

2024

Vincenzo “Jimmy” & Anna De Pinto

Family Scholarship



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Society of La Madonna Dei Martiri,

the Hoboken Italian Festival

332 Adams Street
Hoboken, New Jersey 07030

and

the Family of Vincenzo “Jimmy” & Anna De Pinto

Applications Due March 29, 2024

Previous Recipients

1998	Anna Cioce	Hoboken High School	2010	Gabriella Phelan	Wood-Ridge High School
1999	Natalie Di Terlizzi	Hoboken High School	2011	Deanna DeCongelio	Immaculate Conception HS
2000	Antonio Visconte	Hoboken High School	2012	Carmine Lombardi	St. Peter's Prep
2001	Stefanie Di Terlizzi	Hoboken High School	2013	Brianna Donofrio	Hanover Park High School
2001	Nicholas J. Trincellita	Hoboken High School	2014	Giovanni Giacchi	Regis High School
2002	Michele Martinovich	Hoboken High School	2015	Tyler Martino	St. Peter's Prep
2002	Marc De Gennaro	St. Peter's Prep	2016	Francesca Dell'Acqua	St. Dominic Academy
2003	Gennaro Marcigliano	Hoboken High School	2016	Michael Vinci	St. Peter's Prep
2004	Rosanne Facchini	St. Dominic Academy	2017	Johannes Calloni	St. Peter's Prep
2004	Nicole Passenti	Hoboken High School	2018	Alessia Lombardi	Lyndhurst High School
2005	Cristina Anese	Hasbrouck Heights HS	2019	Angelene Veloce	Hoboken High School
2005	Christine Capetola	St. Dominic Academy	2020	Gabriella D'Antonio	Hoboken High School
2006	Astrid DiVincent	St. Dominic Academy	2022	Antonia Fucci	Hoboken High School
2006	Francis Romano, Jr.	St. Peter's Prep	2023	Sara McKay	Hoboken High School
2007	Daniel DeCongelio	St. Peter's Prep			
2008	Michael Stefanelli	St. Peter's Prep			
2009	Alyssa Pierce	St. Dominic Academy			
2009	Joseph Maini	St. Peter's Prep			
2010	Danielle Ferlise	Bergen County Tech HS			

Society of La Madonna Dei Martiri and the Hoboken Italian Festival

VINCENZO “JIMMY” & ANNA DE PINTO FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 1998, a one-time annual award of \$5,000 is available to a qualifying high school senior in memory of Vincenzo “Jimmy” De Pinto, his wife Anna, and other members of the De Pinto Family for their contributions to the Societa Madonna Dei Martiri, the Hoboken Italian Festival, and devotion to the Madonna.

Emigrating from Italy and becoming proud citizens of the United States, Jimmy (as he was known) & Anna never abandoned their Italian culture and traditions, nor ceased their devotion to the Madonna, the patron saint of Molfetta, the city of their birth.

Similar to the many Italian-Americans who left their homeland to start new lives, Jimmy & Anna loved their adopted country and valued the opportunities available. Jimmy served in the U.S. Army during World War II and Anna worked as a seamstress for over 70 years. Both were proud to be among the tens of thousands of Italian-Americans who helped build the United States during the 20th century. Although higher education was never available to them, they believed that education was essential, and secured the future of the individual.

Originally founded in honor of Vincenzo “Jimmy” De Pinto, a past President of the Society, the award has grown to honor other deceased members of the De Pinto family who were active in supporting the Society. This includes Jimmy’s wife Anna, an Honorary President and Matriarch of the Society, his oldest son Aldo, who also served as President of the Society, and sons-in-law Jim Emmer & Donald Zampella. All of these individuals held strong belief in Our Lady, had deep love of family and country and were widely respected for their integrity & ethnic pride.

Applicants must satisfy the following requirements:

- A descendent of a family member from Italy
- A Hoboken, New Jersey or other local area resident
- A graduating senior from Hoboken High School, St. Peter’s Prep, St. Dominic Academy or other area high schools.
- Accepted to a four-year college and attending in September, 2024
- Descendants of Vincenzo “Jimmy” & Anna De Pinto are not eligible.
- Members of the Society and their families are not eligible.

Applications are evaluated by the De Pinto Family, President of the Society and President of the Feast Committee, and based on:

- Academics and academic awards
- Athletics, extra-curricular activities and jobs held while in school
- Community service
- A written essay

The following must accompany completed application forms:

- High school transcript.
- Letter of acceptance from a four-year college and acknowledgement to attend.
- Two letters of reference, one of which must be from a faculty member of your high school.
- A 500-word essay describing your intended course of study, any Italian-Americans who have made contributions in this field and why you feel deserving of the scholarship.
- Please send all of the above as a complete packet and not separately.

Application Due Date: MARCH 29, 2024

Send completed applications and requested documents by the due date to:

Len De Pinto, c/o Union Paving & Construction Co., Inc.
1140 Globe Avenue, Mountainside, NJ 07092
LenD@UnionPaving.com Subject: SMDM Scholarship

**Society of Madonna Dei Martiri's 2024
VINCENZO "JIMMY" & ANNA DE PINTO
FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP**

APPLICATIONS DUE MARCH 29, 2024

Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Your signature affirms that all information presented herein is true, you are not a descendent of Vincenzo or Anna De Pinto, not related to a member of the Societa Madonna Dei Martiri and will abide by the decision of the judges.

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ SSN: _____

Email: _____

Parents' Names: _____

Occupations: _____

Brothers: _____ Ages: _____

Sisters: _____ Ages: _____

Family Member of Italian Descent: _____

Town in Italy: _____

High School: _____

School Address: _____

GPA: _____ SAT V: _____ M: _____ W: _____

Class Rank: _____ of _____ (Class Size) Top %: _____

Awards: _____

Sports: _____

Other Activities: _____

Jobs: _____

Community Service: _____

College Attending in September: Full-Time: _____ Part-Time: _____

College Name: _____

Major: _____

ALL requested information ***MUST*** be provided. Use additional sheets if necessary.
Submit application as a complete packet; do not submit documents separately.

Transcript Reference #1 Reference #2 Acceptance Letter Essay Complete Other: