



## Joseph J. Pratta

December 17, 2010

Joseph J. Pratta, 91, of Pedricktown passed away on December 17, 2010. Born in Philadelphia, he was the son of the late Pasquale & Angelina Pratta. Mr. Pratta worked his entire life on his farm, occasionally working construction as a shop steward on the jobs. Family was important to him and he loved getting together for all occasions and telling stories of the family history to anyone and everyone. He loved the ponies, going to the track and making a good barrel of homemade wine.

He is survived by his children, Shirley Britton and her husband Frank of Pedricktown, Joseph and his wife Renee of South Carolina and Dennis Pratta and his wife Dana of Pedricktown, sisters, Edith Matticola and Helen Napoleon, grandchildren, Christy Myers (Scott), Frank Britton (Kim), Joseph Pratta (Jessica), Marc Pratta (Kim), Adrienne Warch (Allen), Matthew Pratta, Joshua Pratta (Charissa), Denny Pratta (Jennifer), Jeremy Pratta and Danica Pratta and twelve great grandchildren. He was predeceased by the love of his life, his wife, Rita (nee: LaPalomente), a granddaughter, Lori Lynn Britton and siblings, Albert, Fred and Anthony Pratta, Jenny Pratta, Elizabeth Juliano and Katherine Anastasia.

A Mass of Christiane Burial will be offered on Tuesday, December 21, 2010 at 11am at Corpus Christi R.C. Church, 369 Georgetown Rd., Carney's Point, NJ 08069 The visitation will also be held at the church starting at 9am. Interment will be at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Woodstown. [www.adamsfuneralhome.org](http://www.adamsfuneralhome.org)