

CECCOLINI, RALPH "CHICK"

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Ralph Ceccolini, 1931-2003. Chick died on April 19, 2003 in Stuart, FL where he has resided for the past two years. His daughters and those who knew him well will remember his love of good food, his life long loyalty to the NY Giants, his pride in the US Marine Corp in which he served from 1951 - 1954 in Korea and his appreciation of beauty, especially flowers. Chick operated a flower shop in North Tarrytown, NY, during the 1960's and 1970's and was a regular on Beekman Avenue. He then became a corrections officer (Badge #153) at the Westchester County Correctional Center and retired in 1989. After retirement, he moved to New Hampshire where he met many great friends and occupied an honored seat on the bench in front of Bob's Shoe Stop in Peterborough. He is survived by his daughters, Jodie Gill and her husband Tom Gill (Stuart, FL) Jill Ceccolini and partner Steve Spencer (Halifax, Nova Scotia); his twin sisters Kate Fracassi (Ossining, NY), and his brother Frank Ceccolini (Sleepy Hollow, NY) as well as nieces and nephews. Visitation will be on Friday, May 2, 2003 from 7-9 pm at COFFEY FUNERAL HOME. Graveside services will be at Sleepy Hollow Cemetery on Saturday at 10 am. COFFEY FUNERAL HOME, INC 91 North Broadway, Tarrytown (914) 631-0983