

OBITUARY

Donald C. Patchunka

Donald C. Patchunka, 57, of Hackettstown, died July 27 at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center in New York, N.Y.

He was born in Belleville and lived there until moving to Hackettstown 24 years ago.

Mr. Patchunka was a truck driver for L.J. Kennedy Trucking Co. in Kearny and retired in 1992. He was also a member of the U.S. Air Force from 1960 to 1962.

He was a member of St. Theodore's Roman Catholic Church in Port Murry.

He was also a member of the American Legion in Lakewood, the Totowa Elks lodge No. 2111, and an associate member of F.O.P. No. 122 of Mt. Olive.

Mr. Patchunka is survived by his wife, Rose Marie De Angelis Patchunka; a son, Michael of Hackettstown; three daughters, Donna Greco of Nutley, Mariann Stires of Washington, Jennie Luongo of Washington, and five grandchildren.

A funeral mass was held at St. Theodore's Roman Catholic Church, and funeral arrangements were made by Cochran Funeral Home in Hackettstown. Burial was at Pequest Union Cemetery in Great Meadows.

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