

Linden McKinley HS





Comments and Observations

Who were your *class clowns*, and what did they do that was so funny? I would submit my '60 class clowns were Bob Ventresca and Chuck Fulton ... If you scrutinize Mr Yingling's 10B Room 150 '60 yearbook photo, you'll find seniors Bob, Chuck, and Bill Lowry in the picture ... And the yearbook staff even got their names right in the caption ... Bob's zany antics over the course of his life are legendary; e.g. he joined the Army on a dare ...

LM Trivia Pursuit

A certain '60 classmate auditioned for the boys' commencement speaker slot in open tryouts ... The faculty selection committee judged his speech the best, but Principal Francis Henning vetoed their choice because she deemed it too "socialistic": the winner just asserted that in the future teams and groups of people would have more of an impact on society than individuals ... Who was this prescient classmate?

Last Month's Question: *What LM grad did missionary work in Albania? Ruby McDonald Van Meter '60 ...*



Go, Panthers

Link Du Jour

Click on link: "Gimme Gimme Good Lovin'"

In Memoriam



David D. Cassan



View memory board

Share a memory, offer a condolence



Plant a tree

Give to a forest in need in their memory

David D. Cassan, age 79 of Dublin, Ohio, passed away unexpectedly on Sunday, September 8, 2024 in Dublin. He was born on July 2, 1945, in Columbus, to the late Joseph "Tita" and Mary L. (Melchiorre) Cassan. He graduated from Linden McKinley High School in 1964 and was a member of the Ohio National Guard from 1965 until 1971. He was an avid sports fan and he loved horse racing. For the past ten years he was the primary caretaker for his "step-son" David Cassady. Preceded in death by his parents and one sister Mary Theresa Molino, and his longtime companion Betty Cassady. Surviving are two sons; Scott (Polly) Cassan and David "Davey" Cassan both of Columbus, one brother John (Lyn) Cassan, and many cousins, nieces and nephews. Calling hours Friday September 13, 2024 from 10am till 12pm at MAEDER-QUINT-TIBERI FUNERAL HOME, 1068 S. High Street, Columbus, OH, where funeral service will follow at 12pm. Burial Dublin Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer Foundation of America online at alzfdn.org. To view and sign the on-line register, visit www.MaederQuintTiberi.com

OBITUARY

Lawrence C. "Larry" Sellers

OCTOBER 23, 1940 – SEPTEMBER 28, 2024



IN THE CARE OF

Schoedinger Norris Grove City

Lawrence C. "Larry" Sellers, 83, of Grove City, died peacefully with family surrounding him on Saturday, September 28, 2024. He was born October 23, 1940 in Syracuse OH to the late Lawrence Edwin and Ruth (Flanagan) Sellers. He is preceded in death by his wife Donna Lovetta (Doenges) Sellers of 50 years and is survived by sons, Lawrence Jr. (Julie), Steven (Diane), and Eric (Michele); granddaughters, Diana (Zach Dallman), Kayla and Emily; brother David (Pam) Sellers; and many nieces and nephews. He was a long-time member of the Free Masons as well as recently celebrating 50 years of being in the Lions Club of Grove City and served as President in 1975. Lawrence retired from Hillyard Products in 2009 (formerly Rose Products) as the lead Chemist at Rose Products and Vice President prior to retiring. He truly loved everything to do with the science and mechanical world around us as well as being a WWII history buff. Lawrence also proudly served in the United States Army Reserves stationed at Fort Knox, KY. A visitation time will be held on Friday, October 4, 2024 from 2-4 and 6-8 pm at SCHOEDINGER GROVE CITY 4242 Hoover Rd. where the funeral service will be held on Saturday, October 5, 2024 at 10 am with Dr. Brian Jones officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Grove City Lions Club 4118 Sassafras Ct. Grove City, OH 43123 and/or Capital City Hospice of Columbus 2800 Corporate Exchange Dr. #170 Columbus, OH 43231.

Daniel Charles Lambeth

JANUARY 30, 1939 – SEPTEMBER 29, 2024



IN THE CARE OF

Schoedinger East

Daniel (Dan) Lambeth (85) passed away on September 29, 2024, at home. He was born in Youngstown, Ohio, lived in Canfield, and moved to Columbus as a young boy. Dan is preceded in death by his parents Virginia (Harter) and Fred Lambeth, and brother William (Bill) Lambeth.

Dan graduated from Linden McKinley High School and then was proud to serve our country as a Marine. He retired from AT&T (Western Electric, Lucent Technologies) as an Industrial Engineer after 36 years of service. Over the years, Dan enjoyed go-kart racing, bowling, golf, softball, 1950-60 music trivia, making home movies, and spending time with family and friends.

Dan is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Connie (Nichols) Lambeth, and wonderful son Stephen (Steve) Lambeth, brother-in-law Jerry Nichols (Jenny) of Columbus, and nephew Brian Nichols of Newark. He will be missed by his special family members and friends, Dan will also be missed by his little Shih Tzu, Chanel.

Entrusted arrangements to Schoedinger East Funeral Home. Dan will be cremated and reside at Union Cemetery in Columbus. A "Celebration of Life" will be held for family and friends at a later date.

A very special thanks to Mount Carmel Hospice, especially Chelsea, Terri, and John for their loving care of Dan and kindness to family members.

Dan and Jerry were honored to go to Washington, D.C. on Honor Flight in 2019. Donations in Dan's name may be made to: Honor Flight Columbus, P.O. Box 20133, Columbus, OH, 43220 or online at www.honorflightcolumbus.com.



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Lowell

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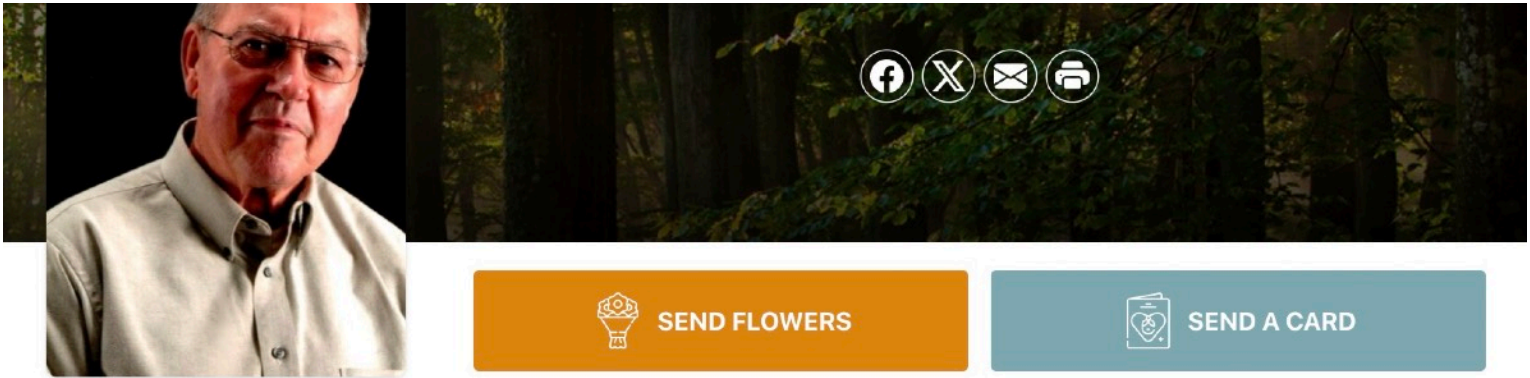
Lowell Edward Smith

May 8, 1942 — October 2, 2024

Shawnee Hills, OH

Lowell Edward Smith, age 82 of Shawnee Hills, passed away with his family by his side on Tuesday, October 2, 2024. Lowell was born to Orville and Juanita (Jean) Smith on May 8, 1942, in Columbus. Lowell finished high school while in the Navy. He graduated with a Bachelors of Science degree in Business Administration from Fairleigh Dickinson University. On August 13, 1960, he married Judy Ann Martin and they had two daughters and a son. Lowell had a successful business career. He began his rise with Lehn & Fink as a Sales Representative, moving to District Manager, then to Regional Sales Manager, and finally elevating to National Sales Manager. His salesmanship and outgoing personality was recognized by his leadership team who promoted him to Vice President of Sales for Glenbrook Laboratories. Lowell later joined Alcon Laboratories as Director of Sales and Marketing. In 1988, Lowell decided to leave the corporate life and return to Ohio to start Martin-Smith & Associates (later MSA Group) with his family. Lowell loved work, he always was creating proposals and working on spreadsheets. He had a passion for leading and inspiring people by example. Lowell's entrepreneur spirit had him starting additional businesses after MSA until he was sidelined with Pulmonary Fibrosis, which required him to receive a lung transplant in 2009. He amazingly outlived the 5 year life expectancy for lung transplants by 10 years. Lowell loved his wife and children as well as his extended family. He brightened the room with his wit and jokes. Lowell is survived by his wife Judy, his daughters; Robin (Matt) and Kellie (Jeff), his grandchildren, Christopher, Heather (Bo), Jeffrey (Krista), Kendall (Zack), Keegan, Evan, Ethan, Abi, great grandchildren; Chloe, Gavin, Nolan and Rhett, his sisters; Betty, Suzie (Bill), Nina, and Debbie, several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents and son Bradley. A ceremony to celebrate Lowell's life will be held on Monday, October 7th at the Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, 5475 Brand Road, Dublin, OH. Service at 4pm, with a gathering following at the Hoover's house: 8210 Timber Mist Ct., Dublin, OH. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Donate Life Ohio, in honor of Lowell's lung transplant that extended his life by over 15 years.





Raymond D. Bosley

January 16, 1941 — October 27, 2024

London

Raymond Duane Bosley (83) passed away in London, OH on October 27, 2024. He was born in Columbus, Ohio on January 16, 1941 to George and Helen Louise (Foster) Bosley. He is preceded in death by his parents. Ray is survived by his beloved wife of 62 years, Jenny (Finnegan) Bosley; his sons, Ray (Jonna), Mike (Julie), Tom and Dennis (Teri) Bosley; his grandchildren, Nick, Stephanie, Sara, Andy, Seth and Meghan; his great grandchildren, Ezra, Sam, Finn and Willow; and his brother Bob Bosley (Roberta). Also, survived by Lucky, his beloved cat.

Ray graduated from Linden McKinley High School. Class of '58. He was a longtime 34 year employee of UPS. While there, he earned the Safe Driving Award, for having an entire career without an accident. Ray enjoyed being outdoors. He loved old cars and truly loved his cats and dogs. He was always willing to help friends and family. Ray's memories are many and he will be sorely missed.

The family will receive friends at Rader McDonald Tidd Funeral Home in West Jefferson, OH. Visitation will be on Friday, November 1 from 5:00 - 7:00 pm. The following day, Saturday, there will be a visitation at 9:30 am and a funeral service at 10:30 am. Ray will be laid to rest at Asbury Chapel Cemetery in Pleasant Twp, OH.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial donations in Ray's name to National Church Residences Hospice. You may donate online at <https://www.nationalchurchresidences.org/donate/>

Obituary for Frank Habeker

Frank E. Habeker, 81, passed away in the evening hours of Friday, October 18, 2024, in Columbus, Ohio. For 45 years, he was a teacher and counselor at Eastmoor High School, and an administrator at Central Office and Kingswood Data Center with Columbus City Schools. He then continued working another 5 years in Pupil Services at Education Classroom of Tomorrow (ECOT). In 2002, Frank began his journey in Freemasonry becoming a Mason in Triangle Lodge #748 F&AM, later joining Goodale Lodge #372 F&AM and Aladdin Shrine Center.

He was welcomed on June 24, 1943 at White Cross Hospital, Columbus, by his parents, Frank R. and Mary (Staley) Habeker. Growing up in the Linden neighborhood, he attended 11th Ave Elementary School, Linden-McKinley Jr. High School, and Linden-McKinley Sr. High School. He forged friendships with students and teachers at Linden in the classroom and on Stage Crew that re-emerged in his educational career, and Masonic and Shriner affiliations and activities.

With the encouragement and support of his grandfather, Edward Staley, Frank graduated with a masters degree in education and counseling from The Ohio State University.

Having joined Aladdin Shrine, Shriners International in 2002, Frank was best known as the Aladdin Parade Marshall, a position he held for over 15 years, until the end of parade season last year. As a very active and committed Shriner, he was also a member of the Band, Registrars, Senior Shriners, Northeast Shrine Club, Empty Mug Club, and Jesters.

Frank will be greatly missed by his wife, Jo Edda (Thompson Stallsworth) Habeker, step-son, Dietrich (Kat Bridges) Stallsworth, their children, Claire and Tiernan, and step-daughter, Danielle Stallsworth (Taylor) Dunne, their children, Hannah and Hadley, and other family members and many special friends.

Visitation will be at Aladdin Shrine Center, 1801 Gateway Circle, Grove City, Ohio 43123 on Wednesday, October 30, 2024 from 4pm to 6pm, with the public Masonic Ceremony and Rose Ceremony to follow.

All are invited to the Graveside Service the following day, Thursday, October 31st at 12pm at Greenlawn Cemetery, 1000 Greenlawn Ave, Columbus, Ohio 43223.