



Bernard P. DeCastro

February 7, 2017

Mr. DeCastro was born in the Charlestown neighborhood of Boston, July 3, 1922, the son of Joseph and Elizabeth DeCastro and resided in Arlington and Nashua, NH before moving to Townsend five years ago.

For over 30 years, Mr. DeCastro worked as a baker, then in the maintenance department of Continental Baking Company, which was located in Natick at the time.

He leaves two daughters, Linda M. Giardina with whom he resided in Townsend, Kathleen E. Chase of Moultonborough, NH; two son-in-laws John Giardina, John Chase; five grandchildren, Melissa Reyes, Jessica Lindof, Christopher Giardina, Carrie Medeiros, Meghan Chase; six great grandchildren, Christian Conde, Wesley Giardina, Myles Medeiros, Norah Medeiros, Brayden Lindof and Sienna Rose Giardina.

He was the brother of the late Joseph DeCastro of Waltham and Anita Minor of California.

Mr. DeCastro served his country in the United States Army during both WWII and the Korean Conflict. Many years ago, Mr. Decastro coached the girl's basketball team at the Immaculate Conception School in Cambridge. More recently, Mr. DeCastro enjoyed dancing, walking and spending time with his family. He also enjoyed watching all sports, particularly, the Boston Celtics.

Tribute Wall

MH

“ Dear Linda and family,

I am so sorry to hear about your Dad's passing. May this time of sorry be soon replaced with joyful memories.

*My thoughts and prayers are with you. May he rest in peace.
God Bless.*

Mary-Flora

Mary-Flora Hale - February 14, 2017 at 12:21 PM

GW

“ *Kathy and Jack and family - we are sorry for your loss. We hope that the memories that you have will help you through this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. The Williams family*

Glen and Theresa Williams - February 12, 2017 at 10:31 PM

JM

“ *Linda & Kathy and family:*

Our thoughts and prayers are with you during these sad days. Your dad was such a delight to know. What a treasure you have lost.

Dan & Jo

Joanne Minor-Casey - February 12, 2017 at 03:53 PM

PP

“ *Linda, Kathy and Family
we are so sorry to hear about the loss of your father.
He was a wonderful man and we are honored to have known him.*

Peter & Judy Powers - February 12, 2017 at 03:42 PM

JM

“ Linda, just read this. Both your parents were such great people. Glad they are together now. My heart goes out to you, your sister and your families.

Joanne Mikol - February 12, 2017 at 10:00 AM

LL

“ X Linda,

I'm so sorry to hear about your father. I enjoyed meeting him and your Mom at your home. You could talk to him like you had been the best of friends for years. He was a good man. He is at peace now and with your Mom.

My condolences to your family.

Debbie

Leslie & Debbie Lill - February 12, 2017 at 09:41 AM

DG

“ Dear Kathy,

My love and prayers to your family during this time of loss. I am blessed to have known your dad!

My sincere condolences,

Deanna

Deanna Grenier-Mullins - February 11, 2017 at 06:51 PM

MC

“ Linda, I'm so sorry to hear about your dad. You and your family have taken such good care of him. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Maribeth conrad - February 11, 2017 at 06:23 PM

MH

“ Kathy, Jack, Linda et al

*My deepest condolences on the loss of your Dad. He was the best. I jitterbugged with him at his 80th! He was a sweetheart. How appropriate his funeral should be on Valentines Day. Love to all
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Marie Ford Hamblin - February 11, 2017 at 06:19 PM

TD

“ Linda and Kathy, we are so sorry to hear about your dad. He will truly be missed. We had very fond memories of him, especially his Italian bread. God bless all of you.

Tom and Peggy DeRoche - February 11, 2017 at 03:52 PM

DS

“ Kathy,
*I'm so sorry for the loss of your beloved Dad.
I thought the world of both he and your mom.
May they Rest In Peace together once again.
You are in my thoughts and prayers at this time.*

Diane Seery - February 11, 2017 at 02:26 PM

GC

“ *Every memory we have of you Uncle Bernie is filled with love, love of sports, and especially dancing! Most of all, how much you loved your wife and kids!! We will miss you but know you must be happy with Auntie Peggy at your side again!*

George and Jeannie Climo - February 11, 2017 at 01:44 PM

LP

“ *The fun filled memories at Pushaw lake. Loved listening to Uncle Bernie, Aunt Peggy, and my Mom and Dad laughing about old times. One of my funniest memories of my beloved Uncle Whenever I visited my highlight of the trip was when he would take Kathy and I for a drive in downtown Boston to see the "hookers" on the corners. That amazed this country girl. LOL! Afterwards he took Kathy and I to Friendlies for ice cream! I love you Uncle Bernie. You will be missed!*

Leanna Plucker - February 11, 2017 at 01:32 PM

MD

“ *What a great and funny man! We had the pleasure of spending time with Bernie during softball and basketball seasons. Many fond memories and wonderful times
Prayers and special thoughts at this time for Kathy and family.*

Marge Drew and Walter Drew - February 11, 2017 at 12:06 PM

FC

“ *A great, great man. Devoted family man as well. Always fun to be around. Thank you Bernie for "being you".*

Fred chase - February 11, 2017 at 09:02 AM