



## Mr. Giampiero Pucci

September 2, 1939 - May 20, 2016

Giampiero Pucci passed away at home on May 20, 2016 surrounded by his family. He is survived by his loving wife of 53 years, Susan Pucci, and his two sons, Angelo (Susan) and Stefano Pucci (Laura); his grandchildren Sandra, Angela, Andrew, Samantha and Christopher Pucci; His brother Enzo Pucci; his sister-in-law Angela Di Gino-Picchi (Fabiano) and nieces and nephews; proud godfather to Francesca Fenili-Muccio and Alice Mansi.

Giampiero was born to Umberto Pucci and Lina Matteucci on September 2, 1939 in Saltocchio, Lucca, Italy. From 1955 to 1961 he was part of the Italian Carabinieri, the Military Police of Italy. He became a San Francisco resident in 1962 and he and Susan were married later that same year. Giampiero founded Universal Telescopic and G. Pucci & Sons in the early 1970s. He then went on to proudly brand his own fishing line, P-Line, which is now recognized worldwide. Not only was he an avid fisherman and enjoyed being outdoors, but he most loved being with his family. Giampiero enjoyed travelling with his wife, children and grandchildren, and together they have seen many different parts of the world.

In 1988 he received a gold medal of honor from the Chamber of Commerce in Italy to acknowledge his achievements in establishing his successful business. He was a very active member on the board of directors and administration of the Associazione Lucchesi Nel Mondo San Francisco,

belonged to the Peninsula Italian American Social Club of San Mateo, the Italian American Citizen Club of South San Francisco, the Sons of Italy Virtus Lodge of San Francisco and the Marche Club. He was a great man, respected by many and will be greatly missed by all.

A vigil service will be held on Wednesday 7:00pm at the chapels of Valente Marini Perata & Co., 4840 Mission St., SF. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated Thursday 11:00am at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church where services will conclude.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the American Cancer Society or a Hospice organization of your choice are preferred. Online condolences may be offered at [www.vmpandco.com](http://www.vmpandco.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Services conclude at church**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

MAY **25**. 5:30 PM - 9:00 PM (PT)

Valent Marini Perata & Co.  
4840 Mission St  
San Francisco, CA

### Vigil Service

MAY **25**. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (PT)

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San Francisco, CA

### Funeral Mass

MAY **26**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM.

St. Elizabeth Church

# Tribute Wall

TF

“ *The Newman Family purchased the Garden Crosses for the family of Mr. Giampiero Pucci.*



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**The Newman Family** - May 25, 2016 at 06:17 PM

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“ *Your Tackle Tech Family purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Mr. Giampiero Pucci.*



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**Your Tackle Tech Family** - May 25, 2016 at 12:23 PM

TS

“ *To Susan & Family,*

*My deepest sympathy to you & the family in the loss of Giampiero. He was a very kind & loving person & even if I had not seen him in a long time always greeted me with a smile & a hug! My condolences to all of you.*  
*Toni (Antonella) Simonetti*

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**Toni Simonetti** - May 24, 2016 at 03:24 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Giampiero Pucci.*



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May 24, 2016 at 02:41 PM



“ - *Tim Gerould purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Giampiero Pucci.*



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- **Tim Gerould** - May 24, 2016 at 01:10 PM



“ *Non ho parole per descrivere GianPiero,so solo Che era un grande con un grande cuore,intelligente ,grande pescatore,grande ballerino,molto socievole ,and caritatevole Le mie piu sentite condoglianze to Susanna e tutta quella Bella Famiglia di cui andava tanto orgoglioso ,ciao GianPiero carissimo amico. Riposa in pace*

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**Alberto Biancalana** - May 24, 2016 at 12:09 PM

DB

“ *To all the Pucci family, it was with a sad heart to hear of the passing of John. I know how much he loved his family, with all his heart...which was huge! He was an icon in our fishing community, always leading the way with new ideas. His loving smile will be missed, but never forgotten.*

*Sincerely,  
Denise and Teri Bradford  
Coyote Bait and Tackle*

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**Denise Bradford** - May 23, 2016 at 09:22 PM

RM

“ *Rick and Beatrice, The Mazza Family and Marilyn purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Giampiero Pucci.*



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**Rick and Beatrice, The Mazza Family and Marilyn** - May 23, 2016 at 07:10 PM

SQ

“ Susan Pucci and family.

*Whenever he saw me he would call me "barbetta". We loved to sing together.*

*They called us the 3 tenors. Alberto Pinochi was Jose Carrera, Giampiero Pucci was Placido Domingo and I was Luciano Pavarotti. I remember one year when we were going to Reno on the bus with the Lucchesi Nel Mondo we sang for 4 hours straight.*

*Two years ago for our Mission Hospice Dinner Dance at the PIASC in SM during the live auction he bid on my dinner for 6 because one of the entrees was rice with mushrooms and he just loved my rice with mushrooms. He was outbid by someone else so I invited him and Susan to dinner at my house and made his favorite rice with mushrooms.*

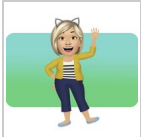
*I will never forget how much they ate especially Giampiero. I thought he was going to get an indigestion.*

*We will truly miss him alot. Ciao amico mio.*

*Stefano and Elena Quilici*

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**Stefano & Elena Quilici** - May 23, 2016 at 06:32 PM



“ *Giampiero will be missed by all that knew him. He was a good kind man and so proud of his family 🌸 RIP Sincerely, Cathy Carbone*

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**Cathy Carbone** - May 23, 2016 at 03:02 PM

SS

“ *Sincerely; Ed Small & All at Big Rock Sports purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Giampiero Pucci.*



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**Sincerely; Ed Small & All at Big Rock Sports** - May 23, 2016 at 02:04 PM