



Lewis L. Sparks

November 15, 1970 - October 20, 2024

LEWIS L. SPARKS

It is with the greatest sadness that we announce the tragic and unexpected loss of our most beloved Lewis Lester Sparks “Louie”, 53, of Susquehanna, PA on Sunday October 20, 2024.

Born on November 15, 1970 to Lewis V. and Dolores Sparks of New Milford, PA. He was predeceased by his father and best friend Lewis V. Sparks; and a sister, Bethann Croasdale.

Louie is survived by his mother, Dolores Sparks; his beloved wife of 31 years, Brandea; his daughter, Chelsea (Jagr) Briar; son, Lewis D. (Cassidy) Sparks; sisters, Harriette (Dan) Morden, and Amy Conrad (Kirk Walther); and several nieces and nephews.

Louie loved and cherished his family and was the most proud “Poppy” in the whole world. He cherished all 6 of his grandbabies, Ellianna “Peanut”, Madalynn “Maddie Moo”, Rosalee “Ravioli”, Owen “Little Man”, Elizabeth “Looper”, and Liam (sorry no nickname yet). He was always there for his grandbabies in a second without hesitation. Louie was the most selfless, kind-hearted person and always doing for others, never expecting anything in return.

Louie was a graduate of Blue Ridge High School, New Milford, PA, where he excelled in wrestling, taking multiple wins at state competitions. Knowing something about everything, you could go to him for advice about anything. With a certificate in welding to mechanics of any kind, truck driving, and even scooping ice cream when he owned Backyard Ice Cream. He and his son Lewis, even restored a '53 F100 from the top down that "has to have a 428 FE motor." He was most proud of the day he purchased his own business 12 years ago, Sparks Saw Shop, and remained there as owner/operator. Louie was an amazing person and friend. Special attention goes out to his camp family, he loved you all. And to his other best friend, his dog Bernie Boop, who never left his side, we will take good care of him. We will love and miss you every single day without fail.

Friends may call from 10 am to 1 pm on Friday, October 25, 2024 at the Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc. A private interment will be held in Gelatt Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Blue Ridge Wrestling, c/o Karen Gudykunst, 364 Harford Road, New Milford, PA 18834.

Cemetery Details

Gelatt Cemetery

Gibson, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **25**. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc.
25 Susquehanna Ave.
P.O. Box 936
Hallstead, PA 18822
(570) 879-2287
ayeisley@gmail.com

Tribute Wall

BM

“ Carol and I would like to offer our condolences Louie's Family. It was a pleasure to know him.
Sincerely,

Bob McNamara - October 24, 2024 at 03:14 PM

PM

“ Patty Morris lit a candle in memory of Lewis L. Sparks



patty Morris - October 23, 2024 at 09:55 AM

SC

“ To all of Louie's family & friends, sending thoughts & my deepest condolences. All those wonderful memories will help ease your pain & pull you through the tough & rough times & days.
Sally Carvin



Sally Carvin - October 23, 2024 at 06:18 AM

DE

So srry for your lose was a great man and a good person God speed the Ellis familyn

DARL ELLIS - November 23, 2024 at 07:22 PM

JT

“ Jennifer Thatcher lit a candle in memory of Lewis L. Sparks



Jennifer Thatcher - October 22, 2024 at 05:32 PM

RP

“ Louie,
You will be dearly missed. You were a good friend and I'm grateful for the years we did quarry business together. I'll never forget you my friend.
Our thoughts and prayers are with your family now. Rest in peace bud.

Rick & Sharon Phillips

Rick & Sharon Phillips - October 22, 2024 at 05:12 PM

TR

“ One of the great wrestlers for the Blue Ridge Raiders in the mid to late 80s. A good teammate and friend.
You will be missed.

Tim Rose - October 22, 2024 at 05:11 PM

NC

“ Sending our deepest condolences, prayers and love to his family and all that knew him. My heart is hurting for all of you....xox

Norma Chacona - October 22, 2024 at 03:05 PM

AF

“ Dear Sparks family,
The Brothers and Sisters of AFSCME Local #2144 are sending our most sincere condolences to you at this time of loss and sorrow. Louie will be remembered by us all; he was a great asset while working at PENNDOT. Let the happiest of memories carry you through your grief. Until we all meet again.....Rest in eternal Peace Louie.



AFSCME LOCAL 2144
PENNDOT 4-5
Susquehanna County

AFSCME - October 22, 2024 at 01:26 PM

DA

“ Denise Arnold lit a candle in memory of Lewis L. Sparks



Denise Arnold - October 21, 2024 at 10:28 PM

HM

“ Breaks My Heart. Louie as i know him, since he was a baby, very generous man. helped marvs service after the fire to no end. thanks again. all my condolences to all the family. Louie Rest In Pease. Goooonna Miss You. Harry Marvin Sr

Harry marvin - October 21, 2024 at 09:21 PM

DL

“ Our deepest condolences.

Dean and Lavone Lewis - October 21, 2024 at 05:06 PM

BE

“ *Bill Evans lit a candle in memory of Lewis L. Sparks*



Bill Evans - October 21, 2024 at 05:03 PM

BB

my heart breaks for all of you that knew Little Louie that's what we called him when his Dad was alive ,and I continued to call him, then Louie became a man , and a beautiful Man at that , sweetest heart ever , I have known him since he was in diapers , My heart breaks For his beautiful mother Delores , you raised the best babyboy to a beautiful man , you taught him so much love ,so much respect for others, I am so sorry Delores to you and your girls , Prayers said and sent for your peace and strength as go forward without Little Louie, he will be sadly missed by all that knew him , and also that big smile that just lit up my heart and my day when I would see him, RIP Louie,

Brenda Allard Buchanan-Moore - October 22, 2024 at 08:41 PM

BA

Brenda Allard

Brenda Allard - October 22, 2024 at 08:48 PM

MN

I do not know your family, I just read this beautiful obituary, and I am praying for Louie and your loss of such a rare person. He sounds like the kind of person we need so many more of in this world. I am so very sorry he is gone this soon, he will leave a huge void, but so much love behind - he will always be around you.

Mary E Niemotka - October 23, 2024 at 08:21 AM

DW

“ *Diane And Alan Wilmarth lit a candle in memory of Lewis L. Sparks*



Diane and Alan Wilmarth - October 21, 2024 at 04:06 PM

JS

You were a great person who would help anyone at any time!! R.I. P MY FRIEND

John Smith - October 21, 2024 at 09:11 PM

JA

“ *Lou had such a wonderful heart. He wore it on his sleeve, and you knew just what kind of day he was having. He was willing and did help everyone that asked him to do anything. He loved the Campground and all the wonderful Friends he made. He adored the Owners of the Camp, Bob and Tami Carney, and they soon became a member of their Family, as they became a member of his. I hope he finds peace, love, whatever is in store for him in this next journey he's on.*

Jane - October 21, 2024 at 04:03 PM

TM

“ *Glad I saw you on this past Sunday you were a great friend - co-worker - I will always remember you ,working with you ,RIP MY FRIEND. Sorry for you loss Brandi and family*

thomas mirra - October 21, 2024 at 03:44 PM

MI

“ *Missie lit a candle in memory of Lewis L. Sparks*



Missie - October 21, 2024 at 03:40 PM

TE

“ *Louie coached me wrestling for a little bit. I'll never forget when we were at shamokin MAWA and I lost a tough match then proceeded to give my mother shit like a little brat. Louie grabbed me by the ear and yanked me back to my mother, forcing me to apologize. A good lesson from a great man. RIP*

Tim Esposito - October 21, 2024 at 02:55 PM

BS

“ *You will be greatly missed loved seeing at the campground and sharing memories*



Barb Stockholm - October 21, 2024 at 02:27 PM

MD

“ *Marcie Dorunda lit a candle in memory of Lewis L. Sparks*



Marcie Dorunda - October 21, 2024 at 02:13 PM