



## Francis Dominic Seidler

March 7, 1968 - January 1, 2020

Francis Dominic Seidler, 51, unexpectedly passed away on January 1, 2020, at his home in Bala Cynwyd, Pennsylvania.

Born March 7, 1968 in Cali, Colombia to John Seidler and Aileen Kennedy, he was one of three children. From early childhood, Francis moved from country to country with his parents and sisters, ranging from Colombia, Venezuela, Greece, Holland, to Surrey, United Kingdom. But in 1980, the family decided to put down roots in Malvern, Pennsylvania. Francis attended the Kimberton Farm School in Kimberton and graduated from Upattinas School in Glenmoore in 1986. Graduating from Cabrini College in 1992 in Radnor, he later earned certification in Construction Management in 1998 from Temple University, Philadelphia.

Starting his career as a salesman for Radio Shack, he later founded Mainline Renovations, Inc. in 1995, a residential construction company, where many of his true gifts for design and building could shine. He was awarded the Delchester NARI Contractor of the Year awards in 2007, 2009, and 2012.

A devoted father to his son, Sammy and caretaker to his dog, Lola, Francis loved his parents, his family, and friends. An avid outdoorsman, Francis especially loved fishing, travel and skiing.

He is survived by his son, Samuel Seidler of Bala Cynwyd; Samuel's mother, Linda Lavelle of Bala Cynwyd, his father, John Seidler of Manhattan, New York; his mother, Aileen Kennedy of Marshaltown; his sister Andrea Goryl of Bryn Mawr and her two children, Olivia Goryl and John Goryl; and his sister Annamarie Miraldi of West Chester and her three children, India Miraldi, Isabella Miraldi, and Luca Miraldi

His Funeral Service will be held 11 am Friday, January 10, 2020 at The Church of the Redeemer, 230 Pennswood Road, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania with the Rev. Peter T. Vanderveen officiating.

Those who wish to remember Francis in a special way may make gifts his favorite charity; American Foundation for Suicide Prevention at [afsp.org](http://afsp.org).

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

JAN 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of The Redeemer  
230 Pennswood Road  
Bryn Mawr, PA

# Tribute Wall

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“*Dan, you started out as our builder, then friend, then family. Our beautiful home is a tribute to your talent, integrity and vision. You will continue to live on in our hearts and home. As much as you meant to us, it was clear that Sam was your greatest source of love and pride. Sam, your dad will never stop looking over you. He remains with you always. Pretty cool guardian angel to have. God bless all of you. With heartfelt sympathy and love. Pam and Chris Tama*

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**Pam and Chris Tama** - January 05, 2020 at 04:41 PM

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*My dear friend Dan, you will be missed but never forgotten by me, or the many who loved you. I will forever have a special place in my heart and mind reserved for you. You definitely made the most of your time here and although I am sure you had so much more life to live, for sure the time you did have was always lived to the fullest. Rest now in peace my friend and hopefully I'll see you on the other side. Vinny*

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**Vince McLaughlin** - January 09, 2020 at 05:43 PM

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*Dan, you left us too soon but the greatest gifts that you have given us all are so many wonderful memories, so many laughs, and so many stories that will always be remembered. Your smile will forever be in everyone's memory of you. You my friend, will be missed by everyone's who's path you have crossed and who's heart you have touched. You were an exceptional example of a friend, a son, a brother and most importantly a father. Your memory will live on and on and we all want you to know that you will be forever missed and always loved and cherished. Goodbye, my dear friend. Love you so much! Until we meet again. <3*

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**Heather Fiedler** - January 09, 2020 at 07:03 PM

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*My heart is so broken upon learning today the news of your passing. We first met as you were referred to us as the only high-integrity renovation contractor in the business, and how lucky we were to have found you! You transformed our home, room by room, and taught us that as clients we should expect nothing short of perfection from contractors. But more important than your talents as a builder, you became a friend -- one of the few with whom we continued to keep in touch even after moving to the Bay Area 7.5 years ago. We will always remember your easy smile, your kindness, your can-do attitude, your love for Sam, your willingness to rearrange your schedule to meet up with us on the rare occasions that we passed through Philly...Dan, we are so thankful to have known you. We will miss you always. Much love, Nichole and Ken Rowles and family*

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**Nichole** - January 13, 2020 at 11:03 PM