

# AMAROSA-CATERINI

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The Amarosa family lived in Baychester in 1940 at **2327 Boller Avenue**.

**Victor Amarosa** was born January 19, 1907 in Manhattan, New York<sup>1</sup>, the second of nine children of **Michael Amarosa**, Italian immigrant, and **Annie Fanelli**, New York born daughter of Italian immigrants. He grew up in Manhattan in Greenwich Village. His birth name was **Vito Amarosa**, but he went by Victor.

His wife **Elizabeth Caterini** was also born in New York City, a child of Italian immigrant parents. Victor and Elizabeth were married in 1926. By 1930 they were renting an apartment at 217 Sullivan Street in Greenwich Village, Manhattan, New York City, New York, an apartment building situated next door to his parent's apartment building. Victor supported his wife and two children working as a commercial chauffeur. That classification includes any kind of commercial driver, including truck driver.<sup>2</sup>

Before 1940 Victor had moved to Baychester and rented a house at **2327 Boller Avenue**. His family included his wife, three children, and widowed mother-in-law **Mary Caterini**. He was looking for a job as a hospital worker in a city hospital.<sup>3</sup>

At some unknown date he moved his family to Long Island, NY. Victor Amarosa, born January 19, 1911, died in Suffolk (Long Island), New York in 1978 at age 71.<sup>4</sup> His wife Elizabeth, born July 11, 1910, died in Suffolk, New York in July 1986.<sup>5</sup> One of his three children, **Victor Amarosa, Jr.**, born December 4, 1928, died August 23, 1990 in New York.<sup>6</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> "New York, New York City Births, 1846-1909," database, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/2WHL-SS3> : 11 February 2018), Vito Amarosa, 17 Jan 1907; citing Manhattan, New York, New York, United States, reference cn 5558 New York Municipal Archives, New York; FHL microfilm 1,991,385

<sup>2</sup> "United States Census, 1930," database with images, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/X4KH-SRZ> : accessed 23 November 2017), Victor Amarosa, Manhattan (Districts 0001-0250), New York, New York, United States; citing enumeration district (ED) ED 68, sheet 11A, line 46, family 40, NARA microfilm publication T626 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 2002), roll 1546; FHL microfilm 2,341,281.

<sup>3</sup> "United States Census, 1940," database with images, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/KQM8-6JX> : accessed 28 October 2017), Elizabeth Anarosa in household of Victor Anarosa, Assembly District 6, Bronx, New York City, Bronx, New York, United States; citing enumeration district (ED) 3-788, sheet 1B, line 76, family 22, Sixteenth Census of the United States, 1940, NARA digital publication T627. Records of the Bureau of the Census, 1790 - 2007, RG 29. Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 2012, roll 2480.

<sup>4</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/JP7H-RMH> : 20 May 2014), Victor Amarosa, Feb 1978; citing U.S. Social Security Administration, Death Master File, database (Alexandria, Virginia: National Technical Information Service, ongoing).

<sup>5</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/VSXV-26G> : 20 May 2014), Elizabeth Amarosa, Jul 1986; citing U.S. Social Security Administration, Death Master File, database (Alexandria, Virginia: National Technical Information Service, ongoing).

<sup>6</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/JKGT-4PF> : 19 May 2014), Victor J Amarosa, 23 Aug 1990; citing U.S. Social Security Administration, Death Master File, database (Alexandria, Virginia: National Technical Information Service, ongoing).