



## Rocco Simone

January 4, 1945 - April 20, 2026

SIMONE, ROCCO Age 81 April 20, 2026 Beloved husband of Antoinette. Loving father of Joanne (Michael) Pittiglio, Jacqueline (Dominic) Riggio & Mark Simone. Proud Nonno of Maria Riggio, Michael Pittiglio, Dominic Riggio Jr., Gianna Pittiglio, Gabriella Riggio, Giovanna Riggio, Nicholas Pittiglio & Joseph Riggio. Dearest brother of Domenico Simone & Antonio (Charlotte) Simone. Dearest brother-in-law to the late Giuliano and Teresa Vettrano. Preceded in death by his parents Vincenzo and Giacomina Simone and in-laws Angelo and Giovanna Vettrano. Survived by his loving nieces and nephews. Rocco was born in Pescosolido, Italy in 1945 and immigrated to Detroit in 1962. Rocco later met and married his soulmate, Antoinette in 1971. He was blessed with 3 beautiful children and 8 grandchildren whom he deeply cherished and loved. He was a loyal, honorable, respectful, hard-working family man and the greatest friend to all.

Visitation Sunday 3-8pm with 6:00pm Rosary at Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons 54880 Van Dyke at 25 Mile Rd. (SHELBY TOWNSHIP). Funeral Monday Instate 9:30am at St. Therese of Lisieux Church 48115 Schoenherr (btw. 21 & 22 Mile Rds.) until time of Mass at 10:00am. In lieu of flowers please consider a Mass Intention at your nearest parish in loving memory of Rocco Simone. Entombment Resurrection Cemetery. Share memories with the family at their 'On Line Guest Book" @ WujekCalcaterra.com.



# Cemetery Details

## Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road  
Clinton Township, MI 48038

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 26. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons - Shelby Township  
54880 VanDyke Ave  
Shelby Township, MI 48316

## Rosary

APR 26. 6:00 PM (ET)

Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons - Shelby Township  
54880 VanDyke Ave  
Shelby Township, MI 48316

## Instate / Funeral Mass

APR 27. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

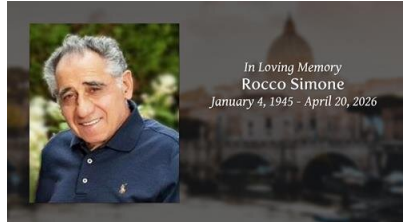
St. Therese of Lisieux  
48115 Schoenherr  
Shelby Twp., MI 48315



# Tribute Wall



“ *Wujek ~ Calcaterra & Sons, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Rocco Simone*



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**Wujek ~ Calcaterra & Sons, Inc.** - April 25 at 02:53 PM

PD

“ *Patrick and Sarah Dean purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Rocco Simone.*



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**Patrick and Sarah Dean** - April 26 at 10:53 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Rocco Simone.*



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April 26 at 09:55 AM



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

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April 26 at 09:55 AM

CD

“ Carlo DiVirgilio purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Rocco Simone.



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**Carlo DiVirgilio** - April 25 at 06:07 PM

KB

“ Katerina & Tony Bocci purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Rocco Simone.



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**Katerina & Tony Bocci** - April 25 at 05:48 PM

KB

“ Katerina & Tony Bocci planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rocco Simone.

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**Katerina & Tony Bocci** - April 25 at 05:48 PM

LS

“ Love~ Ian, Patrizia & Sofia Severy purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Rocco Simone.



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**Love~ Ian, Patrizia & Sofia Severy** - April 25 at 04:35 PM

GD

“ Gary D'Alesaandro purchased the *Medium Dish Garden* for the family of Rocco Simone.



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Gary D'Alesaandro - April 25 at 02:04 PM

GD

“ Gary D'Alesaandro planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rocco Simone.

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Gary D'Alesaandro - April 25 at 02:04 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Rocco Simone.



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April 25 at 11:28 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Rocco Simone.



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April 24 at 04:26 PM

WF

“ With Love, Dianna (Simone) Feldman purchased the Rose Tribute for the family of Rocco Simone.



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With Love, Dianna (Simone) Feldman - April 24 at 03:20 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rocco Simone.



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April 24 at 02:50 PM



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

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April 24 at 02:50 PM



“ Heavenly Light was purchased for the family of Rocco Simone.



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April 24 at 10:15 AM



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

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April 24 at 10:15 AM

AT

“ *Angela Guida and Family, Toronto purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Rocco Simone.*



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**Angela Guida and Family, Toronto** - April 24 at 09:05 AM

TC

“ *The Cooks purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Rocco Simone.*



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**The Cooks** - April 24 at 08:05 AM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rocco Simone.*



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April 23 at 01:27 PM

AT

“ *Antonietta Tersigni & family, Toronto purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Rocco Simone.*



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**Antonietta Tersigni & family, Toronto** - April 23 at 11:09 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rocco Simone.*



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April 22 at 05:40 PM



“ *Hassan dagher purchased the Angel's Embrace Bouquet for the family of Rocco Simone.*



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**Hassan dagher** - April 22 at 01:14 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to Antoinette and the entire Simone family. Rocco was a good man full of kindness and humor. He always had something funny to say to bring a big smile on your face. Rocco will be missed but not forgotten.*  
*Anna & Carl*

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**Anna & Carl Prowalny** - April 22 at 11:29 AM

TF

“ There are no words to express how his passing leaves an immeasurable void in his family and all who knew him. He was a good man, kindhearted, gentle, and empathetic: he always had a kind word for everyone and encouraged those who had the honor and pleasure of having him as a friend. His life was a great example of courage, hard work, love for his family, and care for those dear to him. We will always remember him as a lively, affectionate, and kind person. To his beloved wife Antoinette, his daughters Joanne and Jacqueline, his son Mark, his sons-in-law and all his grandchildren, his brothers Domenico and Antonio, and all the family and friends who mourn him, we express our deepest sorrow , and, even if we live far away , we join you in mourning.

*from Tommaso Ricci family*

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**Tommaso Ricci Family** - April 22 at 09:50 AM

TF

“ The Paladino Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Rocco Simone.



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**The Paladino Family** - April 21 at 08:49 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rocco Simone.



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April 21 at 05:21 PM



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

April 21 at 05:21 PM



“ Rocco was very close friends of my mom and dad (Tony and Ida Facchini). My mom passed, but my dad is very saddened. I remember when he helped me find a broken drain pipe outside my house some 30 years ago. He put me, a much younger man, to shame digging non -stop until he found the broken pipe and repaired it. Class act. They don't make them like that anymore.

**Franco Facchini** - April 21 at 05:06 PM



“ My most sincere and deepest sympathy to the entire family for the loss of an incredible great man! I remember how good he was with my Dad when they worked together in Construction and even afterwards when they did not he took time to visit with him! My Dad absolutely loved him! I also had the honor of being one of the bridesmaid at their wedding! May he RIP in heaven above! Sending love, prayers and hugs at this time of sadness!



**Beatriz Alastra** - April 21 at 04:14 PM

FB

“ We first met Rocco in 2013, when he returned to Italy and came to visit my grandfather, Giovanni Baldesarra. He immediately impressed us with his kindness and his truly gentle nature. During a very difficult time for our family, when my grandmother Maria passed away, he was close to us with quiet support and compassion, leaving us with a sincere and lasting memory. We will always carry his memory with us.

*My family and I extend our deepest condolences.*

*Francesco Baldesarra*

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**Francesco Baldesarra** - April 21 at 03:50 PM

PM

*To the Simone Family our deepest condolences for the lost of Rocco. wonderfull man that he was..even if we did lost contacts over the years but never forgotten ..him ... just terrible to hear of this news..our hearts and prayers are with each one of yous May he rest in peace..Phil Fernanda Macchiusi, and Family..*

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**phil macchiusi** - April 22 at 03:53 PM

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*Our deepest condolences to the Simone Family. We will cherish the visto we had with the family in the 70s. ALbert Macchiusi and Family.*

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**albert** - April 22 at 04:41 PM