

Obituary for Ralph Deluca Jr.

De LUCA, Ralph Anthony Jr. - passed away suddenly, but peacefully, at his home on Saturday, June 20, 2015 at the age of 72 years. Predeceased by his wife of 29 years Valerie. Beloved father of Scott and Karen (David). Grandfather (Poppy) of Addysen. Dear son of Gwendoline and the late Ralph Sr. Dear brother of Gordon (Patt) and Heather (Jerry Downey). Also, sadly missed by his fiancé Susan Hollett and her children Heather (Jamie) and Jason (Alaina). Also survived by nieces and nephews. Ralph was employed at TRW St. Catharines for 40 years. Ralph also belonged to the Old Guard at TRW. He was a Third Degree member of the Knights of Columbus Council no. 1394, St. Catharines along with the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 24, St. Catharines. By Ralph's request, cremation has taken place. The De Luca Family will receive visitors at **PLEASANTVIEW FUNERAL HOME** (2250 Highway 20, entrance off Merrittville Highway, 905-892-1699) on Saturday, June 27, 2015 from 1:00 p.m. until the Memorial Service time at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel. Ralph's wishes are for friends to join his family for a celebration of his life that will follow at the Pleasantview Reception Centre. Memorial donations may be made to the charity of one's choice. Online condolences, memories and photos may be shared at www.pleasantviewcemetery.ca