



*In Memory of*  
**Raymond V. Ferruolo**

**June 7, 1934 - February 7, 2015**

**Visitation**

**Friday, February 13, 2015 | 04:00 pm - 07:00 pm**

Pontarelli-Marino Funeral Home

971 Branch Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island 02904

**Driving Directions**

**Mass of Christian Burial**

**Saturday, February 14, 2015 | 09:00 am**

Blessed Sacrament Church

179 Academy Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island

**Driving Directions**

**Burial**

**Saturday, February 14, 2015**

St. Ann Cemetery

Cranston, Rhode Island

**Driving Directions**

Raymond V. Ferruolo, 80, passed away February 7, 2015. He was the husband of the late Anna B. (Detri) Ferruolo. Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Vincent and Jennie (Gaito) Ferruolo.

Raymond graduated from Mt. Pleasant High School in Providence before being drafted to play minor league baseball for the St. Louis Cardinals in Hannibal, MO. In the Army Corps of Engineers, he was proud to work on the construction of radar stations along the north coast of Alaska known as Operation DEW Line. He attended the accelerated learning program at Bryant College under the GI Bill. Ray completed the intensive two-year program earning his Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting in 1959, the same year he was married. His Bryant College education

prepared him for a lifelong career as an auditor for the Dairy Division of the United States Department of Agriculture. Ray's love of sports carried through his life, coaching baseball in the Mt. Pleasant Little League for two decades beginning in the early 1970s and coaching basketball for several years at Blessed Sacrament School. Ray firmly anchored his roots in the Mt. Pleasant neighborhood, allowing him to stay close to family and friends throughout his life.

Ray sadly lost his wife of 54 years in 2013. He is survived by his beloved son, Raymond V. Ferruolo Jr., his daughter-in-law, Kristin E., and his brothers, Robert A. and John A. Ferruolo. He was also the brother of the late Gloria M. Vingi.

Visitation will be held Friday, 4-7 p.m. with his funeral Saturday at 8 a.m. from the PONTARELLI-MARINO Home, 971 Branch Avenue, Providence. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 9 a.m. in Blessed Sacrament Church, 179 Academy Avenue, Providence. Burial with military honors will follow in St. Ann Cemetery, Cranston.