



## John Paul Gaglioti

December 7, 2024

John Paul Gaglioti, 55, of Simsbury, CT, passed away peacefully on December 7th, 2024, with his three children by his side after a courageous battle with cancer. John was born on May 22nd, 1969 in Hartford, CT, and raised in East Hartford, CT. He leaves behind his three beloved children Olivia, Nicholas, and Clara Gaglioti, who were his pride and joy. He was predeceased by his father, Francesco Gaglioti. He also leaves behind his mother, Margaret DeLeo Gaglioti and his siblings; Robert Gaglioti of Simsbury, CT, and Lynn Pasqualetto and her husband John Pasqualetto of Windham, NH. He will be truly missed by his beloved nephew Nathaniel Gaglioti and his niece Francesca Pasqualetto.

John attended East Catholic High School graduating in '87, continuing to get his undergrad degree in Finance at Central Connecticut State University. He had an admirable work ethic that showed through his growth and success in his financial career, most recently Voya Financial.

John valued his family above all else but most importantly, his three children. From the day they were born, he dedicated his time to them with their sports, education, and social lives. He could always be found in the stands, on the bench fired up over a terrible call, or ecstatic over a huge win.

John had many hobbies and passions. He loved baseball, continuing his involvement in the game into his adult life by becoming an Umpire for the

Hartford Board of Umpires, and acting as Umpire-In-Chief for West Hartford Youth Baseball League. He dedicated his time to coach countless numbers of kids, including his own. His other great passion was playing cards. Playing in poker groups with friends, going to the casino or playing fun card games with family and friends on vacation or holidays. John had the best poker face while playing cards, but outside of that, he had the most contagious, loving, and bright smile. One place you could always find him smiling on the weekends, regardless of the weather, was on the golf course with his friends. John loved to golf whether he was right up the street at Rockledge Golf Course or taking golf trips with friends and family.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held in honor of John on December 30th at St. Christopher Church of North American Martyrs Parish, 538 Brewer St. East Hartford, CT at 10:30 am, friends and family may call from 9:30-10:15 am at the Church prior to the Mass. Burial will follow in Silver Lane Cemetery, East Hartford. The family would like to send a special thank you to everyone at Hartford Hospital Conklin Building 2nd floor, where all the staff and nurses gave John a sense of safety, comfort, and love throughout his battle. Please consider a donation to the American Cancer Society. Directions and online expressions of sympathy may be made at [www.molloyfuneralhome.com](http://www.molloyfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Silver Lane Cemetery

Silver Lane  
East Hartford, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

DEC 30. 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM (ET)

St. Christopher's Church  
538 Brewer  
East Hartford, CT

## Mass of Christian Burial

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# Tribute Wall

ST

“ I worked with John and it was easy to talk him into joining our card game. He loved razzing Marty and even me occasionally. I met him at the track a few times and he always wanted to know if had any insight. Always fun to be with, give his opinion on whatever sporting event was coming up, but most of all, when he would host the card game, invited me in to interact with his family; he was a gracious host and his "Gags" smile lit up the room. He is sorely missed. Posted to Legacy January 2025.

A reminder of his birth date has me recollecting the fun times we shared. While a harrowing piece is missing from so many, perhaps a remembrance of times shared will lighten a heart, just a little.  
Steven

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steven - May 16 at 08:55 AM

TR

“ I worked, golfed and played cards with John. His big laugh was infectious. He'll be missed.

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Todd Rosen - December 27, 2024 at 09:10 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John Paul Gaglioti.



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December 16, 2024 at 07:16 PM



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

December 15, 2024 at 09:44 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of John Paul Gaglioti.



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“ Doug & family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John Paul Gaglioti.



Doug & family - December 14, 2024 at 08:08 AM



“ Jeff and Jen (Bettinger) LaValley purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of John Paul Gaglioti.



Jeff and Jen (Bettinger) LaValley - December 14, 2024 at 06:51 AM

DR

“ Douglas R. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum for the family of John Paul Gaglioti.



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**Douglas R.** - December 13, 2024 at 02:21 PM

LW

“ Linda W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Paul Gaglioti.

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**Linda W.** - December 13, 2024 at 02:17 PM

MM

“ I have so many memories of my cousin John Paul from 55 years. My heart is sad. His legacy is his beautiful children and the fact that I can't see anyone anywhere having anything but good things to say about him. He was always smiling in my memories, and he had a great laugh that I will miss.  
Cousin Mike

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**Michael Macchi** - December 13, 2024 at 11:04 AM

SA

You will be missed John love you always saida your cousin

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**saida** - December 13, 2024 at 12:06 PM

UE

We always in our hearts

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**Uncle Paolo and Hunt Enza** - December 13, 2024 at 03:16 PM



A Big Guy with a Big Heart! Your Spirit lives on! God Bless to you and your family

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**Victor DeAngelis** - December 14, 2024 at 09:36 AM

SL

“ *Good Man & Friend, Gone Too Soon.*

*Until We Meet Again, Rest Easy, Gags.*

*May God Hold You In The Palm Of His Hand.*

*Scotty Lima*

*EC '87*

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**Scott Lima** - December 13, 2024 at 09:07 AM