



Anthony Russo

June 2, 1934 - January 23, 2026

Cohoes, NY

Anthony “Tony” Russo 91 passed away on Friday January 23, 2026 at his home. Born and raised in Cohoes, he was the son to the late Antonio Russo and Teresa Mirco Russo and the loving husband to Grace Ranken Russo.

Tony graduated from Cohoes High School, Valedictorian Class of 1951. He graduated from New York University class of 1955. He completed the NYU ROTC program as a 2nd Lieutenant and served in the United States Army. Tony worked at Norton/Saint Gobain as a chemical engineer; he also worked at the MVP Arena.

He was an avid sports fan and participated in basketball, baseball and golf. He followed the Boston Red Sox and New York Jets. He enjoyed dining with his family and friends and dining at Century House and Bella Napoli. He learned to fly, became a pilot and flew his plane out of South Albany Airport. He served as treasurer of his flying club.

In addition to his wife Grace, he is survived by his son Robert (Alyssa) Russo, his grandchildren Alex and Abigail Russo, his brother Frank (Patricia) Russo, his stepson Jay (Kendi) Ranken, also survived by many nieces and nephews. In addition to his mother and father, he was predeceased by his dear sister

Mary Archambeault and brother-in-law Lawrence Archambeault.

The family would like to thank Stephanie Wilson and Todd Moses for the care and compassion given to Tony and the family.

Family and friends are invited and may call from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm on Thursday 2/5/2026 at the Marra Funeral Home 246 Remsen Street, Cohoes. Funeral services will be held at 9:30am on Friday 2/6/2026 at the funeral home. Burial with military honors will be at Saratoga National Cemetery, Schuylerville.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Community Hospice, 310 S. Manning Blvd. Albany, NY 12208
www.communityhospice.org/donate. Please visit www.marrafuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Gerald B.H. Solomon Saratoga National Cemetery

200 Duell Road
Schuylerville, NY 12871
<http://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/geraldbhso>
lomonosaratoga.asp

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 5. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Marra Funeral Home
246 Remsen Street
Cohoes, NY 12047
(518) 237-0206

Funeral Service

FEB 6. 9:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Very sorry to her of your brother s passing, Frank and pat my prayers are with you. Harold Barbic*

Harold Barbic - February 04 at 09:47 PM

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“ *Tony was a wonderful person who I enjoyed having coffee with weekly.*

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*To The Russo Family,
My deepest sympathy to all of you. I went to school and graduated from Cohoes High School with Tony, he was known as Anthony at school. He always had a great smile on his face. He was always so talented and first in everything or class he attended. His personality was so happy, caring and helping. It is my sorrow that we did not continue contact since then but I moved out of Cohoes. May his strong and wonderful personality through memories, keep you uplifted to the great life he lived. God bless you all.*

*Janice Gildea Hartshorn
Phoenix, AZ
(One of the Gildea twins in Class of 1951)*

Janice Hartshorn - February 04 at 04:10 PM