



Patrick James O'Connor

May 23, 2026

Patrick James O'Connor, 76, of Blauvelt, NY since 1984, formerly of Parkchester in the Bronx, passed away on Saturday, May 23, 2026. Also known to his friends and family as Oakie/O'key, Patty or the Mayor. Beloved husband of Vanessa (nee Chizzolin). Proud father of daughters Danah and Tiffany. Dear brother of Connie McTigue, Regina Musumeci and the late Theresa, James and Geraldine O'Connor. Survived by many loving relatives and friends who will miss him dearly.

Patrick was a stationary engineer and a dedicated and loyal member of the International Union of Operating Engineers for over 45 years. He worked at the NY Coliseum in NYC and retired from Yonkers Raceway Empire City.

He was an active member of the Knights of Columbus Council 5343 and the Sons of Italy Rockland Lodge 2176, both in Blauvelt.

An avid sports fan, especially of the New York Yankees and Duke Blue Devils.

Pat loved playing cards, taking trips to the casino and volunteering for events.

He also enjoyed spending time at the Jersey Shore with friends and family.

He took great pride in serving his community, lending a helping hand when

needed and being a supporter of the St.Jude Foundation.

Visiting hours are Thursday, May 28, 2026 from 4-8 PM at Pizzi Funeral Home, 120 Paris Ave, Northvale, NJ. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, May 29, 2026 at 11:30 AM at St. Catharine's RC Church, Blauvelt with interment to follow at Rockland Cemetery, Sparkill, NY.