

Richard Tarsitano of Bloomingdale. Prayers for Richard Tarsitano will be said at 9 a.m. Monday, at Salerno's Rosedale Chapels, 450 West Lake St. (3/4 mile west of Bloomingdale Road), Roselle, and proceed to St. Walter Church for a Mass at 10 a.m. Interment will be in Queen of Heaven Cemetery. Mr. Tarsitano was the former owner of many businesses. He was a graduate of Austin High School, Class of '53, Wright Junior College and North Dakota State College. He was the original bugle instructor of the Royal Airs Drum & Bugle Corps in 1962. Richard was the beloved husband of the late Rosemary (nee Daly); devoted father of Rick (Diane), Tommy (Pam), Cathi (Phil) Gerardi, Ria (Ron) Zaranko and LeeAnn (Todd) Everett; fond grandfather of Tiffany, Christie and Ricky Tarsitano, Gina, Bianca and Alanna Gerardi, Zac and Zoe Zaranko, and Jack, Sydney and Rose Everett; loving son of the late Rocco and Marie Tarsitano; and dear brother of Lu (Mick) Maloney and the late Rocco Jr. (Arlene) and Leo (Fran) Tarsitano. Visitation will be from 3 to 9 p.m. Sunday, at the funeral chapel. Friends may visit [www.dailyherald.com/obits](http://www.dailyherald.com/obits) to express condolences and sign the guest book. For funeral information, (630)889-1700.

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