



## Robert Eugene Banas

May 20, 1960 - June 8, 2025

Robert Eugene Banas, 65, a longtime resident of Garfield, passed on Sunday, June 8, 2025. Robert was born in Hackensack, and lived in Wallington, Oak Ridge and East Rutherford before settling in Garfield in 1989. Robert worked as a master mechanic for most of his career and most recently, was the Fleet Manager for Mark Veniero Trucking in Belleville. He was a parishioner of Most Sacred Heart of Jesus R.C. Church in Wallington and his passions in life included tinkering with cars, fishing, working on projects around the house and spending time with his cherished family. Robert was also a very proud American, proud of his Polish heritage, and a lifelong New York Yankees fan. Robert was the beloved husband of Georgianna Banas (nee Porrata), the devoted father of Robert Anthony Banas and Alex Trevor Banas and his wife, Tricia, the loving grandfather of Bree, Madeline, and Alex Banas, the son of the late Eugene Robert Banas and Barbara Ann Banas (nee Wojcik), the brother-in-law of Diana Porrata VanAllen, Kim Marie Porrata Manfredonia, George Trever Porrata, and Jodie Ann Porrata Cannon, the brother of Donna Chirichella and Diane Polito, Uncle and God Father to Jazmyn Marie Van Rensalier and Alexis Castello and her husband, Matt, Uncle to many more nieces, nephews, and cousins, the son-in-law of Judith Ritter and the late Jorge Porrata, the close friend of Rick Rossetti and Ralph Foss, and Nephew to Michael Wojcik and his wife, Virginia, and a loved cousin to many. Robert will also be sorely missed by his dogs, Ian, Casper and Cody and his cat, Lorenzo.



# Cemetery Details

## St. Michael's Cemetery

120 Saddle River Avenue  
South Hackensack, NJ 07606

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 20. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kamienski Funeral Home of Wallington  
106 Locust Avenue  
Wallington, NJ 07057

## Visitation

JUN 21. 9:00 AM - 9:40 AM (ET)

Kamienski Funeral Home of Wallington  
106 Locust Avenue  
Wallington, NJ 07057

## Funeral Mass

JUN 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus R.C. Church  
127 Paterson Avenue  
Wallington, NJ 07057

## Burial

JUN 21. 11:15 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Michael's Cemetery  
120 Saddle River Avenue  
South Hackensack, NJ 07606

# Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Eugene Banas.* ”



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March 31 at 11:53 AM



“ *Blair Davis purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Robert Eugene Banas.* ”



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**Blair Davis** - June 20, 2025 at 07:09 AM



“ *Robert was also the beloved uncle and godfather to Sarah Chirichella, and dear uncle of Laura Chirichella, who predeceased him in September 2024.* ”



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**Sarah Chirichella** - June 19, 2025 at 06:52 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Robert Eugene Banas.* ”

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June 19, 2025 at 06:44 PM

JC

“ Jodie Cannon planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert Eugene Banas.

Jodie Cannon - June 19, 2025 at 05:51 PM

JC

“ Jodie Cannon purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Robert Eugene Banas.



Jodie Cannon - June 19, 2025 at 05:51 PM

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“ To my precious son in law Bobby Banas you were like a son to me I will miss you forever & I ALSO LOVED YOU ., REST IN PEACE IN THE ARMS OF OUR LORD BOBBY YOU WERE AN OUTSTANDING MAN THAT NEVER WILL BE REPLACED LOVE JUDY YOUR LOVING MOTHER IN LAW !



JUDY RITTER :MOTHER IN LAW ,! - June 19, 2025 at 05:14 PM

PM

“ I went to Faust and Becton with Bob. So sorry to hear this very sad news. He was such a nice quiet and polite boy. I remember having such a crush on him in middle school. RIP Bob. Many condolence to Donna, Steve and the entire family. May the peace of the Lord be with you all in the midst of your grief and in the difficult days ahead.



Pat Speake Martin - June 19, 2025 at 03:03 AM

AT

“ Alan Taran planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert Eugene Banas.

Alan Taran - June 17, 2025 at 07:46 PM

AT

“ Alan Taran purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Robert Eugene Banas.



Alan Taran - June 17, 2025 at 07:46 PM

SH

“ Sarah C. & Jose H. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert Eugene Banas.



Sarah C. & Jose H. - June 17, 2025 at 10:19 AM

JD

“ Hey Neighbor - Your everyday greeting when we lived next door! You will be deeply missed. Rest in Heavenly Peace. Our sincerely condolences to the Banas Family. With Love the Doran Family.

Josephine Doran - June 17, 2025 at 10:00 AM

GB



Georgianna Banas - June 19, 2025 at 07:07 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Robert Eugene Banas.*



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June 17, 2025 at 10:00 AM