



Mr. Carl J. DeLuce

October 9, 1963 - November 15, 2018

Mr. Carl J. DeLuce, 55, of Pittsfield, passed away on November 15, 2018 at Baystate Medical Center. Born in Pittsfield on October 9, 1963, the son of Josephine Corsani DeLuce and the late Carlo DeLuce, he was a 1981 graduate of Taconic High School. He received his Associates degree in Culinary Arts from Johnson & Wales University.

Mr. DeLuce owned and operated the Hot Dog Ranch with partners Craig Benoit and Paul Markland, for the past 14 years. He had also been the Executive Chef at Cranwell Resort for 18 years. Carl had previously been a Sous Chef at the former Hilton Hotel, Executive Sous Chef at Canyon Ranch and also owned the South End Market where he ran a catering business, C & C Catering with close friend Barry Correia.

Carl was an avid sports fan, cheering on all the New England teams. He was especially a Boston Celtics fan, Larry Bird being his all-time favorite player, and a New England Patriots fan. He had the opportunity this past year to fly to a game on the Patriots private jet.

Carl believed in giving back to the community and had been a member of several organizations, including the Elks Lodge, the East Side Men's Club, the Italian American Club and UNICO.

His favorite times were spent with his family and his very close group of friends.

Besides his mother, he is survived by his wife, the former Tracy Muzzy, whom he married on May 26, 1990 at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church; his two

daughters, Sydney DeLuce and Cassie DeLuce; a brother, E. John DeLuce and his wife Sandy and a sister, Yvonne Pannesco and her husband Gerald. Carl also leaves Rich Powell who had become another son to him.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mr. Carl J. DeLuce will be Tuesday, November 20, 2018 with at Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at St. Charles Church, celebrated by the Rev. A. Peter Gregory, Pastor Emeritus. Burial will be at a later date. In keeping with Carl's wishes, there will be no formal calling hours, instead the family will host a time for friends to share memories and to come and go as they please at the Dwyer Funeral Home Monday, November 19, 2018 from 3 to 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Berkshire County Jimmy Fund in care of the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield, MA 01201 in his memory. Please visit www.dwyerfuneral.com to leave condolences and remembrances.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **19**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Dwyer Family Funeral Home
776 North Street
Pittsfield, MA 01201
(413) 442-5094
info@dwyerfuneral.com
<https://www.dwyerfuneral.com/>

Service

NOV **20**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Charles Church
89 Briggs Ave.
Pittsfield, MA 01201
<http://stcharlespittsfield.org/>

Tribute Wall

YP

“ Carl, I was 14 years old when you were born. You were always by my side while mom and dad worked. You brought so much joy into our lives. Watching you grow into a man with a huge heart. You always had a kind word and didn't hesitate to help anyone. I can't imagine my life without you. You will be sadly missed and never forgotten. Rest In Peace little brother. I love you ❤️ Yvonne

yvonne pannesco - November 24, 2018 at 01:03 PM

LD

“ Aunt Josie, Yvonne and Carl, My heart breaks for you. There are no words to express the sadness. I remeber watching saturday morning cartoons after my piano lessons, babysitting on New years Eve while you went to go cook, hanging out at the VFW eating all sorts of delish food. I'm glad I got a chance to visit with Carl at the Hot Dog Ranch while I was home on a visit. May he fly with the angels

Lilla DeLuca - November 20, 2018 at 06:36 PM

AA

“ He was so loved by all, just one of the nicest, sweetest guys there is. Still in shock over his passing, I know he is peaceful and wrapped tightly in his angels arms, there will never be another CHEF!! Much love to his family

Anna Ambrose - November 20, 2018 at 06:05 PM

WB

“ Tracy, my thoughts and prayers go out to you and the girls. We will miss him at the beach and hope to see you there again this next summer. God Bless

Wayne Billman - November 19, 2018 at 07:05 PM

RC

“ Aunt Josie, Yvonne and Johnny and family, so sorry for your loss, it is heart breaking. You are in my thoughts and prayers. I am so glad I got a chance to see Carl at my reunion and my mothers service. I enjoyed the pictures so much.

Love,

Rosemary DeLuca Counts

Rosemary COUNTS - November 19, 2018 at 04:30 PM



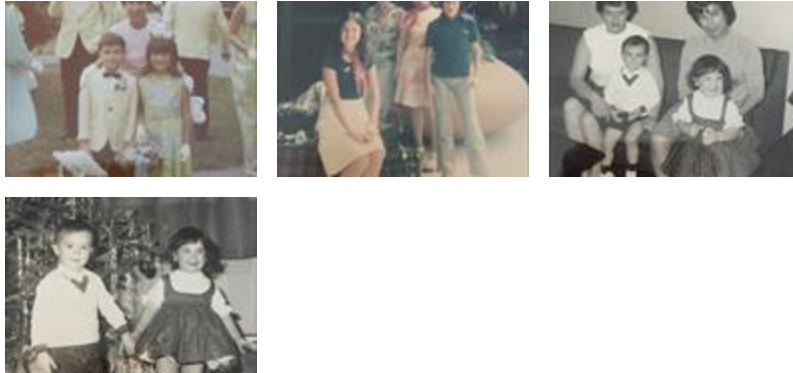
“ 57 files added to the album Life Tributes



Dwyer Funeral Home Inc. - November 19, 2018 at 12:52 PM

EF

“ 4 files added to the album Memories Album



Elizabeth Fick - November 19, 2018 at 11:13 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mr. Carl J. DeLuce.



November 19, 2018 at 11:10 AM

AV

“ Tracy and Family:

My sincere sympathy to you and your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you,

Ann Veinotte

ann veinotte - November 19, 2018 at 07:23 AM

Joyce Slater

“ *To Carl's family*

It is heartbreaking to say good bye to your wonderful son, brother, husband, and Dad. Carl was so special. He was an amazing guy who loved life. He was such a hard worker. I will always remember, fondly, working with him and Barry. He has made such an impact in Berkshire County and beyond. May God wrap his arms around him, and protect and bless your family in your time of need.

Love Joyce Slater

Joyce Slater - November 19, 2018 at 06:28 AM

JU

“ *Judi lit a candle in memory of Mr. Carl J. DeLuce*



judi - November 18, 2018 at 04:35 PM

LB

“ *Tracy , I feel your pain. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this very difficult time.*

linda bonacquisti - November 18, 2018 at 01:20 PM



“ John and I would like to share our love for Carl he was the 1st friends along with Tracy Cassie and Sydney we met when visiting Rich , we have spent so many happy hours with him and the girls they became our extended family. I thank Carl from the bottom of our hearts for taking Rich into his family, Carl became a second dad to him .John said he couldn't have wished for a better chap to fulfil the roll in America we thank you we had the best time at Rich and Sarah's Wedding with him and thank you so much for what you did for them . Sleep tight our friend love you so much John and Rhonda
xxx

Rhonda Powell - November 18, 2018 at 12:49 PM

AH

“ Dear Sydney, Memories are extremely important at this time and I am sure you have many stored; keep them alive. We shared many laughs when He was Cranwell's wonderful chef. Please accept my deepest sympathy and if you need anything, please call me. Love to you and your family. May he rest in peace!!!
Love,
Arlene

Arlene Herrick - November 18, 2018 at 12:03 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mr. Carl J. DeLuce.



November 18, 2018 at 08:49 AM



“ I remember many a Saturday or Sunday hanging out at the V.F.W. while his mom and dad were always cooking something delicious. I was witness to where his love of cooking came from. When the sun goes, and the band won't play. I always will remember us this way....

William Todd - November 17, 2018 at 09:27 PM



“ To the DeLuce Family..It is with great sadness that we say goodbye to Carl..He and my son Barry had struck up a bond that likened to one of brothers..He will be missed by all of our family for he became Barry's other brother and a member of our family..May he rest in eternal Peace!! Mrs. Stephanie Correia and family

Stephanie Correia - November 17, 2018 at 08:15 PM



“ Brenda Potter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Carl J. DeLuce



Brenda Potter - November 17, 2018 at 07:19 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Carl J. DeLuce.



November 17, 2018 at 06:11 PM

RB

“ *Please accept my condolences. I enjoyed the fall afternoons having Carl make our football practices so enjoyable at Crosby.* ”

Rick Backer - November 17, 2018 at 05:06 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Carl J. DeLuce.* ”



November 17, 2018 at 04:32 PM