



Mr. Gabriel James Lopardo

April 11, 1937 - August 15, 2020

It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of my husband and our dad, Gabriel James Lopardo, age 83, on Saturday, August 15 at Alice Hyde Medical Center.

Gabe was born in Malone, NY, April 11, 1937, the son of the late Gabriel and Melvina Jordan Lopardo. He was one of four children, Vincent (the late Naida), John (Sharon) and Linda (the late Frank) Tunny, who survive. He was the beloved husband of Edith Stevenson Lopardo. They would have celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary on October 1, 2020.

He leaves to mourn his two daughters and sons in-law, Victoria and David Gardiner, and Jennifer and Derek Sprague; grandchildren, Emily and Warren O'Connor, Hannah and Sarah Gardiner, Alexandra and Davis Sprague; great-grandsons, Luke and Liam O'Connor; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Bill and Mary Stevenson; sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Sheila Stevenson and Stephen Archibald. He adored his nieces and nephews.

Gabe graduated from Chateaugay High School in 1954. After completing Barber School, he joined his father in the business for 65 years. He served in the U.S. Army at Fort Bragg, NC from 1960 to 1962. He served as a Chateaugay Village Trustee from 1978 to 1996 and then went on to serve as Mayor from 1996 to 2009. He was a caring and entertaining Chateaugay Central School bus driver for many years. He was a communicant of St. Patrick's parish for his entire life and a member of American Legion Post 875. Gabe led a faith filled life, devoted to his family, the community and left

everyone he met with a chuckle.

Calling hours will be Tuesday, August 18, 2020 at the Chateaugay Funeral Home from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm. In accordance with current health restrictions, those in attendance are asked to observe the use of facial coverings and social distancing.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Wednesday, August 19 at 1:00 pm at St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay, NY.

Military Honors will be provided by the Chateaugay American Legion, Post 875 immediately following the Mass at the Post.

Private graveside service will take place at a later date at Hillside Cemetery, Hinchinbrook, Quebec.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Chateaugay Historical Society, the Chateaugay American Legion Post 875, or the Chateaugay Fire and Rescue Department.

Cemetery Details

Hillside Cemetery

Hinchinbrook, QC (CA)

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 18. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Chateaugay Funeral Home
36 Church Street
Chateaugay, NY 12920
(518) 497-6781
hwilcox2@twcny.rr.com
<https://www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com/>

Mass of Christian Burial

AUG 19. 1:00 PM (ET)

St. Patrick's Church
132 West Main Street
Chateaugay, NY 12920

Tribute Wall

RW

“ Dear Edith and Family,

We are sorry to learn of Gabe's passing. Our deepest sympathy to you all.

Ron and Grietje Waddell

Ronald Waddell - August 24, 2020 at 11:10 AM

JK

“ Dear Edith & Family,

So very sorry to hear of the passing of Gabe. He has shared many memories with us here at the Tree Farm. Our condolences & prayers are with you at this time.

Dick & Joyce King

Joyce King - August 22, 2020 at 09:07 AM

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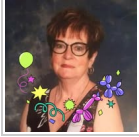
“ Dear Lopardo Famiy, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of the beloved Gabe. Please accept my condolences and prayers. Your family holds a special place in my heart and memories.

Nancy M Montevago - August 21, 2020 at 01:48 PM

PK

“ To Edith & family: So sorry to hear about Gabe's passing. Our deepest sympathies to you and all your family. This is especially sad during this time of self distancing. I am sure your family will pull together during this time and give each other support.

Pat Kosturik - August 21, 2020 at 12:10 PM



“ *My father-in-law, Bob Barr, would not go any other place than Gabe's to have his hair cut - always came home with lotsa stories from the other side - just an amazing, interestering individual.*

Dorothy Winter - August 18, 2020 at 09:56 PM



“ *Dear Edith and family, I was so sorry to read of Gabe's passing in the paper this morning. Driving through Chateaugay will not be the same, I always peeked through his window to see who was sitting in his chair. (Sometimes, it was Gabe himself looking out the world). Sending my heartfelt sympathy. Janet Coryea*

Janet Coryea - August 18, 2020 at 03:23 PM



“ *EDITH AND FAMILY, SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS, HE WAS A GREAT MAN TO DESERVE YOU. BOB RENNIE*

Robert Rennie - August 18, 2020 at 03:09 PM



“ *I am very sorry to hear of Mr. Lopardo's passing. I had the pleasure having my haircut at his shop on a couple of occasions. The stories and conversations are something I will never forget. Great man. May he Rest In Peace.*

Arlie Collins - August 18, 2020 at 12:43 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. I did not know the man, but I heard from many he was one of a kind. Cynthia Vanier*

cynthia vanier - August 18, 2020 at 12:19 PM

JM

“ I am sorry for your loss, my families thoughts and prayers are with your family in this difficult time.



Joe, Katie, Madison, Mya and Jack McComb - August 18, 2020 at 06:35 AM



“ White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of Mr. Gabriel James Lopardo.



August 17, 2020 at 08:09 PM

BS

“ Deepest sympathy to the family of Gabe Lapardo. My Dad always enjoyed his time sitting in the chairswapping stories. All true. It appears St. Peter needed a trim. You will be missed. Bernard Siskavich. Frenchy's son.

Bernard Siskavich - August 17, 2020 at 06:28 PM



“ Classic Sympathy Basket Arrangement was purchased for the family of Mr. Gabriel James Lopardo.



August 17, 2020 at 05:52 PM

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“ Our deepest condolences to Edith, Vicky , Jennifer and all their families, For the past 26 years or so I have had the pleasure to know Gabe thro working at Stevenson's Orchard here in Quebec. He would come over and serve some customers and always had a joke or two to tell them, his smile always won them over. i will miss him but glad that I had the pleasure to have know him. Rest in Peace Gabe .Arlene and Karl Aspelund Athelstan Quebec.

Arlene Aspelund - August 17, 2020 at 05:00 PM

RJ

“ *The man, the legend.*

RJ - August 17, 2020 at 03:36 PM