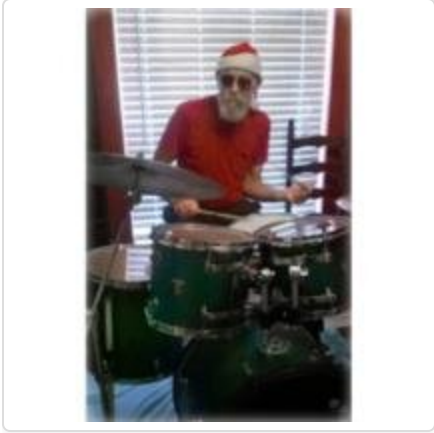




Frank Scalamonti

January 4, 2023

Frank Charles Scalamonti of Gainesville, FL, age 71, passed away December 29th, 2022, at home peacefully in his sleep after a history of heart disease and other illnesses. Frank's wishes were to be cremated, and Forest Meadows Funeral Home is handling arrangements. A family commemorative luncheon will be planned to honor his memory.

Frank is survived by his wife and soulmate of 50 years, Cindy Scalamonti, and their two amazing children, Anne Scalamonti of Portland, OR and Eric Scalamonti of Orlando, FL. He also leaves behind his dear sister Lisa Scalamonti from Chicago, IL.

Frank was an avid musician throughout his life. In addition to his professional career as a drummer and a certified aviation mechanic, he was passionate about meteorology and the natural sciences. He was proud to have received his Bachelor of Science degree from the New York Institute of Technology in 1987 and spent many summers tornado chasing in the Midwest.

Later, living in Florida provided Frank with ample opportunity to pursue his fascination with hurricanes, as well as with aviation and astronomy. He was always watching the skies at every opportunity, in one way or another. A lover of sports, film, comedy, and theater, he also inspired these interests in his family. Frank's mischievous sense of humor and quick wit will be sadly missed

by all who knew him. Condolences may be left in the online guestbook of Forest Meadows.

Frank, you will be missed... jazz up the afterlife for us all.

Love, Cindy

Tribute Wall

AS

“ One year gone. What a hole you’ve left. ♥

Anne Scalamonto - January 02, 2024 at 09:10 PM

CS

“ November 16, 2023 Happy Birthday my forever husband. This week we donated your green satin Sonor drum kit and those beautiful Zildjians to the church school where they will come alive again with the happy sound of music made by countless children for many, many years to come. I hope you get a glimpse of them and if makes you smile.

CINDY SCALAMONTI - November 17, 2023 at 09:04 AM

AS

“ Happy birtday. ;)

Anne Scalamonti - November 16, 2023 at 07:32 PM

AS

“*"From this distant vantage point, the Earth might not seem of any particular interest. But for us, it's different. Consider again at that dot. That's here. That's home. That's us. On it everyone you love, everyone you know, everyone you ever heard of, every human being who ever was, lived out their lives. The aggregate of our joy and suffering, thousands of confident religions, ideologies, and economic doctrines, every hunter and forager, every hero and coward, every creator and destroyer of civilization, every king and peasant, every young couple in love, every mother and father, hopeful child, inventor and explorer, every teacher of morals, every corrupt politician, every "superstar," every "supreme leader," every saint and sinner in the history of our species lived there--on a mote of dust suspended in a sunbeam."*

Anne Scalamonti - June 30, 2023 at 03:53 AM

AN

“*Playing an imaginary guitar solo for you today, Dad.*

<https://youtu.be/j3yE2NAdNko?t=77>

(Watermelon In Easter Hay, Frank Zappa)

Anne - January 28, 2023 at 12:24 AM

JJ

“*When peace like a river, attendeth my way,
When sorrows like sea billows roll;
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to know[b]
It is well, it is well, with my soul.”*
penned by hymnist Horatio Spafford and composed by Philip Bliss

May this song bring comfort in your time of need,

James & Nina West (from Silver Sneakers Class)

James West Jr - January 04, 2023 at 08:17 PM