



Domenico Peticca

September 3, 1926 - May 12, 2025

Domenico Peticca, age 98, passed away peacefully on May 12, 2025. He was born on September 3, 1926, in Sora, Italy, to Loretta and Francesco Peticca. In 1950, Domenico immigrated to the United States—first starting in New York City, and eventually making his way to Michigan with his family in pursuit of new opportunities and a better life. A devoted and hardworking man, Domenico spent over 30 years as a structural engineer at General Motors. He took great pride in his work and was deeply committed to providing for his family. His integrity, perseverance, and dedication earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and all who knew him.

Domenico was a devoted husband to his beloved Angelina for 38 years, and to his cherished Lena for 32 years. He treasured every moment spent with his family and found great joy in cooking—a lifelong passion that brought warmth and happiness to those around him until his final days.

He was the dearest father to Nora (Luigi) Capobianco, Frank (Therese) Peticca, Cynthia (Lance Weyeneth) Palleschi, and Lawrence (Teresa) Palleschi, Jr. He was a loving grandfather to Cindy (Mike), Linda (Dave), Angela, Emily, Jeffrey, Adam, and Brianna (James). He was also a cherished great-grandfather to Juliana, Dominic, Joseph, and Cam.

Domenico's warmth, generosity, and love for his family will be remembered

always. He leaves behind a legacy of strength, devotion, and tradition.

Visitation will be held on Friday May 16, 2025, from 3:00 to 9:00 p.m. with the Recitation of the Rosary at 7:00pm at Wujek Calcaterra, 36900 Schoenherr Rd Sterling Heights

A funeral service will take place on Saturday, May 17, 2025, instate 9:30 a.m. at 10:00 a.m. at St Paul of Tarsus Church, 41300 Romeo Plank Rd, Clinton Twp with burial to follow at Resurrection Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road
Clinton Township, MI 48038

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 16. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wujek - Calcaterra & Sons Inc - Sterling
36900 SCHOENHERR RD
Sterling Heights, MI 48312

Rosary

MAY 16. 7:00 PM (ET)

Wujek - Calcaterra & Sons Inc - Sterling
36900 SCHOENHERR RD
Sterling Heights, MI 48312

Instate / Funeral Mass

MAY 17. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul of Tarsus
41300 Romeo Plank Road
Clinton Township, MI 48038

Tribute Wall

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“ *Uncle Domenic,
We have many memories of precious moments with you, filled with laughter, boisterous card games and rich story telling. We learned so much from you about our ancestry, about the life lessons of hardship and resilience, and above all about love and commitment to Family.*

Zio, you were a beloved uncle to us all and we forever hold you closely in our hearts. Thank you for loving us deeply and so generously.

May God hold you closely in His arms.

*Love always,
Franca, Domenico, Valentina, Daniela, Adrian, Olivia, Julia and Lucas*



Cristini family - May 16, 2025 at 02:59 PM

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“ *Ingrid S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Domenico Peticca.*

Ingrid S. - May 16, 2025 at 08:46 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Domenico Peticca.

May 15, 2025 at 09:39 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Domenico Peticca.



May 15, 2025 at 09:39 AM

FG

“ *Uncle Domenic,*

You’ve always been an inspiration to me. It was because of you that I became a civil engineer. When you spoke, I listened closely—your logic was clear, thoughtful, and unwavering. I treasure the time we shared over the years in Toronto, Detroit, Italy, Atlanta, and even Frankenmuth!

Our last meal together in 2024 was especially meaningful. You made a lasting impression on my partner, Kim, just as you did on everyone whose life you touched. It reminded me of the many joyful moments spent in your home, filled with warmth, good food, conversation, and love.

Zio, I always have—and always will—carry the memory of you with me, wherever I go.

*With love,
Frank Gulia, Kim Nolte & Family*



Frank Gulia - May 15, 2025 at 09:27 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Domenico Peticca.*

May 15, 2025 at 09:24 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Domenico Peticca.*



May 15, 2025 at 09:24 AM



“ *Frank Gulia & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Domenico Peticca.*

Frank Gulia & Family - May 15, 2025 at 08:09 AM



“ *Frank Gulia & Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Domenico Peticca.*



Frank Gulia & Family - May 15, 2025 at 08:09 AM



“ *So many beautiful memories...
Love from your Palleschi family ❤️*

Palleschi - May 14, 2025 at 06:26 AM

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“ So many beautiful memories...
Warmly and forever remembered...
Much Love from your Palleschi family.❤️



Palleschi - May 14, 2025 at 06:25 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Domenico Peticca.

May 13, 2025 at 10:00 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Domenico Peticca.



May 13, 2025 at 10:00 PM

VG

“ *Uncle Dominic was the Patriarch of our family. He was the pillar of strength and resilience. We have so many memories that we'll hold close to our hearts and will cherish forever. The times we shared at the cottage, the many family dinners and my last special memory was him and I sitting on the porch and reminiscing about the good ol' days. We will truly miss you. With Love, Vince & Bernadette Gulia and Family.*



Vince Gulia - May 13, 2025 at 05:48 PM

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“ *Norb Kreuter and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Domenico Peticca.*

Norb Kreuter and family - May 13, 2025 at 04:27 PM

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“ *Norb Kreuter and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Domenico Peticca.*



Norb Kreuter and family - May 13, 2025 at 04:27 PM

PF

“ 1 file added to the album *Domenico*



Pamela Jean Facchini - May 13, 2025 at 02:37 PM