



# Dr. Anthony Joseph Girgenti

JAN 22, 1938 - OCT 18, 2014



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## **Dr. Anthony Joseph Girgenti**

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**G**IRGENTI, Dr. Anthony J., 76, passed this earth into our Lord's heavenly home on Oct. 18, 2014. He was a lifelong native of Tampa, earned a PhD in Biochemistry from USF and was certified by the American Board of Clinical Chemistry. "Dr. G" as he was affectionately called was the Clinical Chemist at St. Joseph's Hospital Laboratory for 35 years where he was loved and respected by co-workers. His passion for quality was surpassed only by his great kindness to all, his generosity and humor. He was a devout Catholic from youth spent at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church and school. He was a parishioner of St. Lawrence Church. He was a happy, fulfilled man and husband, a proud, devoted father and grandfather. Family was the center of his life. He was a brilliant yet unpretentious, humble man. He taught us how to live and how to die. He was predeceased by his parents Giuseppe and Concettina Girgenti. He is survived by Joyce, his loving wife of 37 years, their two sons Dr. Gregory (Jaime) Girgenti and Joseph (Katherine) Girgenti; by four grandchildren, Vincent, Sofia, Cecilia and Gregory; Goddaughter, Annette Villarosa, two Godsons, Brian Billingham and Anthony Sierra; by many loving cousins; by mother-in-law Mary Rossano, sister-in-law June (Herb) Hill, brother-in-law Philip Rossano and many nieces and nephews; a cousin Maria Messina and extended family in Sicily. Pallbearers are: Gene Perez, Carl Villarosa, Sr., Oscar Sierra, Anthony Sierra, Brian Billingham, James Oliveria, John Oliveria, David Perez, Carl Villarosa, Jr. and Victor Castellano. A Funeral Mass for the repose of Dr. G's soul will be celebrated at 11 AM on Thursday, Oct. 23, 2014 at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, 5225 N. Himes Ave., Tampa, FL. The family will receive friends at the church from 10 AM to 11 AM prior to Mass. The family will accept flowers or contributions may be made to American Heart Association or American Cancer Society.



## Events


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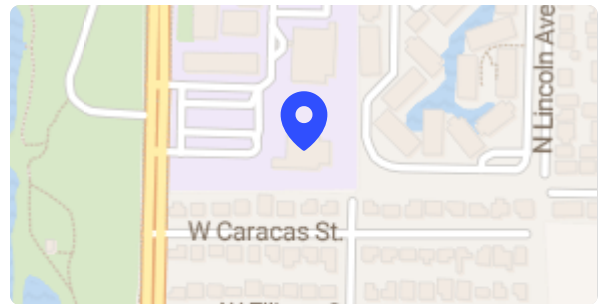
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### Visitation

 **Thursday**, October 23, 2014

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET


 **St. Lawrence Catholic Church**  
5225 N. Himes Ave, Tampa FL 33614

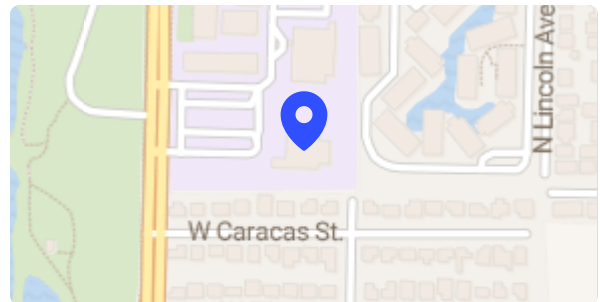


### Funeral Mass

 **Thursday**, October 23, 2014

 11:00 AM ET

 **St. Lawrence Catholic Church**  
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# Tribute Wall

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**Palmeri** posted:

Joyce Girgenti and Family, Kindly accept our deepest sympathy for your loss and know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. Tony was such a great person and a true gentleman. God Bless! Always, John and Sandra Macias Palmeri (Tony's neighbor from 9th Avenue in Ybor City)

October 26 at 11:57 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Girgenti family.



October 22 at 8:04 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Love's Journey to the Girgenti family.



October 22 at 6:30 AM



**Rene Tamargo** posted:

I want to express my sympathy to Tony's family on his passing. I had the pleasure of going to school with him at O.L.P.H.. I remember well his basketball playing days when OLPH was considered a power among the smaller schools. While we were not close, I remember his friendly smile whenever we ran into each other at St. Lawrence or at St. Joseph Hospital. He will be missed.

October 22 at 3:56 AM



**George.Migliore** posted:

On behalf of the entire staff of Boza and Roel Funeral Home please accept our sincere condolences. George Migliore Funeral Director/Chapel Manager

October 20 at 8:40 AM



**Francesca Cefali-Bain** October 23 at 3:46 AM

We would like to express our most sincere condolences to Dr. Girgenti's family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. With love, The Bain family



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Anthony by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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