



## Daniel W. Anderson Jr.

March 21, 1950 - September 13, 2017

Daniel W. Anderson, Jr., age 67, passed away on September 13 at home, while surrounded by family after being diagnosed with ALS, the Lou Gehrig's disease. Daniel was born in Long Branch, grew up in Deal, raised his family in Elberon, and lived his retired years in Tinton Falls. Following his 1968 graduation from Asbury Park High School, Daniel served his country in the U.S. Army as a SPC 5 air traffic controller in the 101st Airborne Division in Vietnam. Daniel worked as a lineman for Verizon and retired in 2000. Daniel was an active participant in the community and volunteered his time as often as possible. He was a Boy Scout leader, Little League coach, Red Cross volunteer for Hurricane Wilma, President of Fox Chase Association, and an 18-year member, 1986 chief, and 2010 treasurer of Deal Fire Dept. Daniel also enjoyed playing in three different softball leagues. He loved traveling, golf, the Yankees and the NY Giants. However, Danny's favorite part of his life was his family.

Daniel was married for 48 years to Mirta and together they had three children, Jeffrey Anderson and his wife Christine; Laura and her husband Paul Tracey; and Jeni and her husband Cory Radisch. Danny (aka Pipop) was loved and admired by his 11 grandchildren, Jason, Justin and Christopher Anderson, Newark, De; Patrick, Daniel, Brandon and Jared Tracey, Ocean Township; and Ariel, Jami, Juliana and Daniele Radisch, Tinton Falls. Daniel is survived by his sisters Kathleen and her husband George Tongring, Interlaken; and

Mary Ellen and her husband Lou Vaccaro, Ocean Twp. He was predeceased by his father, Daniel W. Anderson, Sr.; his mother, Margaret; and brother, Michael.

Visitation will take place at Bongarzone Funeral Home, 2400 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls 4-8 Friday and a service to honor and celebrate Daniel's life will take place Saturday at 1:00. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations should be sent to the Joan Dancy & PALS (People with ALS) Foundation, Riverview Medical Center, One River Plaza, P.O. Box 8157, Red Bank, NJ 07701. For online condolences, please visit Danny's memorial page at [www.bongarzonefuneralhome.com](http://www.bongarzonefuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **15.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bongarzone Funeral Home  
2400 Shafto Road  
Tinton Falls, NJ 07712  
(732) 918-6200

## Funeral Service

SEP **16.** 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

CO

“ My first ALS symptom occurred in 2016, but was diagnosed in 2018. I had severe symptoms ranging from shortness of breath, balance problems, couldn't walk without a walker or a power chair, i had difficulty swallowing and fatigue. I was given medications which helped but only for a short burst of time, then I decided to try alternative measures and began on ALS Formula treatment from Aknni herbs centre, It has made a tremendous difference for me (Visit ww w. aknniherbscentre.c om). I had improved walking balance, increased appetite, muscle strength, improved eyesight and others.

cory - February 18, 2025 at 04:55 AM

TA

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Thato amelia - August 27, 2021 at 06:45 AM

AB

“ Al Barthelmess sent a virtual gift in memory of Daniel W. Anderson Jr.



Al Barthelmess - December 10, 2020 at 05:25 PM

RF

“ Our condolences to all of the Anderson family. Danny was a great person and always kind to everyone. May he rest in a well deserved eternal peace. Our thoughts and prayers are with you .  
*Rich & Denny Fronapfel*

Richard Fronapfel - September 15, 2017 at 01:07 PM

BH

“ Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Daniel W. Anderson Jr.



Bongarzone Funeral Home - September 15, 2017 at 12:03 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Daniel W. Anderson Jr..



September 14, 2017 at 10:52 PM

RP

“ Dear Mirta, so so sorry to hear of Danny's passing, all our love to you and your whole family.....  
*Love, Ro & Lucky*



Ro & Lucky Perrotto - September 14, 2017 at 03:16 PM

LM

“ Love Thomas, Donna, Brian & Machaela purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Daniel W. Anderson Jr..



Love Thomas, Donna, Brian & Machaela - September 14, 2017 at 01:40 PM

BB

“ I remember praying for my cousins Danny and Michael to be protected while in Vietnam when I was in second grade in St Sebastian School in Queens. I'm sure he will be missed.  
Bibi

brigette bowler - September 14, 2017 at 12:45 PM

NR

My heart ❤️ is aching for loss of Danny. for his wife Mirta, his children and his children's children. I remember and have photos of the Anderson's and Ryan's when we're kids as we are first cousins. All of my love and prayers are with everyone who knew and loved this great guy and great family MAN. R.I.P. Danny, Love, Nancy ❤️🙏

Nancy Ryan - September 14, 2017 at 10:11 PM

JW

“ Oh, I have many long time ago memories. My thoughts and prayers are with you Mirtha and your family. Wish I lived closer to connect with all the friends I had in NJ.  
At least with facebook, I know what is going on in your life.



Judy Mazza Woodard - September 14, 2017 at 12:14 PM

JW

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**Judy Mazza Woodard** - September 14, 2017 at 12:15 PM

CC

“ *My dear cousin Mirta, I love you all and know this is a sad day for everyone. Danny was an amazing and fun man, filled with love for everyone who crossed his path. Know that I have been praying for you all for a long time and even though we are so far away our family bonds are super strong. I love you mucho and will continue to pray during this most difficult time* 💜



**Chela Calves** - September 14, 2017 at 10:35 AM

TF

“ *The Imperato Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Daniel W. Anderson Jr..*



**The Imperato Family** - September 14, 2017 at 10:31 AM

DN

“ *Debbie Nelson lit a candle in memory of Daniel W. Anderson Jr.*



**Debbie Nelson** - September 14, 2017 at 10:15 AM

EJ

“ DEAREST MIRTA AND FAMILY, MY HEART JUST DROPPED WHEN I SAW THIS TODAY. PLEASE KNOW MY THOUGHTS AND LOVE GO OUT FOR YOU ALL AT THIS TIME. YOU ARE SUCH AN AMAZING FAMILY AND I'M SURE DAN IS ALREADY WATCHING OVER YOU ALL. RIP DAN AND BE FREE NOW OF ANY PAIN. EVELYN JACKSON AND FAMILY

EVELYN JACKSON - September 14, 2017 at 10:13 AM

SR

“ Susie Rodriguez lit a candle in memory of Daniel W. Anderson Jr.



Susie Rodriguez - September 14, 2017 at 09:38 AM

SR

Jenni Our thoughts and prayers are you & Mirta Elena & Family! Love you guys!!! ❤️🙏🙏🙏

Susie Rodriguez - September 14, 2017 at 09:42 AM

GS

“ I am truly sorry to hear of the loss of your father. I extend my deepest sympathies to you and your family.



Gabriela Stanziale - September 14, 2017 at 08:49 AM