



David LaMont

January 5, 1941 - January 10, 2011

David LaMont, 70, of Tully, New York, died peacefully at home surrounded by his loving family. Born and raised in Syracuse, New York, David was civic-minded and active in his community. He was a founder of Valley Youth Basketball Association, co-founder of Valley Pony League and was instrumental in keeping Webster Pond forever wild. David also wrote a sports column for The South Side News and sponsored the Valley Bike Team in the Valley Little League. David served on the Onondaga County Legislature in 1971 and he had memberships in the Masonic Temple, Pastimers Athletic Club and has been the chairman of the Conservative Party in the Town of Tully. He was an U. S. Army veteran. He retired from his Dave LaMont Paving Co. in 2007 and resumed golfing which he enjoyed. Surviving are his wife, Virginia Moncada LaMont; daughters, Jennifer Johnson, Christen Mixon, Martine McNerney and Kimberly Vargas; sons, Sean LaMont, William Biggs, David Biggs and Bradley Biggs; 16 grandchildren; brothers, Valmont LaMont, Robert LaMont and Allen LaMont; sisters, Marilyn Van Bramer and Patricia Rogers; several beloved nephews and nieces. Funeral Services will be held Friday, January 14, 2011, 11:00 a.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York 13205. Burial will be in Onondaga Valley Cemetery, 2500 Valley Drive, Syracuse, New York. Calling Hours will be held Thursday, January 13, 2011, 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York 13205. Contributions may be made to Hospice of CNY, 990 Seventh North Street,

Liverpool, NY 13088.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of David LaMont*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - January 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *We were very sorry to hear of Dave's passing. You have our heartfelt condolences and deepest Sympathy.*

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“ *Bob and family,so sorry for your loss. Dave always gave to the youth and that is why some of us are the way we are today and with that I say THANKS. It seemed even if Dave was busy he always had time to fix a bike and make someone happy*

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“ *had many good laughs and good times with david and his wife very well respected man*

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“ Thank-you David for having spent your life with me and for letting me know that you are still with me. Forever.

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time!

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“ Dave LaMont's family:Please accept my condolences on the loss of your husband, father and grand-father.As a Babe Ruth little league coach for my brother, Bill Bradley, Dave was an important adult influence in his life.Also recall, in the early 1960's & with fondness, when Dave owned and ran a sporting goods store, near the Valley Plaza, on South Salina Street.Your sense and feelings of loss must be overwhelming.May your period of grief and bereavement be, mercifully, short.God bless you all.

January 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Jennie, my thoughts are with you. I'm sorry for your lost.

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“ Ginny & family, So sad to hear of your loss. We are in Florida checking paper on line. We would be at calling hours if we could. Hope you are doing okay. think of all of you with fond memories.Phyl & Gerorge

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“ Dave was a wonderful man! Always so kind to me! I will very much miss playing cards with him ! He was always such a jokester! I will miss his jokes about his father (Bob) and we could never beat him and father Bob in card tournaments. He always new how to keep it fun. My heart goes out to his family. He was a wonderful, kind man!

January 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I will miss you Dave..you had a wonderful smile and a contagious laugh.

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“ We have known Dave forever. He was a great guy and very kind person. He cared about his family and his friends. His life was too short and we feel very bad about not being there for his services as we are in Florida. Our thoughts and prayers are with Ginny and all his children and grandchildren and his many family members.

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“ Dave was a great guy. He will be missed by many!! My thoughts and prayers are with all of his family!! God Bless!!

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“ I am going to concentrate on what's important in life. I'm going to strive everyday to be a kind and generous and loving person. I'm going to keep death right here, so that anytime I even think about getting angry at you or anybody else, I'll see death and I'll remember. Diane Frolov and Andrew Schneider, Northern Exposure, Do The Right Thing, 1992

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“ My memories go back to the mid/late 1960s. Bike rides from the south-side of the city down to Dave's Bike Shop on Seneca Turnpike were common. Whether a new inner tube, something glitzy for the wheels or a big expenditure with my earnings (a speedometer), Dave was the helpful expert. I also recall a very long car drive to Plattsburgh with Dave and Bill Hill as our Pony League All-star team traveled for what was for most of us, our first trip away from parents. Very fond memories of a Valley man who cared about the youth in his community. My thoughts and prayers are with his family today.

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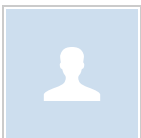
“ I'm Free Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free I'm following the path God has laid you see. I took His hand when I heard him call I turned my back and left it all. I could not stay another day To laugh, to love, to work, to play. Tasks left undone must stay that way I found that peace at the close of day. If my parting has left a void Then fill it with remembered joy. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss Oh yes, these things I too will miss. Be not burdened with times of sorrow I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow. My life's been full, I savored much Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch. Perhaps my time seemed all too brief Don't lengthen it now with undue grief. Lift up your hearts and peace to thee God wanted me now; He set me free.

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“ Life is but a stopping place, A pause in what's to be, A resting place along the road, to sweet eternity. We all have different journeys, Different paths along the way, We all were meant to learn some things, but never meant to stay... Our destination is a place, Far greater than we know. For some the journey's quicker, For some the journey's slow. And when the journey finally ends, We'll claim a great reward, And find an everlasting peace, Together with the lord Author unknown

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“ ALWAYS A FRIEND. READY FOR A ROUND OF GOLF. YOU ARE IN A BETTER PLACE. TELL WE MEET AGAIN. LOVE YOU, LOU & VAUGN

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“ Sean, Sean & Makenzie, Our sympathy is with you over your loss.
We are thinking of you. Love, Aunt Theresa, Aunt Kathy, Uncle Tom

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