



Dino J. Fiocchi Jr.

June 24, 1929 - October 14, 2025

Dino Fiocchi, born on June 24, 1929, in Vineland, New Jersey, passed away peacefully on October 14, 2025, in Ocala, Florida, at the age of 96. A man of many talents and passions, Dino leaves behind a legacy that spans nearly a century.

A dedicated entrepreneur in the music industry, Dino made significant contributions as a professional drummer and teacher. His love for big band and jazz was well known, and he imparted this passion to countless students over the years. Beyond his musical pursuits, Dino was an avid softball player, a skilled carpenter, and a keen pool player, showcasing his diverse interests and zest for life.

Dino's faith was a cornerstone of his life. He was a devoted member of the College Road Baptist Church and contributed to marriage counseling for the Catholic Church, where he touched the lives of many with his wisdom and compassion.

Dino was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Phyllis Fiocchi, with whom he shared 62 wonderful years of marriage and two daughters, Susan Fiocchi and Debra Fiocchi-Daley. He is survived by his cherished spouse, Mary Ethel Swing Fiocchi. Dino's legacy continues through his loving family: his grandchildren, Quincy Dan, Ivy Dan, and Dino Dan; his great-grandchildren,

Kaleb, Denver, Justin, Mary, Lauren, and Ryan; and his great-great-grandchildren, Micah and Avery.

As a great-great-grandfather, Dino's presence will be deeply missed by all who knew him. His life was a testament to the power of creativity, love, and resilience, and his memory will forever be held dear in the hearts of his family and friends.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **24**. 3:00 PM (ET)

College Road Baptist Church
5010 SW College Rd
Ocala, 34474

Tribute Wall

LD

“ Grandpop was the definition of peace and wisdom. His calm demeanor set such a high standard with which we can only wish to achieve in our lifetime. Long live the fond memories of Dino Fiocchi 🥰

Linda Lee Dan - October 22, 2025 at 09:01 PM

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“ 1949 Weymouth, NJ



dino dan - October 21, 2025 at 05:15 PM

JD

“ He was the man I wanted to be. He showed me what true love is.
from Joe Daley, son-in-law

Joe Daley - October 21, 2025 at 05:02 PM

DD

“ Grandpop taught me how to play pinochle when i was a boy. I spent a lot of time in the upstairs apartment while he taught music downstairs. we had PB&J's at lunchtime. He was the best man I knew.

dino dan - October 21, 2025 at 04:59 PM

MD

“ I asked him who was one of his favorite drummers - he said Gene Krupa. Krupa was a drummer and bandleader from the 1940's and 50's.

Michael Dadko - October 21, 2025 at 03:44 PM