



Mr. Raymond B. Kavey Sr.

November 16, 1928 - October 12, 2014

Mr. Raymond B. Kavey Sr., 85, of 125 Crane Ave., passed away Sunday, October 12, 2014 at Berkshire Medical Center. Born in Pittsfield on November 16, 1928 the son of Martin J. and Emily Brombach Kavey, he was a 1946 graduate of St. Joseph High School. He continued his education at the former North Adams State College where he earned a Master's Degree in Education. Mr. Kavey was a US Army Veteran of WWII.

He worked for 37 years in the Lee public school system as a Principal and Teacher.

Ray was a lifelong resident of Pittsfield and a Communicant of St. Charles Church.

He was predeceased by his wife Marion, whom he married on May 5, 1951. She died on November 30, 2012. He is survived by his four children, Raymond B. Kavey Jr., Thomas W. Kavey, William M. Kavey and Peter F. Kavey as well as many grandchildren and great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his son James R. Kavey who passed away earlier this year on June 13, 2014.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mr. Raymond B. Kavey Sr. will be Thursday, October 16, 2014 at 6:30 p.m. at the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield with the Rev. A. Peter Gregory, pastor of St. Charles Church, officiating. Burial with full military honors will be private. Calling hours at the funeral home will be Thursday evening, prior to the service from 4 to 6:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers,

donations may be made to St. Charles Church, care of the Dwyer Funeral Home, in his memory. DONATIONS CANNOT BE MADE ONLINE, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **16**. 4:00 PM - 6:30 PM (ET)

Dwyer Family Funeral Home
776 North Street
Pittsfield, MA 01201
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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Raymond B. Kavey Sr..*



October 15, 2014 at 07:19 PM



“ *Carolyn and I wish to extend our deepest sympathy to the Kavey family. We had the privilege of knowing Ray not only as an educator but also as a friend. Rays moral and ethical guidance enhanced the education and growth of the students of Lee.Mr. Kavey also exhibited respect for his faculty and staff and we in turn did strive to achieve the high expectations that he deserved.. Ray was a caring mentor who created a fine learning and familial atmosphere for all to share. He was an exemplary educator, principal, and human being. Ray will be missed by all. With sincere sympathy, Edward and Carolyn Markowski*

Ed and Carolyn Markowski - October 14, 2014 at 08:24 PM



“ *Donald Lesure, Melissa Robitaille, Jerry LaBerteaux purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Mr. Raymond B. Kavey Sr..*



Donald Lesure, Melissa Robitaille, Jerry LaBerteaux -
October 14, 2014 at 06:29 PM

BW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Mr. Kavey was my principal at Lee Central School while I was growing up. He was always a very fair person and if you needed to talk to him he always made time for you. I will always remember what a kind and caring person he was. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely

Bernadette Williams

Bernadette Williams - October 14, 2014 at 05:27 AM

JW

“ To the Kavey Family, My name is Janet Pompe Warner. Mr. Kavey was my principal when I was a little girl growing up in Lee, Ma. in the 1960's. He then became my first boss as I became one of the physical education teachers at Lee Central School in the 1980's. I currently teach in Lee at the new school. I am writing to tell you that I have thought of Mr. Kavey many times through my years of teaching and would like you to know he was a very kind, fair, and professional man. He was very well thought of by Ed Markowski, Beth Taylor and Rosalie McCollum, whom I have great respect for, as well. Please know you are all in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Mr. Kavey was a class act. Sincerely, Janet Warner

Janet Warner - October 14, 2014 at 05:06 AM