



Mr. Timothy "Timmy" Byrnes

November 11, 1960 - December 20, 2019

Timothy "Timmy" J. Byrnes, 59, of Lenox, passed away Friday, December 20, 2019. Born in Pittsfield on November 11, 1960, son of the late Claire A. and George L. Byrnes., he was a 1979 graduate of Lenox Memorial High School. Timmy was an inventor and an entrepreneur. He owned and operated Byrnes Vending for 40 years. As he would say, the best part of the job was the opportunity to travel to different cities around the country. Whenever possible, he would have his daughters as copilots.

Over the past several years, Timmy has found great joy in watching his great nephew, Colby LeBarnes of Pittsfield, grow into a rising basketball star. His love of country music was passed down to his daughters. He finished every night with a bowl of butter pecan ice cream. He loved the Mets, the Patriots, rounds of golf and anything NASCAR. Most of all, he loved sharing these passions with his family.

Timmy loved meeting new people. He was known for his dry sense of humor, his quick wit and clever comebacks. Timmy would tell his friends and family to remember the laughter and adventures, as there was never a dull moment.

Mr. Byrnes leaves behind his wife of 33 years, Colleen Byrnes of Pittsfield; three daughters, Samantha Byrnes and her Fiancé Justin Reed of Virginia Beach, VA, Cassandra Byrnes and her Fiancé Smith Cope of Pittsfield; and Danielle Roberts of Philadelphia, PA; Mother and father in law Gloria & Thomas Driscoll of Pittsfield; sister in law Sharon LeBarnes of Pittsfield, 3 brothers, Lawrence "Larry" Byrnes of Columbia, CT : Thomas "Tommy"

Byrnes of Ashville; and William “Billy” Byrnes of Thialand;3 sisters, Elizabeth “Betsy” Viator of Scottsdale, AZ, Patricia “Patti”and spouse Barbra Byrnes of Orange; and Mary Michel of Palm Bay, FL. He also leaves behind his nieces and nephews.

FUNERAL NOTICE:

Funeral services for Timothy “Timmy” J. Byrnes will be held on Friday, December 27, at 12 noon at the Dwyer Funeral Home with the Rev. Bill Furey officiating. There will be an hour of visitation at the funeral home prior to the service, from 11 a.m. until 12 noon. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Berkshire Humane Society in care of the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North Street, Pittsfield, MA 01201, in his memory. Donations CANNOT be made online, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Service

DEC 27. 12:00 AM (ET)

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

Visitation

DEC 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SB

“ I was so sad to hear of Timmy’s passing. I remember him as a charming young man with a dry sense of humor and such a sweet nature. My sympathies to Colleen and family for the loss of Timmy so early. It really does seem way too soon. May you remember your joys but move forward with peace and hope for the future.

Sally Byrnes - January 02, 2020 at 10:28 PM

RJ

“ *Byrnes Family:*

Sorry for your loss. Although we both moved on with our lives after age 18 or so, I am saddened by the news of a great guy taken way too soon.

Tim took me in as a friend when I had none and was a great guy to spend time with. He helped me to get a job at both Candlelight Inn and Rolling Hills although I was not a great worker by most measurements. I count him as a great friend when I needed one the most.

RIP Tulip.

Rich Jenssen

Richard Jenssen - December 26, 2019 at 08:49 PM



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Dwyer Funeral Home Inc. - December 26, 2019 at 11:33 AM



“ 14 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Dwyer Funeral Home Inc. - December 26, 2019 at 10:14 AM



“ *May you Rest In Peace my friend - I will cherish our fun times together and remember your warm smile, generosity, and sense of humor. My condolences and deepest sympathy to the entire family - I will pray for your comfort during this time of sorrow and for Tim's soul.*

Bill New - December 26, 2019 at 09:27 AM



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Dwyer Funeral Home Inc. - December 26, 2019 at 09:14 AM

JD

“ *My deepest sympathies to Colleen, the girls, and all the Byrnes family. I am deeply saddened. Tim has been one of my best friends for the last 40 plus years. I haven't seen Tim in a few years, but we've communicated just about weekly. He will be greatly missed.*

Jim Duggan

Jim Duggan - December 26, 2019 at 05:21 AM

FB

“ *From Jason , Wendy , and Brandon Bernier purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Mr. Timothy "Timmy" Byrnes.*



From Jason , Wendy , and Brandon Bernier - December 25, 2019 at 08:27 PM

JD

“ My deepest sympathies to Colleen, the girls, and all the Byrnes family. I am deeply saddened. Tim Has been one of my best friends for 40 plus years. Even though I hadn't seen Tim in a few years, we communicate almost weekly. He will be greatly missed by many

Jim Duggan

Jim Duggan - December 25, 2019 at 06:08 PM

BL

“ Bill, Mary, Tommy, Patti, Betsy and Larry purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Timothy "Timmy" Byrnes.



Bill, Mary, Tommy, Patti, Betsy and Larry - December 25, 2019 at 05:07 PM

EL

“ Elizabeth sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Timothy "Timmy" Byrnes



Elizabeth - December 25, 2019 at 01:22 PM

EL

Tim will be sorely missed.....his funny expressions and witty comebacks always made me laugh! Rest in peace, Tim. May you watch your beloved Mets from above....as you would probably say, "Good seat! I can see everything!"

Elizabeth - December 25, 2019 at 01:24 PM

JD

“ My deepest sympathies to Colleen, the girls, and all the Byrnes family. I am deeply saddened. Tim has been one of my best friends for the last 40 plus years. Even though I haven't seen Tim in about 8 years, we communicated almost weekly. I will always remember his laughter and quick wit. He will be greatly missed by many.

Jim Duggan

Jim Duggan - December 25, 2019 at 12:28 PM

MB

“ My condolences to the Byrnes family. Tim was always upbeat when our paths crossed, whether it was at Lebanon Valley Speedway, some vending machine he was servicing or out for drinks somewhere. He will truly be missed by so many.

Mark Babbitt - December 24, 2019 at 08:37 AM

PB

“ What can I say about Tim. He was number six in our large family as a youngster he would always go with me to the store and afterwards we would go to Woolworths for a root beer float. He loved his cream. He was funny and loved the NY Mets, when some of us were Red Sox fans, always a great discuss at family gatherings. He will be missed by his siblings and his wife and daughters.



Patti Byrnes - December 23, 2019 at 09:09 PM