# John "Babe" Anthony Testone

October 7, 1928 - September 24, 2016







## **FACTS**

Born: October 7, 1928 Place of Birth: Syracuse, NY Death: September 24, 2016

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Occupation: C.P.A and Partner with Deloitte,

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#### **BIOGRAPHY**

John "Babe" A. Testone, 87 of Liverpool passed away unexpectedly on Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital Health Center. He was born in Syracuse a son of the late Vito and Adeline (Rossomondo) Testone where he was raised and educated graduating from Assumption High School. Right out of high school at the age of 17, he signed his first professional baseball contract and played in the minor leagues for 5 years with the Baltimore Orioles and New York Yankees systems. Babe continued his education being a member of the first graduating class in 1951 from Lemoyne College receiving his Bachelor's Degree in Accounting. He was employed as a C.P.A. and partner with Deloitte, Haskins & Sells for many years in Syracuse. Concurrently, he taught Accounting at Lemoyne College. Babe loved being around baseball and was named head baseball coach at CBA in 1959, coaching for several seasons.

His memberships included the A.I.C.P.A., NYSCPA Society, and the Liverpool School Board. He also enjoyed his long time membership at Lakeshore Yacht & Country Club. He was an active parishioner and founding trustee of Christ the King Church in Bayberry. Babe had resided in Liverpool since 1962. He is predeceased by his sister, Pauline Goglia, three uncles; Anthony, Louis and Cosimo, and three aunts; Lena DiFlorio, Rose Saracene, and Lucretia Leponto.

Surviving to cherish his memory is his wife of 55 years, Eileen (Pauls) Testone of Liverpool, daughter, Anne-Marie (James Jeffrey) Spainhower of Jefferson City, MO, granddaughter, Theckla Elisabeth Spainhower and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Haskins & Sells in Syracuse, New York

Hobbies: Loved baseball, coaching at CBA

Organizations: Member of A.I.C.P.A., NYSCPA,

Liverpool School Baord, and Lakeshore Yacht

& Country Club.

#### **GUESTBOOK**

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#### **MEMORIAL DONATIONS**

Memorial donations can be made to: Christ the King Church Repair and Renovation Fund, 21 Cherry Tree Circle, Liverpool, NY 13090 Calling hours will be on Wednesday, September 28, 2016 from 4 to 7 pm at the Maurer Funeral Home Moyers Corners, 3541 State Rt 31 Baldwinsville. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Thursday morning at 10:00 am at Christ the King Church, 21 Cherry Tree Circle in Liverpool. The Rite of Committal and burial will follow in Assumption Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please consider contributions in Babe's memory to the Christ of King Church Repair and Renovation Fund.



### **CALLING HOURS**

Wednesday September 28, 2016, 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM at Maurer Funeral Home Moyers Corners

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#### MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Thursday September 29, 2016, 10:00 AM at Christ the King Church Click for Map and Directions

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