



## John B. Mastrobattista

July 13, 2017

John B. Mastrobattista, 86, passed away peacefully on July 13, 2017 at St. Francis Hospital. He is the devoted husband of surviving wife, Mary-Jane Chapin Mastrobattista and resident of Farmington, CT.

Born in Farmington on June 28, 1931, he is the son of Domenico and Josephine (Verardi) Mastrobattista. He attended Noah Wallace School and St. Thomas Seminary, graduated from the University of Maine at Orono with a degree in Mechanical Engineering, Tau Beta Pi honor society, treasurer of Beta Theta Pi and completed an M.B.A at the University of Connecticut.

In his early career he worked at Hamilton Standard and retired after 40 years from Chandler Evans, a division of Colt Industries in West Hartford, CT.

In addition to his beloved wife of 55 years, John leaves behind his son, John David Mastrobattista, M.D. of New York City and his daughter Mary-Jane Wood of Redding, CT, her husband Nicholas Wood and adored grandchildren, Kiera and Jack. He also leaves his brothers, Alexander and Rocco of Farmington, CT and sister, Mary Love of Washington, DC.

During his life he served on Farmington town committees, the board of the Farmington Visiting Nurse Association, as mentor of at-risk youth, member of the Old Guard and member of St. Peter Claver parish. John was a masterful

landscaper and gardener and used both to create a beautiful, private retreat for his family. A wonderful husband, father and grandfather, he will be greatly missed.

Friends and Family are invited to call on Tuesday, July 18, 2017 from 5pm-8pm at Molloy Funeral Home, 906 Farmington Avenue, West Hartford, CT. A memorial Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, July 19, 2017 at 11 am at the Chapel of Holy Family Passionist Retreat Center, 303 Tunxis Road, West Hartford, CT. A reception will follow. Burial will be held at Riverside Cemetery in Farmington. In Lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Catholic Charities-Early Childhood Services, 839 Asylum Avenue, Hartford, CT 06105, [ccaoh.org](http://ccaoh.org).

# Cemetery Details

## Riverside Cemetery

Garden Street  
Farmington, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

JUL 18. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Molloy Funeral Home  
906 Farmington Avenue  
West Hartford, CT 06119  
(860) 232-1322

## Memorial Service

JUL 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Family Monastary Chapel  
303 Tunxis  
West Hartford, CT

# Tribute Wall



Michael  
Tarnowicz

“ We will all miss John's great sense of humor and kind manner. I will especially miss joking around with him and hearing his laugh. He always treated me as a friend. I'll miss our times together at Rockledge Golf Club.

*Michael Tarnowicz*

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**Michael Tarnowicz** - January 26, 2025 at 07:22 AM



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“ To My Dear Friend Mary Jane and Her Loving Family,

*I am so sorry for your loss. John was one of the kindest, dearest men I have ever met. I know how much he loved and cherished his wife and family and how completely devoted he was to all of you. I consider it an honor and a privilege to have known this wonderful man. I will miss him tremendously.*

*This tribute is not only to John, but to all of his family. Your strength, your devotion, your love, and your faith should be an inspiration to everyone. You have my deepest sympathy.*

*Sincerely,*

*Gerry Sweeney*

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**Gerry** - July 16, 2017 at 01:51 PM