



Lawrence J. Gross Sr.

March 1, 2017

Lawrence J. Gross passed away peacefully on Wednesday afternoon March 1, 2017 holding his wife Leslie's hand by his side. Lawrence was 47 years old, and was battling pancreatic cancer for 7 months. He is survived by his wife Leslie A Gross (nee Hamburger) of 24 years, his father Kenneth J Gross, his children Lawrence J Gross Jr., Laura A Gross, Michael J Gross and Anna M Gross. Also survived by his 3 grandchildren Alexander, Jazmine (Moriah) and Daniel Velazquez Gross. Further survived by his brother Timothy P Gross, cousin Timothy St. Peter and many other family and friends. Lawrence was a recycler and had just completed a course in locksmithing. He had many interests and hobbies including: coins, stamps, sports cards, magazines, comic book collecting, crossword puzzles, watching barbecue/smoke cooking shows on Create TV And DIY channels and enjoyed completing many home improvement jobs in the past. Lawrence loved his family dearly and will be greatly missed by family and friends. God rest his soul. He is finally free of pain and at peace.

Memorial Visitation on Friday, March 10 at Rozga Funeral Home from 2:00-4:00 PM.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

MAR **10**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Rozga Funeral & Cremation Services - Lincoln Village Chapel

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Tribute Wall

EL

“ I remember when we use to talk and I made you laugh and I loved u because I are the grandfather of our child and it hurt to see u go like that you were a good man Larry and may God rest your soul and I pray for you and our families everyday. So does Laura I'm sad seeing her like shes been.



Eliacin - March 13, 2017 at 03:04 PM

EL

I meant u are the grandfather of our child

Eliacin - March 13, 2017 at 03:05 PM

PL

“ My family and I would like to thank everyone that attended my father's funeral. Just try not to be strangers we love you all very much and appreciate you

Pandora Lurrett - March 13, 2017 at 02:48 PM

LG

“ A picture of me and Daddy Xmas 2006 we had a little to drink but see I love u so much Daddy



Laura Gross - March 09, 2017 at 12:18 AM

LG

And to mention like I did a billion times before I miss the heck out of u lol u really didn't like Jose cuz that's who took the pic lol that's why I looked like that miss that expression

Laura Gross - March 09, 2017 at 12:20 AM



Miss you so much Daddy u have no idea I had to cry out side I have too much pride like u to let people see me cry i don't know

Pandora Lurrett - March 11, 2017 at 12:37 AM

AK

“ Words seem inadequate to express the sadness we feel about Larry's death. We are here to support you in your grieving process. With sincere sympathy, Duke, Amanda and kids

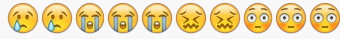
Amanda Kusba - March 07, 2017 at 05:56 PM

LG

“ Today would have been our 24 th wedding anniversary. 😞 He passed just 5 days before our special day. We were together a little over 31 years all together, 31 beautiful years, married almost for 24 I couldn't have asked for a better man to be with or family either, LOVE is what our family was all about. He will always be in my heart forever! ❤️

Leslie Gross - March 06, 2017 at 03:44 AM

LG



Dito I know and the sad part is it was also 7 days before his baby's birthday the baby out of us Anna and it breaks my heart for you Mami I love you and u know me and Lee and Danny are here always Larry Mike and Anna and Gilbert are always here to be with u and we all love u and dad so much but now we all have to think daddy isn't in no more stinking dirty a,, pain no more and he's with grandma and aunty Mary and they are happy. Just know I will do my damnest to keep our family safe everyone. Love you Daddy and miss you so much and I love you Mami. 🙏 🙏

Laura Gross - March 07, 2017 at 12:24 AM

LG

Thank you sweetie,I love all of you so much!❤️

Leslie Gross - March 07, 2017 at 05:07 AM

LG

Mami I still miss daddy so bad it hurts like it was yesterday my god when is this pain gonna go away so we can breath easy again and not be hurting so bad

Laura Gross - April 27, 2017 at 12:56 PM

MI

“ Man of a few words to many except those you were close to. Could always keep the family entertained with stories of your unique (sometimes difficult) life. You have been through a lot, and the only thing anyone can conclude is that life is not fair. It certainly isnt fair that we lose an honest, loyal, goofball, and caring man such as yourself. We are all proud of you for completing the locksmithing course and staying by our side since day 1. Us kids are also creating our own story with a lot of struggle but you taught us to keep fighting. You are the king at fighting through pain, stress, sadness, and the other cruelty thrown at you.

i love you dad. I wish you hadnt left us but if it meant escaping the agony faced every second of every day without a possible end, then i have no other option but to support it. But we all hold an empty spot in our heart that we will try to fill with memories of you instead. You will never be forgotten. Rest assured that you left a family that was proud of you and loved you, and we will all work on making you proud of us. You never broke your promises, neither will I.



michael - March 05, 2017 at 08:53 AM



Mikey u said it better then any of us cod have put it thank u

Pandora Lurrett - March 05, 2017 at 06:11 PM

LG

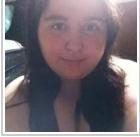
Yes, very nice words all heart fully meant too! Love you kids so much !

Leslie Gross - March 07, 2017 at 05:10 AM

PL

Mikey we love u too I mean u know i think dad would like for us to forget those had things that had happened or will happen and stick together I'm facing a problem but I will over come it very soon. I will make dad proud of me again. But now you have to be the same and know no matter how much we fought I love u you are my baby brother at the end of the day. Let's make amends for moms sake. So she can be a little happier.

Pandora Lurrett - March 13, 2017 at 02:55 PM



“ *In a loving memory of my loving father Larry Gross Sr. My father was the best man anyone can ever get along with and get close to. He was a great father and very loving and also very protective. He would give one of the best advice and very memorable. Taking his words as consideration made me think about life and how learning from him can encourage me to go further and fight harder. Ive achieved alot because of him. He was always there for me and my family and would do all his might to be there for us and fight for what's right. I've always admired his hard side and stubbornness made me learn that there's time you have to be stubborn and hard. Ive wouldnt asked for a better father. He was part of a life force everyone's life force and great energy we all have and our strength. Im never going to give up for anything because of him. Ill always remember him and all the great things I've valued dearly. I'm going to miss you so much dad. Ill always keep you in my heart and keep you as my guide. I know you'll be watching over us. Ill do my best to give my all and make you happy. I know you'll be a happy grandpa to my child. I want to show you how great of a mommy I can be to once the little ones born. Im going to name my little boy if I have a boy after you. Ill teach him good things tell him all about you. I know he would love you or if I have a little girl she would love you. I just hope you are in peace. I love you so much. Its going to be hard not having you around but I know we all will be ok. We will use the strength, courage, and wisdom you've given us. In the meantime Ill make sure mom and grandpa is ok and will always help them. I love you so much. RIP.*

Anna Gross

Anna Gross - March 04, 2017 at 07:49 PM

LG

Aw baby sis we will we have his gifts of protection and making sure things are right for everyone dearest out family is all we got always remember that I'm always here for everyone

Laura Gross - March 07, 2017 at 12:35 AM

 LG

Very nice heartfelt words! Love you kids so much!❤️

Leslie Gross - March 07, 2017 at 05:13 AM

 LG

“ *My dad was always there he would sacrifice everything to make us happy.*

Lawrence Gross - March 04, 2017 at 07:43 PM

 LG

Very true! Always there for all of us! Very heartfelt memory of dad! Love you kids so much!❤️

Leslie Gross - March 07, 2017 at 05:16 AM



“ *I want u to know that we all love u and I was just a dumb hard headed kid but your words will always be in my memory while I raise my son I will keep an eye on mom and grandpa and everyone for you like I agreed to do along time ago but just know I will do my damnest to keep our family safe like you did. Love you Daddy and Danny and Lee we all love u and going to miss the heck outta I love Laura*

Pandora Lurrett - March 04, 2017 at 05:50 PM



Aka ur Twin lol

Pandora Lurrett - March 04, 2017 at 05:50 PM

 LG

Daddy Anna and Michael said for me the rest of what I wanted to say u had the will power of a God and that is why we are the way we are especially me Anna and Michael

Laura Gross - March 07, 2017 at 12:38 AM

TP

“ In loving memory of my cousin Larry from cousin Timmy. Firstly it must be said that Larry's Mother Nancy, Ken Gross too always treated me very, very, nice. My Mother Eileen, Ken's sister from Gladstone Michigan visited Nancy and Ken often. Secondly, our Grandfather Lawrence Gross the best man you could ever meet died in 1967, 3 years before Larry was born. However, our Grandmother Myrtle was able many times to hold in her arms both Maryann and Larry before she passed away in 1980. To Larry's children. Tell your children that their great, great, Grandparents first date was when they road together to Escanaba in a horse and buggy 7 miles there, and 7 miles back, and the horse went, poop all the way there and back. They both laughed telling this story. And tell them Lawrence Gross was the night watchman at the paper mill in Escanaba and that he was in World War 1 in the Army, and he had the coolest car in Gladstone a blackj 1955 Chevy with a huge hand operated spotlight on the drivers side that he really liked. What we all will miss the most is Larry's laughter. Sincerely yours Timothy Paul St. Peter.

Timothy St. Peter - March 04, 2017 at 05:19 PM



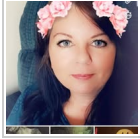
Aw I remember u telling us that when we were lil everyone will still have dad's laughter thru me just like aunty Mary

Pandora Lurrett - March 04, 2017 at 05:44 PM

LG

Very nice memories! Thank you!

Leslie Gross - March 07, 2017 at 05:23 AM



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Cynthia Kusba - March 04, 2017 at 03:21 PM



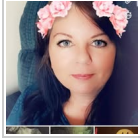
Remember this a paper plate that read my friend Larry here wants to be a shrimp boat captain I made one and imma put it up for out inside joke

Pandora Lurrett - March 04, 2017 at 05:21 PM



Larry was a handsome strong man I respect him for his strength and abilities. He will be sorely miss and I send my deepest condolences to you and your sister Leslie and the rest of the Gross family. I will pray for you all.

Eliacin - March 13, 2017 at 03:08 PM



“ *Larry, I could not have asked for a better brother in law. The love and compassion you and Leslie shared, one could only hope for. You have given my sister the best years of her life and four wonderful children. You were a great husband, father and friend. I have known you for 35 years, since Kozy middle school. You were caring and thoughtful always thinking of others, and ready to lend a helping hand and not wanting anything in return, your heart was always in the right place. I will miss my cheering buddy whenever I hear George Carlin. And when I watching Forest Gump, I will miss my shrimp boat captain.*

Cynthia Kusba - March 04, 2017 at 03:13 PM

LG

Very heartfelt memories! Love you so much!❤️

Leslie Gross - March 07, 2017 at 05:18 AM