors in Myrtle Beach.

After graduating from Ewing High School in 1957, Francis joined the US Naval Reserves serving in the Mediterranean and Caribbean. Upon his return, Francis worked for his father at Solfo Paint, Trenton, NJ. He retired from All-Lite Metal Window Company, Bristol Aluminum and Bristol Industries, Levittown, PA, in 2008.

After raising their family in Levittown and Fairless Hills, PA, Frank and Lois spent 15 happy years in retirement in Myrtle Beach where he enjoyed golf with his buddies Louie and Paul, model railroading, reading, cruises and looking for shark teeth along the shore, all while basking in the joy of his grandsons accomplishments. He was a member of the Holy Name Society and Third Degree member of the Knights of Columbus at St. James Catholic Church, Conway, SC.

Visitation will be at St. James Catholic Church, Conway, SC, on Tuesday, January 3, 2023 at 11:00 am followed by a Funeral Mass at Noon. The mass will be live streamed online via the "Watch Mass Live" icon at www.stjamesconway.org

At the convenience of the family, interment will be at St. Hedwig Cemetery, Trenton, NJ.

The family wishes to thank all at Conway Medical Center, First Light and Amedisys for their compassionate care in recent months.

Memorial contributions may be made in Frank's memory to a charity of your choice.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 3. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. James Catholic Church
1071 Academy Drive
Conway, SC 29526

Mass

JAN 3. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

KR

“ *Lois, I was saddened to read of Frank's passing. Sending prayers to you and your family. Kathy Ross*

kathy ross - March 06, 2023 at 06:49 AM

WL

“ *To my husband, father of two great children and grandfather to 3 grandsons. You are my rock and I will love you until my last breath. Yours forever, "Red"*

wife, Lois - January 16, 2023 at 05:01 PM



“ *I had a teacher at Parkway School in Ewing in the '60's named Mrs Ringkamp. This may be Lois but regardless, condolences to the family*

Jeanne Henry - January 05, 2023 at 05:13 PM

KR

“ *Dear Lois and Family, We were deeply saddened to hear about the passing of Frank. He was always so thoughtful, kind, and loving to all and will truly be missed. May the precious memories that you shared bring you comfort, support and peace in the days ahead. With deepest sympathies, Karen and Ken*



Karen and Ken Rauba - January 03, 2023 at 01:30 PM

CL

*Dear aunt Lois Sharon and Chris I loved your dad like a second father You and your family were always so great to me I'm so sorry to hear of uncle Frank's passing I pray you are comforted by the beautiful memories Until you meet again love you all
Susan (Sikorski), Brian and Connor Leoutsacos*

Connor Leoutsacos - March 28, 2025 at 06:54 PM

KF

*“ Dear Lois, We pray that the Lord gives you the peace and good memories you have had to share with your life with Frank. You were such good neighbors to our son, Kevin and Brooke. Again, the Lord will give you the strength and blessings, we pray.
Thomas & Karen Forsee*

Karen S. Forsee - January 02, 2023 at 01:26 PM

PS

“ We will never forget the cruise we took 4 years ago. It was the best times of our lives. RIP Frank. We will miss you. Love Pat and George.

Patricia and George Scerba - January 02, 2023 at 10:23 AM

BS

“ Lois, My sincere sympathy to you and your family for the loss of your husband Frank. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Barbara Kolczynski Sykes

Barbara sykes - January 01, 2023 at 05:20 PM

IF

“ *Independent Catholic Foundation purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Frank Ringkamp.*



Independent Catholic Foundation - December 31, 2022 at 03:35 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Frank Ringkamp.*



December 30, 2022 at 09:34 AM