



Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr.

September 5, 1938 - April 22, 2015

Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr., 76, of 59 Meadow Dr., Dalton, passed away early Wednesday morning, April 22, 2015 at Berkshire Medical Center. Born on September 5, 1938 the son of Lawrence and Carmen Pignone Buffi he was a 1957 graduate of Pittsfield High School.

Mr. Buffi was an MP in the US Army; entering the service in May of 1958 and receiving his honorable discharge in 1961.

He was a communicant of St. Charles Church.

Larry was an avid sports fan, following all New England professional sports teams. He was a longtime coach of the Pittsfield Pop Warner Football program.

Mr. Buffi worked for Kelly-Dietrich Wholesale Beverage Distributors for 15 years and later in the Maintenance Department at Hillcrest Educational Center, retiring in 2006.

Larry was a loving family man, cherishing his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren as well as many foster children. He and his wife, Christine, were honored to receive the Foster Parents of the Year Award in 1983, which was presented by Governor Michael S. Dukakis.

He is survived by his wife, the former Christine Doyle, whom he married in October of 1968 in Pittsfield. He is also survived by his eight children, Frank Buffi, Matthew Buffi, Courtney Buffi and Christina Buffi all of Dalton, Eileen Vickery of Pittsfield, Julie Stowers of TN, Kim Johns and her husband Tony of

Pittsfield and Cara Doty of Schenectady, NY; grandchildren, Kari Schulz of Phoenix, AZ, Joseph Terra also of Phoenix, AZ, Kristin Cantu of Pittsfield, Joshua Johns, Nicole Johns and Brandon Johns all of Pittsfield, Andrew Stowers and Tyler Stowers both of TN, Briane Buffi, Dominique Doty and Anthony Doty of Schenectady, NY and 11 great grandchildren. He also leaves an Aunt, Nancy Frangipane and his sister in laws, Mary Lou Murphy and Beverly Doyle He was predeceased by a daughter, Amanda Buffi, who passed away on March 9, 2011, a grandson, Brett Cantu in 1989 and a brother in law, Gerald S. Doyle Sr. in August of 1998.

Larry's family would like to thank the staff at renal dialysis at BMC for taking such good care of him during his prolonged illness.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi will take place on Wednesday, April 29, 2015 at 9 a.m. from the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield MA, with a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at St. Charles Church, celebrated by the Rev. A. Peter Gregory, pastor and Deacon Robert Esposito. Burial with full military honors will follow in St. Joseph Cemetery. Calling hours at the funeral home will be Tuesday, April 28, 2015 from 4 to 7 p.m. If friends desire, donations may be made to Berkshire County ARC care of the Dwyer Funeral Home in his memory. DONATIONS CANNOT BE MADE ONLINE, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery

222 Peck's Rd.
Pittsfield, MA 01201

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 28. 4:00 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

APR 29. 10:00 AM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Well Matthew's with u now*

TinaBean Buffi - September 25, 2021 at 01:24 PM



“ *I can't believe you're first anniversary is coming up soon*

Tina Buffi - March 28, 2016 at 11:18 AM



“ *Christina Buffi lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr.*



Christina Buffi - November 03, 2015 at 07:18 AM



“ *Haven't said much in awhile but i miss you. Im going through some things right now but i know you're looking down at me giving me the strength i need. i love you grandpa 4~22~15 🙏❤️*

brianne buffi - June 18, 2015 at 04:50 PM



“ *im going through some hard times right now grandpa but ive been praying and i hope youve heard me talking to you..ik your looking diwn at me giving the strength i need right now to get through my problems 🙏 i love you grandpa 4-22-15 🙏🙏🙏❤️*

brianne buffi - June 03, 2015 at 06:34 PM

BB

“ Thought alot about you alot today Grandpa..I miss you 😞 ..I always have you on my mind these days💔💔 i miss you though more then ever..hope you and Amanda both found your way to eachother up there and you both are at peace

brianne buffi - May 22, 2015 at 04:29 PM

CB

“ Rest in peace dad I ll miss u

christina buffi - May 19, 2015 at 11:39 AM



“ Chris,
My heart breaks for you and your family. I am so sorry I am just learning of this today. I would have preferred to come and pay my respects in person, give you a hug and share my faith that he is most definitely in a better place, free of pain, worry and illness. He will always be with you in your heart and in your lifetime of memories.

Love,
Erica Casey



Erica Casey - May 02, 2015 at 12:12 AM

BB

“ The services Grandma put together for you were great grandpa even though everyone was really upset that your gone everyone was happy as well that your finally at peace.. i love you💔 ill be sure to come visit you and always have you in my mind and heart

brianne buffi - April 30, 2015 at 06:22 PM

KS

“ *Kari Schultz purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr..*



Kari Schultz - April 28, 2015 at 12:08 PM

FE

“ *Faith Takes and your colleagues at Mildred Elley purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr..*



Faith Takes and your colleagues at Mildred Elley - April 28, 2015 at 11:41 AM

BB

“ *Brianne Buffi sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr.*



brianne buffi - April 27, 2015 at 07:08 PM

BB

“ *Brianne Buffi lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr.*



brianne buffi - April 27, 2015 at 07:02 PM

BB

“ rest in peace Grandpa ❤️🙏🙏🙏❤️



brianne buffi - April 27, 2015 at 07:01 PM

JS

“ Joanie Sigoski sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr.



Joanie Sigoski - April 26, 2015 at 01:20 PM

JS

“ Larry was the most giving man I have ever known. He was my sons godfather and was always there for me like a father. I danced with him at my wedding to wind beneath my wings...a memory I will hold dearly in my heart forever. I love and will miss him desperately

Joanie Sigoski - April 26, 2015 at 08:04 AM

RW

“ Robert And Bonnie Wixsom lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr.



Robert and Bonnie Wixsom - April 25, 2015 at 05:36 PM

GP

“ Gary Perugini lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr.



Gary Perugini - April 25, 2015 at 03:45 PM



“ Lou Pro lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lawrence F. Buffi Jr.



Lou Pro - April 25, 2015 at 02:56 PM

LP

“ Larry was the best cousin anyone could ask for. I remember spending Saturday evenings at his home watching wrestling with his Mom, Aunt Carmela. She'd holler and make fighting gestures just like the wrestlers. It was a laugh a minute watching her and the program. Larry is a person that everyone loved and he made everyone's life better for having him as a friend or relative. A awesome father, grandfather and husband. Larry and my late brother Butch were a crazy team. Trips to Walmart, Morningside bakery for "dognuts", or as we know them to be doughnuts, and riding around in Butch's T Bucket car. Laughing all the way. Yes, they will both be missed, but maybe they are up there "laughing" as they did here. Chris and Family, my deepest, sadest thoughts are with you.

Louise Procopio

Louise Procopio - April 25, 2015 at 02:53 PM