



## Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr.

August 25, 1966 - January 5, 2023

SORGI, Jr., Joseph Patrick "Joey". January 5, 2023. Age 56. Beloved husband of Roni (nee Ross). Loving father of Alex, Nikki and Joey III. Dearest brother of Jim (Gail), Chris (Mary) and Mary. Survived by his mother Gloria and predeceased by his father Joseph Patrick Sr.. Also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews. Joe's greatest accomplishment was his family and to all who knew him, they knew he, "loved them more than his next breath." Visitation Thursday 3-9pm with a 7pm Rosary at Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons, Inc. 36900 Schoenherr at Metro Pkwy (16 Mile). Instate Friday 11:30 am at St. Therese of Lisieux Catholic Church 48115 Schoenherr in Shelby Township until 12:00pm Mass. In lieu of flowers, and out of respect to his children's devotion to these causes, donations preferred to C.S. Mott Children's Hospital or St. Baldrick's Foundation. Please share memories with the family at their "On-Line Guestbook" at [WujekCalcaterra.com](http://WujekCalcaterra.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 12. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

## Rosary

JAN 12. 7:00 PM (ET)

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

## Instate / Funeral Mass

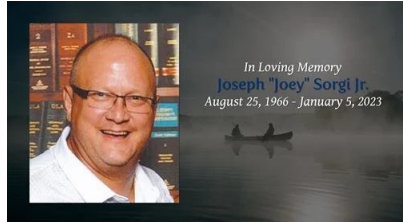
JAN 13. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Therese of Lisieux  
48115 Schoenherr  
Shelby Twp., MI 48315

# Tribute Wall



“ *Wujek ~ Calcaterra & Sons, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr.*



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**Wujek ~ Calcaterra & Sons, Inc.** - January 11, 2023 at 12:47 PM

ED

“ *Alex, Nikki, Joey and Roni. I never had the opportunity to meet you folks, but I met your father/husband this last December and wanted to say it was a true gift to meet him. He loved each of you very much, because that's all he would talk about. My heart is broken hearing of this news, I was hoping our friendship would have grown closer. Thoughts and prayers for all of you. Earl L. Donajkowski*

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**Earl Donajkowski** - January 22, 2023 at 01:15 PM

KM

“ I was lucky enough to coach Joey in Football at Fraser High School in the early 80's. I was just out of college and was hired to teach at FHS, and lucky for me, Ross hired me to help out the the JV football team and Coach Barnes. Obviously, that was a special time to be associated with Fraser football.

I knew Chris before I really got to know Joey, Chris was also on the staff back then. Joey was a great kid, and an outstanding athlete. I recently retired from teaching and coaching but if I would have had more kids like Joey I would still be coaching! I'm so sorry to hear about his passing, still hard for me to believe. I watched his video and it look's like he was a fantastic father and a wonderful husband. My condolences to your family. Coach Keith McElreath

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**keith mcelreath** - January 19, 2023 at 10:56 AM

MC

“ To Sorgi Family,  
We send our Condolences to All of YOU for  
the loss of our Union Brother Joe!



Chris Alverson...So sad to hear of this. My  
thoughts and prayers are with the family. RIP Joe!  
Shawna Kogelman...Prayers  
Margaret Gray...Always That Smile!!  
Gary Furton...Sorry for your loss! Prayers for his family and friends.  
Phyllis Mcculloch...RIP. Prayers for the family.  
Pat Zyczynski...Prayer  
Marlene Keene...Sending prayers to the family  
Roxann Meier Messner...I would be there, but I am in Florida  
Ted Albensi....Condolences Jim, to you and your family.  
Joan Peters...To Jim and family my condolences for your loss of  
your brother may rest with the angels  
Michael Smith...So sorry for sorgi family. Prayers  
Valentina Jovanovski...So sorry for your loss  
Ron Sikora.. Prayer's for Family So Sorry!  
Bill Maples..So sorry for your loss he was a good man  
Frank V DiGiorgio..I'm sorry for your loss!

Solidarity,  
We will miss you and thank you for your friendship and memories!  
Local 400  
UAW

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mary ann calabro - January 13, 2023 at 09:58 PM

MS

“ *Sending Roni and the Sorgi family healing prayers and comforting hugs.*

*We are thinking of you and wishing you moments of peace and comfort.*

*We're so very sorry for your loss. Our family will keep your family in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Love. Michael(Macaroni) and Jeannie Shannon and family.*

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**Michael Shannon** - January 12, 2023 at 05:54 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..*



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January 11, 2023 at 06:29 PM

MF

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Michelle Foster** - January 11, 2023 at 04:54 PM

MF

*I am so sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for all of you.*

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**Michelle Foster** - January 11, 2023 at 04:55 PM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..*



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January 11, 2023 at 02:16 PM



“ *From the Winkelman family we express our condolences and prayers to the Sorgi family. God Bless and RIP Joe. Ron and Jackie Winkelman*

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**Ron Winkelman** - January 11, 2023 at 11:52 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..*



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January 11, 2023 at 10:37 AM



“ *On the behalf of the Colombo Family. Childhood neighbor and friends of the Sorgi Family. Our hearts are heavy for you all, it is during these times when we realize life is a dash and to cherish the moments of today and memories of yesterday. May your faith carry you through the days ahead and know the love Joey had for his family, is an example he modeled for others to follow. For Christ said it is love that is the most important action to display. Rest In Peace Joey.*

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**Lori Colombo Dunham** - January 10, 2023 at 10:07 PM

MO

“ *Our thoughts are with the Sorgi family. Lots of great memories going way back, I ran into Joe a while back in Fraser and it was great to see him. A great competitor and better friend. RIP brother. Mark and Jill Oltman*

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**Mark Oltman** - January 10, 2023 at 09:00 PM

MC

“ To Sorgi Family,

*We of Local 400 fellow Union Members and fellow employees, like to send our deepest condolences again to the family for their loss.*



*ON BEHALF OF:*

*Chris Alverson...Sad to hear, thoughts and prayers are with his family*

*Shawna Kogelman..Prayers*

*Margaret Gray...Always That Smile!!*

*Gary Furton..Sorry for your loss! Prayers for his family and friends.*

*Phyllis Mcculloch..RIP. Prayers for the family.*

*Pat Zyczynski..Prayers*

*Marlene Keene..Sending prayers to the family*

*Roxann Meier Messner..I would be there, but I am in Florida*

*Ted Albensi/..Condolences Jim, to you and your family.*

*Joan Peters..To Jim and family my condolences for your loss of your brother may rest with the angels*

*Michael Smith..So sorry for sorgi family. Prayers*

*Valentina Jovanovski..So sorry for your loss*

*Ron Sikora..Sorry for your loss, may he rest in peace.*

*Frank V DiGiorgio..I'm sorry for your loss!*

*Mark Ashbaugh..So sorry for your loss I won't be able to make the service I am out of town*

*Greg Major...Peace be with your family*

*Dave Hohensee..Prayers for you and Family*

*Jim Serra..Rip JOE Your a great guy and a fantastic old school union man .*

*Ilene Schietaert.. Sending Prayers to the family*

*Beverly Patton..So Sad, to young, Prayers for family*

*Toni Borchert..Prayers and thoughts*

*DeBorah Mcgee..Sending Prayers for Family*

*Roxann Meier Messner*

*Jennifer Marie Shoobridge..So sorry to hear this, prayers to the Sorgi family*

*Frank Cilluffo... Prayers for Sorgi Family, so sad*  
*George Grimm..Prayers*  
*Mark Hoard..So sorry to hear this. RIP Joe*  
*Melissa Thompson..So sorry Prayers to the family*

*David Seals..Prayers for the family.*  
*Betsy Spano...So sorry!! My condolences to the family. Sending*  
*Prayers for strength though this difficult time.*  
*Jane Ashbaugh..Prayers and thoughts for Joe's family!*  
*Edwin Proctor...Yes a Sad Day for our union/co-worker. Be thinking*  
*& Praying for the family RIP Joe Sorgi*  
*Andrew Parisi...Sorry to hear this. Joe did me a big favor years ago.*  
*Great guy.*  
*Michelle L Hartway-Stratford..I'm so sorry. My deepest condolences*  
*to his family.*

*Martin Peters..*  
*Joe was a good man!!*  
*I'm very sorry to hear this*  
*God bless the Sorgi family*

*Michelle L Hartway-Stratford..My deepest condolences to his family*  
*Gary Keith Johnson II...So sorry to hear this. Prayers for his family!*  
*Denise Hofford Gauthier..My deepest sympathies to the family.*  
*Karen White...So sorry for the Family my thoughts and prayers to all*  
*Amy Pellegrini..So sorry to hear this. What a great guy. Prayers for*  
*the family.*  
*Melissa Thompson..So sorry for the family's loss hugs and prayers*  
*Liz Holifield...My condolences to his family*  
*Ida Young..Comfort prayers. Until you meet again*

*Solidarity,*  
*You will be deeply missed Brother, Thank YOU for the friendship*  
*and memories.*  
*UAW Local 400*

mary ann calabro - January 10, 2023 at 08:12 PM



“ *Sentimental Dreams* was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..



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January 10, 2023 at 05:12 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..



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January 10, 2023 at 03:26 PM

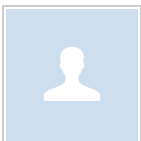


“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..



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January 10, 2023 at 01:36 PM



“ *Tender Tribute* was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..



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January 10, 2023 at 11:36 AM



“ *Heavenly Light was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..*



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January 10, 2023 at 10:56 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..*



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January 09, 2023 at 10:22 PM



“ *Sending our love and condolences to the entire Sorgi family. May all the good memories bring you some comfort now and in the days to come. Love you all. Kerry and Sheryl Terman*

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**sheryl** - January 09, 2023 at 09:49 PM



“ *My heart breaks for all my cousins and the entire Sorgi family. I cherish all the wonderful times we've shared together as a family over the years and will forever love & miss Joey ❤️*

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**Vicki** - January 09, 2023 at 08:12 PM

MU

“ *Jim and all the Sorgi family,*

*My sincere condolences for your loss. May you all find peace and comfort in the love that surrounds you.*

*Michelle Uebrueck*

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**Michelle Uebrueck** - January 09, 2023 at 03:23 PM

JF

“ *My deepest condolences to the entire Sorgi family, with prayers and sympathy, John Fryer*



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**John Fryer** - January 09, 2023 at 12:42 PM

EA

“ *Lucky to have great memories with you Joe, your presence and laughter would fill a room...now filling the room Jesus has prepared for you. Rest well my friend*

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**Ed Allen** - January 09, 2023 at 07:41 AM

BH

“ *To the entire Sorgi family, I wish you healing and peace.*

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**Barb Heikkila** - January 09, 2023 at 07:31 AM

MC

“ To Sorgi Family,



*Our UAW family Local 400 is deeply saddened by the passing of our Union Brother JOE. We'll always remember him fondly and feel lucky that we had the pleasure of working as well knowing him for he will be very missed.*

*May your memories give you peace and comfort.*

*Phyllis Wright Campeau...Our condolences*

*Tony Pia...Sorry for his loss*

*Tom Kruz...So sorry to hear about his loss , Prayer's*

*Art Trabilisy..So sorry Jim prayers go out to you and the family*

*Joe Cook...Sending Prayer's*

*Randy Lashbrook...So sorry to hear of this, prayers to all,*

*PRAYER'S*

*Carol Saputo...So sorry for their loss. Pray and sympathy to the family. PRAYER'S*

*Bonnie Maier...Prayers for the SORGI family*

*Gene Lane Sr....My deepest condolences and Prayers*

*Chuck McNabb..My condolences to Jim and his family*

*Sharon Florindi Wettlaufer..So sorry Jim. Prayers for you and your family.*

*Rosanne Lashbrook..Prayer's for Family*

*Gary F. Caracciolo...Prayers to Jim Sorgi & his Family !*

*John Swamba..Sending Prayer's*

*Hazel McMillan..Praying*

*Walter Welky..Please send Jim my condolences for the loss of his brother.*

*Philip Argento..Prayers for you my brother*

*Vickie Volpe Bezy..I'm so sorry to hear this. Prayers for his family.*

*Robert Miller..Sorry to hear..Take care Jim...Prayers for your family*

*Jack Hollands..So sorry, prayers for comfort*

*Greg Major..Peace be with you*

*Paul Snyder..So sorry for your loss.*

*Donna Mangas Steiner..So sorry Jim. My heart goes to you and*

*your family. Hugs and Prayers*  
*Theresa Jellison..I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of his brother.*  
*Toni Borchert*  
*Sandy Huffman Major..Sorry for his loss*  
*Connie Harter Arnold..So very sorry for his families loss*  
*Sara Aguinaga..Sending prayers.*  
*Cheryl Primeau..Very hard loss sorry to hear sending prayers*  
*Trina Tistle..Sorry for his loss*  
*Joyce Alexander...Prayer's and Thought's for your family.*  
*Shawn P Boyd...So Sorry, Prayer's*  
*Raymond Sierengowski Sr...Prayer's and Thought's*  
*Colin Combs..Prayers*  
*Tina Stevenson..Sending prayers*  
*Irene Bridge..Prayers for him*  
*Joyce Yeashevich..So sorry to hear about Jim's loss. Prayers for his family.*  
*Maria Antonietta Maiuri Butera..So sorry for your loss Jimmy may God Bless you and your family*  
*Hazel McMillan...So sorry for your loss, sending prayers for your family and friends, may he rest in peace*  
*Connie Cochran...So sorry for your loss Jim*  
*Ellen Benavides..So sorry for your loss Jim! Sending prayers for you and your family!*

*Gene Lane Sr...My Deepest condolences and Prayer's for Jim and his family*  
*Nancy Markel..Jim, sorry for your loss. God bless you n yours*  
*Juanita Drake..Prayers*  
*Jennifer Marie Shoobridge...So sorry to hear this, prayers to the Sorgi family*  
*Ida Young...Prayer's to the family in there loss.*  
*Andrew Parisi...Sorry to hear this. Joe did me a big favor years ago such a Great guy.*  
*Edwin Proctor..Yes a Sad Day for our union/co-worker. Be thinking & Praying for the family RIP Joe Sorgi*  
*Frank Cilluffo...Prayer's and Thought's*  
*Michelle L Hartway-Stratford..I'm so sorry. My deepest condolences*

*to JOE family.*

*Jane Ashbaugh...Prayers and thoughts for Joe's family!*

*David Seals..Prayers for the family.*

*Mark Hoard..So sorry to hear this. RIP Joe*

*Betsy Spano..So sorry!! My condolences to the family. Sending Prayers for strength though this difficult time.*

*Melissa Thompson...So sorry Prayers to the family*

*Roxann Meier Messner..To Young, sending Prayer's*

*George Grimm..Prayers*

*We All like to say Joe has left us too soon, buy his memories lives on. So Joe we Thank YOU for the memories and your kindness that you gave many. So Fly HIGH with the Angel's as you start your NEW JOURNEY of LIFE.*

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**MARY ANN CALABRO** - January 08, 2023 at 09:02 PM

MH

“ *My sincerest condolences to Roni and the entire Sorgi family.*

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**Marlon Hairston** - January 08, 2023 at 09:00 PM

RS

“ *Joe was a great man and I loved working with him so sorry for the family*

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**Randy Schultz** - January 08, 2023 at 08:58 PM

SH

“ *Mary and the entire Sorgi family...I am so very sorry for your loss of Joey. I will pray for peace and comfort that only Jesus can give at a time like this...Jesus hold his family in Your loving arms and Thank you Jesus as I know You are with them...*

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**sheri** - January 08, 2023 at 08:46 PM

SH

*The above post is from Sheri Lux*

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**sheri** - January 08, 2023 at 08:46 PM

MG

*I Am So Sorry To Hear Of Joes Passing Praying For ALL The Sorgi Family And For Gods Peace And Love. RIP Joe I Had The Pleasure To Work With You At Romeo And You Were Always So Full Of Fun. God Wrapped His Arms Around You And Lead You Home.*

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**Margaret Gray** - January 09, 2023 at 05:31 PM

RS

“*Sorry to hear of Joe's passing. He was a fun loving family man. I remember a time when he borrowed a Winnebago and took me and the kids on a tour of Shelby Township. We had a blast. He will be missed.*

*Rose Sortzi*

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**Rose Sortzi** - January 08, 2023 at 09:27 AM

LG

“*Sorry for your loss, he was such a kind, loving person and always had a smile on his face growing up. He was deeply loved and will be dearly missed by many.*

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**linda gunthner** - January 08, 2023 at 08:24 AM

MS

“*My deepest condolences to all of Joey's family. He was a great person and co-worker.*

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**Michelle Stratford** - January 08, 2023 at 06:31 AM

PC

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to all the Sorgi's with the loss of there family member*  
*Peter Colombo*

peter colombo - January 08, 2023 at 03:05 AM

MG

“ *My deepest condolences to the family and close friends of Joe Sorgi. He's truly going to be missed. Not just a outstanding student athlete but a wonderful true person. RIH Joe 🙏*  
*Thoughts and prayers 🙏🙏*

Mark Garalczyk - January 07, 2023 at 09:17 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..*



January 07, 2023 at 08:30 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joseph Patrick Sorgi, Jr..*



January 07, 2023 at 06:17 PM