



John Boshka, Jr.

July 6, 1932 - December 24, 2023

John Boshka, Jr. passed away peacefully on December 24, 2023 after having spent the day surrounded by his loving family. He was predeceased by his wife, Patricia Dooley Boshka and son John "Jack" Boshka, III. He is survived by his daughters Karen Boshka and Kimberly Green, son-in law Steve Green, grandson Trevor Green, granddaughter Larissa Green Perez and grandson-in law Berto Perez.

John was a Stamford native who had many fond memories of growing up in the old south end. He graduated from Wright Tech School and briefly became a draftsman before realizing a desk job was not for him and found his calling in becoming a firefighter with the City of Stamford, a job that he loved and a brotherhood he cherished.

Family was everything to John and he was always loving and supportive. He loved the outdoors and shared this love with his family and friends through hiking, camping, fishing, beach and other outings throughout his life. He was also a very talented woodworker. He was a kind man with a wonderful sense of humor and a twinkle in his eye which will be sorely missed. He lived life to the fullest and in the words of his favorite Frank Sinatra song "he did it his way". Please honor his memory by smiling at someone today.

A Memorial Mass will be held on January 12, 2024 at 11am at Saint Bridget of

Ireland Church, 278 Strawberry Hill Avenue, in Stamford, to be followed by interment at St. John's Cemetery in Darien.

To make a remembrance for the family, please visit the family guestbook at www.bosakfuneralhome.com or www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome

Cemetery Details

St. John Cemetery (Darien)

25 Camp Avenue
Darien, CT 06820

Previous Events

Memorial Mass

JAN 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Bridget of Ireland Church
278 Strawberry Hill Avenue
Stamford, CT 06902

Tribute Wall

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“ *It was not only a pleasure but an honor working alongside John at the Stamford Fire Department. He was always a hard worker and supportive of all. May he rest in peace and now enjoy being with his best friends and fishing buddies.*

Bob McGrath

Stamford Fire Department

Robert McGrath - January 07, 2024 at 07:25 PM

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“ *Karen, Kim, Steve, Larissa, and Trevor, I have such fond memories of Mr. Boshka. Such a kind and gentle soul. So very sorry for your loss I know he will be missed dearly.* 🙏❤️

Susan Thompson - January 05, 2024 at 09:36 PM