



Mr. Howard I. LaClair

March 26, 1937 - November 30, 2021

Howard I. LaClair, 84, of County Route 35, Chateaugay died Tuesday, November 30, 2021 at the McClure Miller Respite House in Colchester, VT. Born on March 26, 1937 in Churubusco, NY, he was the son of Isreal and Muriel LaClair.

Howard worked on his family farm for over 60 years before selling it in 2012. He was a communicant of Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Churubusco and St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay.

He is survived by three sisters and three brothers-in-law, Luva McDonald and her husband, Rodney of Norwood, Debbie and Daniel McComb of Churubusco, and Ann and Dale Selkirk of Chateaugay.

He was predeceased by his parents; a sister and brother-in-law, Irma and Phillip Soucia; and a brother, Bernard LaClair.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay on Monday, December 6, 2021 at 11 a.m.

Burial will be held in Immaculate Heart Cemetery, Churubusco.

Cemetery Details

Immaculate Heart Cemetery

Churubusco, NY

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

DEC 6. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

EP

“ My husband and I met Howard when we lived on Lost Nation Rd, Churubusco, back in 1982. We were reminiscing of the good old days living there and were speaking fondly of how Howard lent us his tractor to build a log cabin on our property back then. He also enjoyed giving us a tour of the farm. We will always remember him as a kind, caring, and generous man. We were saddened to hear of his passing. We send our deepest condolences to the family.
Ed and Tina Papa

Ed and Tina Papa - April 21, 2022 at 07:28 PM

DP

“ So sorry to hear of your loss, enjoyed it when we use to come visit with Mom & Dad, when you lived on the farm, always a very Happy Family . Debbie, daughter of Walt and Shirley Loboda

Deborah Perreault - December 07, 2021 at 08:00 AM

RL

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. If I remember correctly, you had a mattress frame swing hanging from a tree in the yard. I always enjoyed visiting the farm with Mom and Dad. Prayers for Howard and your family. Randy Loboda (Shirley and Walt's son.)

Randy Loboda - December 06, 2021 at 06:26 PM

SB

“ Sorry for loss from Therese Burnette and Steven Burnette

Steven Burnette - December 05, 2021 at 11:08 AM

SL

“ Howard loved being a farmer and the beauty, peace, serenity of his farm was great testimony to that. I remember with fond memory visits to the farm and enjoying time with my BFF Deb, Howard’s sister. Chats with Howard back then and to the present always left me going away with a chuckle 🤔 over something he said. Rest In Peace, Howard! My sympathies and love to Deb and Dan, Anne and Dale, Luva and Rod and all the dear nieces and nephews Howard loved so dearly.

Sharon LaFlesh

Sharon LaFlesh - December 04, 2021 at 01:58 PM

DM

Awe Sharon. Thank you for your kind words and for an everlasting friendship with me and my family. Howard was a great brother but more than that he was a good listener, a great story teller and an absolute joy to be around. Rest In Peace my dear brother

Deborah McComb - December 05, 2021 at 01:51 AM

JU

“ Ann and family,

Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. He was a very lucky man to have you Ann, you were so good to him and your home was his home!

May he rest in peace now with no more suffering. ❤️

Dick & Julie Jarvis



Julie - December 04, 2021 at 09:52 AM

KT

“ Howard was a wonderful Christian man who would do anything for he could for Fr. Howard McCasland or my mom at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church. I am so very sorry for the loss of the great man, but just imagine the reunion he is having with Our Lord and family and friends....especially during this time of year. May God Bless All his surviving family members💔

Karen Trombley - December 03, 2021 at 05:14 PM