



## Tony Sciano

April 6, 1942 - December 16, 2016

Tony Sciano, age 74, passed away peacefully, surrounded by his family on Friday, December 16, 2016 . Tony was preceded in death by his mother Mary (nee Maglio), father Phillip, and siblings Mike Cottonaro, Sam Cottonaro, Charlie Sciano and Lucy Brown,

Tony was born April 6, 1942 to Mary and Philip Sciano and was married for 55 years to his soul mate and best friend, Elsa Sciano (nee Schmidt), whom he loved from the moment he laid eyes on her. The two of them raised three beautiful children and he lived for his family.

Tony is survived by his wife Elsa and their three children, Ingrid (Mark) Adashun, Jerry (Lisa) Sciano, and Kim (Mark) Mennen, seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren, one sister, numerous nieces and nephews, and friends who all loved him more than life itself.

Tony was a jack of all trades. He started out as a mechanic for Don Hudson Chevrolet, and owned and operated Fontana Auto Auction and then later, the Dead End Saloon, a tavern and restaurant in Caledonia, WI. He was always working on the "next big thing" and never let anything slow him down.

Tony loved life more than any person we know and he lived it to the fullest. There was never a dull moment when he walked through the door, and he had many adventures throughout his life. He loved snowmobiling with his buddies in the winter time, boating in the summer and hanging out with friends and family while having a beer on the back deck and watching the water. He was always willing to lend a hand with fixing things for family and friends.

He also spent numerous hours in the garage rehabbing and restoring antique cars, and then driving the car around town with his buddies, beeping and waving at everyone he saw. He was the life of the party, and we are certain that Heaven just got a little more exciting with the addition of his arrival. He will be dearly missed by his family and many friends.

Services will be on Monday December 19, 2016 at 2 PM at the Bolger Funeral Home-Woodruff Chapel with a gathering one hour prior the service. A celebration of life will follow at Mar-Li's in Sayner starting at 3 PM. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation in his name to St Jude Childrens Research Hospital.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

DEC 19. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Bolger Cremation & Funeral Services - Woodruff Chapel  
1212 First Avenue  
(mailing address P.O. Box 40, Woodruff WI 54568)  
Woodruff, WI 54568  
(715) 356-6006  
bolgerfuneral@gmail.com  
<https://www.bolgerfuneral.com>

## Memorial Service

DEC 19. 2:00 PM (CT)

Bolger Cremation & Funeral Services - Woodruff Chapel  
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## Celebration of Life

DEC 19. 3:00 PM (CT)

Mar-Li's  
2530 Wisconsin Hwy 155  
Sayner, WI 54560

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ I saw Tony's obituary in the Lakeland Timesany years ago, because I live here, in Minocqua. I grew up with all of his 3 children, Jerry in my class at Woods School and Ingrid older, Kim younger, in Lake Geneva until my family moved north when I was in 8th grade. I recall riding my bike across Hwy 50 from South Shore Dr near Como, to their hilly road and sometimes to their home to play. Great family from what I could remember. Wish I had known they too traveled and, I'm guessing, retired in the Northwoods as well. My sympathies for all your loss. Jody (Moll) Bognar

Jody Moll Bognar - September 23, 2024 at 09:38 PM

JL

“ Julie Larson lit a candle in memory of Tony Sciano



Julie Larson - December 19, 2016 at 12:41 PM

JL

My heart is filled with sadness. Mr. Tony was one of my very favorite people!! I work for Bob Ohde and had the pleasure of spending time with Mr. Tony whenever I would visit the St. Germain area. He will be greatly missed!! Blessings to you & your family!

Julie Larson - December 19, 2016 at 12:43 PM

GD

“ *Elsa my deepest sympathies to you and your family. Tony was always such a joy to be around.*



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**Gregg DeCheck** - December 18, 2016 at 07:12 PM

ME

“ *Mary Ehleiter-Miller lit a candle in memory of Tony Sciano*



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**Mary Ehleiter-Miller** - December 18, 2016 at 06:59 PM

KL

“ *Dear Elsa and family, We are sending our deepest sympathy to you. We will always remember the fun times we shared with Tony. God's blessings to you at this sad time. Wayne and Karen Lueneburg*

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**Karen Lueneburg** - December 18, 2016 at 03:35 PM

TS

“ *We are so very sorry for your loss. Tony was such a great paisano and cousin to our Dad through the years! He sure added life to everything. Thinking of all of you! The Steve Vallone Family*

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**Tammy Vallone Seaberg** - December 18, 2016 at 03:20 PM

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“ *John A. Paszkiewicz (poncho) purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Tony Sciano.*



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**John A. Paszkiewicz (poncho)** - December 18, 2016 at 02:58 PM

WL

“ *With deepest sympathy, Sandy and Jerry Lathrop purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Tony Sciano.*



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**With deepest sympathy, Sandy and Jerry Lathrop** -  
December 18, 2016 at 12:04 PM

LS

“ *My thoughts and prayers to Elsa, Ingrid and family, your dad was always such a joy to know and he did keep us in line at Dead End. When Ingrid went to school and I resided in La Crosse he asked me to look out for you, he was always concerned for you. I remember his laugh like hearing it yesterday, he was always so full of life and you wondered what mischief he was up to. My sympathies to all of his family and loved ones, God bless and comfort you in your loss. Sincerely, Lori (Funk) Schroeder*

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**Lori Schroeder** - December 18, 2016 at 10:04 AM

DD

“ *Donna M. Dunning lit a candle in memory of Tony Sciano*



Donna M. Dunning - December 18, 2016 at 03:15 AM

RS

“ *Prayers to all.*

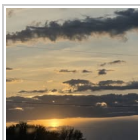
Rick Shriver - December 17, 2016 at 10:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Tony Sciano.*



December 17, 2016 at 08:19 PM



“ *Kathie Cottonaro lit a candle in memory of Tony Sciano*



Kathie Cottonaro - December 17, 2016 at 07:30 PM

KG

“ Omg my heart is breaking.I loved that man dearly.lots of memories my dear old friend.I'm so sorry Elsa,in grad,Jimmie and Jerry.HUGS and prayers to all

Kathy Gunderson - December 17, 2016 at 05:47 PM

JM

“ Tony was a very special person with such a big heart. I have so many memories of the dead end saloon where Tony kept us all in line. He loved everybody and always was there for us. He is going to be so missed. God bless you Elsa and your family at this time.

Jeanne Montgomery - December 17, 2016 at 05:36 PM

BA

“ Bill Acker lit a candle in memory of Tony Sciano



Bill Acker - December 17, 2016 at 05:32 PM

 Lisa Celusta

“ Lisa Celusta lit a candle in memory of Tony Sciano



Lisa Celusta - December 17, 2016 at 10:42 AM



*My dearest Friends Jerry & Lisa I'm so sorry for your loss. I remember well when your dad owned the bar way back in the day. We had many good times there. My thoughts, prayers, love & hugs to you all!*

*Love,  
Julie Herkowski*

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**Julie Herkowski** - December 17, 2016 at 07:56 PM