



George Louis Rossi, Jr.

March 5, 2009

Myrtle Beach George L. Rossi, Jr. George Louis Rossi, Jr., of The Villages of Arrowhead in Myrtle Beach died unexpectedly at his home Thursday, March 5, 2009. Born in Ellwood City, PA, he was the son of the late George and Philomena Rossi. He left home at the age of 21 to join the US Army where he served for two years as a member of the Armed Forces Radio and Television. His long career in radio as an announcer, sportscaster, morning show host, etc, took him from Pittsburgh, PA to Panama, Binghamton, NY, Massillon, Ohio, Newcastle, PA, Washington, NC and points in between. Upon retiring to Myrtle Beach, George took up his dramatic career as Medieval Times "King Alphonse" and as "Santa Claus" in Danville, VA and most recently the past two years at Coastal Grand Mall. Surviving are his wife of 52 years, Patti; nephews, Max Rossi of Ellwood City, PA and Marc Rossi of Ashburn, VA; nieces, Kim Kimmel and Jodie Cirelli both of Ellwood City, PA. Services will be private.

Tribute Wall



“ Patti...It has been so long since I've had the opportunity to share time with you and George. The last time we spoke he was telling me about this new career. It was delightful. My fond memories of our Saturday morning adventures at Catatunk Golf Course will forever be etched in my mind. Somewhere up there he has found a new foursome and he's probably still hitting the ball into some waterhole. God bless you, Patti. You had a wonderful man. Don Webb##imported-begin##Don Webb##imported-end##

March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ i am very sorry to hear of George's passing. I considered him a mentor. in addition to knowing him when he did games for us at WBVP in Beaver Falls, he recommended me and was the reason i came to youngstown to work at WKBN radio. My wife Gayle and I are sincerely sorry for your loss. WEK jr.##imported-begin##Bill Kelly##imported-end##

March 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Patti, George was my first real boss at WAAL Radio in Binghamton when I was in my early twenties. I am now in my forties and am still working in media sales. He was the best boss I ever had and I adored him! He had a huge impact on me as a new Account Executive, whether I needed encouragement or a good kick in the butt! I am SO SORRY for your loss. I will never forget him, he was one of a kind. Deepest sympathies and condolences. Kathy Breno##imported-begin##Kathy Breno##imported-end##

March 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Patti, Sorry to hear of your loss. I consider George a good friend and we had many good times together back in NY. My memories will be of a friendly fun loving person with a great sense of humor. I know you will miss him but may his memories bring you great comfort. My sincerest regards, Gerry Blasi##imported-begin##Gerry Blasi##imported-end##

March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Donna and I were saddened to learn of George's passing. I can still remember the first day I met him, the day he became my boss. He never took himself too seriously and made work fun. I'll always remember his great laugh! He will always be remembered. "While we are mourning the loss of our friend, others are rejoicing to meet him behind the veil." ~John Taylor##imported-begin##Keith Nelson##imported-end##

March 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ George was one of the best bosses I ever had and by far the most fun to work with. We shared many a laughs, goodtimes and have thought about him often. He was also a great mentor. My broadcast career and life overall was that much better for him being a part of it.##imported-begin##Marc Ferro##imported-end##

March 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ George will always have a special place in our hearts. He was the true professional with the personality of a gentle man. We were very happy to have been able to spent time with George and Patti during the summer of 2007. His wisdom and humor will be missed by all who had the privilege to have known him. Rob and Elizabeth##imported-begin##Rob & Elizabeth Robinson##imported-end##

March 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM



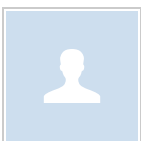
“ Patti, I am heartsick to hear about George.I don't know if you remember me but I had worked with him at Medieval Times for the last 13 yrs. He was such a loving and CARING man. I know you being married for 52 yrs will leave a very tender spot in your heart. My mother lost my father as they celebrated their 52nd yr together as well. They just don't make the like my dad and George anymore. I know you wanted to keep this private and I respect you for that. God be with you through these next few weeks and months as you build the strength to carry on with his memory as your drive. I will continue to pray for you and know that George is in heaven watching over you and your family. Take care and God Bless##imported-begin##barbara jackson##imported-end##

March 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ George was a wonderful man, he will be missed.##imported-begin##Summer Collins##imported-end##

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March 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ George and I were co workers at Medieval Times where we became friends. I will miss George, he is a most wonderful person. It is an honor to have been a friend.##imported-begin##Jim Burton##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM