GIUSEPPE "JOE" GUALTIERI

Born October 24, 1942 Castelsilano, Italy **Passed Away** January 25, 2023 Calgary, Alberta

Age 80 Years

Joe was born in Castelsilano, Italy on October 24, 1942, and immigrated to Canada in January 1967. He met Caterina in Calgary that April and they were married eight months later on December 9, 1967. Joe was proud to have opened the first Italian furniture store in Calgary, Statecraft furniture. After the sale and relocation of Statecraft, he returned to his passion and opened Joe's Electronics where he became a household name (by which most remember him).

Anyone who knew Joe knew he was a kind soul who would give the shirt off his back. Joe spent many weekends fishing in Seebe or could be found in his greenhouse during the summer. Joe was happiest when his home was filled with his family. He was admired and respected by his family and friends.

He will be cherished in our hearts forever.

Funeral Mass St. Peter's Catholic Church Wednesday, February 1, 2023 at 12:00pm

> **Presider** The Rev. Ben Marino

> > **Reader** Josie Scalise

Prayer of the Faithful Roslyn Ianniello

Musical Selections ~ Annie Chirka

Tribute ~ Joe's Grandchildren

Pallbearers

Saverio Scalise Gerardo Scalise Francesco Bartolillo Antonio Barberio Darren Hall Peter Piedimonte

Honorary Pallbearers All of Joe's grandchildren and great-grandchildren

> **Graveside Service** St. Joseph's Cemetery

Eternal rest grant unto your servant Joe, O Lord, and let eternal light shine upon him.



God Saw You Getting Tired

God saw you getting tired, When a cure was not to be. So He wrapped his arms around you, and whispered, "Come to me". You didn't deserve what you went through, So He gave you rest. God's garden must be beautiful, He only takes the best And when I saw you sleeping, So peaceful and free from pain I could not wish you back To suffer that again.



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