



Laverne Leskovar

January 28, 1941 - May 7, 2012

LaVerne L. Leskovar, 71 of Myrtle Beach Golf and Yacht Club died Monday, May 7, 2012 at Grand Strand Regional Medical Center.

Born in Little Falls, NY, he was the son of the late Louis and Edna Leskovar. Mr. Leskovar was a US Marine Corp veteran serving in the Viet Nam War. He received his Masters degree in special education and administration and was employed by the city of Little Falls, NY where he worked as a special education teacher and later as the administrator of the special education program for the district. He coached girls basketball and was active in designing and constructing drama set for the Little Falls High School in NY. He also was a co-founder of Profile Players, a community theatre group. He was a member of Elks Club and VFW. In later years, Mr. Leskovar served as a Lutheran pastor and was a chaplain for Incare Hospice. He also served as the Director of Education at Lighthouse Care Center in Conway.

Surviving are his wife, Joyce Leskovar; daughter, Kristin Leskovar-Blum; granddaughter, Paige Leskovar-Blum; honorary grandson, DJ Karshner all of Myrtle Beach; and special cousins, Larry Eberle of Amsterdam, NY and Janet Schneider of Marietta, GA.

The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 PM, Friday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel.

Services will be 10:00 AM, Saturday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel.

Memorials may be made to New Life Lutheran Church, PO Box 31055, Myrtle Beach, SC 29588.

Sign a guest book at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ Goldfinch Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Laverne Leskovar



Goldfinch Funeral Home - May 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Mrs. Leskovar, Kristin & family ~ I was so saddened to read about Mr. Leskovar's passing. Sending my thoughts & prayers to you all during this difficult time. There were *so* many good times ~ focusing on those will hopefully help ease your heavy hearts.

Love,
~Michelle Walo Billings

Michelle Walo Billings - May 25, 2012 at 03:50 PM

DE

“ Mrs. Leskovar:
I am so sorry for your loss. Treasure the special times you had!
Take care,

Your former student,
Daniel J. Enea, Ocoee/Winter Garden, FL

Daniel J. Enea - May 18, 2012 at 05:31 PM

LZ

“ Dear Joyce, Kristin, and family,
How sad we were to hear of Verne's passing. We had so many fond memories of knowing and working with Vern. Vern was a great chaperone on our many FBLA trips. We enjoyed working with Verne on the many drama club productions, bus duty, etc. He was an excellent educator who shared his kind and compassionate manner with everyone. He touched the lives of many of LFHS students. We loved his sense of humor and of course the Leskovar's infamous end of the school year pool parties! Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Leslie and Henry Zuccaro

Leslie B. Zuccaro - May 16, 2012 at 11:52 AM

JL

Dear Leslie and Henry,
Thank you for your kind words. Joyce

Joyce Leskovar - May 16, 2012 at 09:44 PM

DH

“ Joyce, So sorry to hear of your loss. David Heller

David Heller - May 13, 2012 at 10:05 PM

BB

“ I hadn't seen LaVerne in more than 45 years, but I've thought of him often. I'm always liked him, his sense of humor and his amazing personality. I share the family's grief, and wish them well.

bill bateman - May 13, 2012 at 03:54 PM

TC

“Joyce and family: Kathy and I were saddened to hear of the passing of Verne. He was a very wonderful person and he will be greatly missed by you, your family and many friends. We will keep him and you in our prayers.

Tom and Kathy Canastar

Tom & Kathy Canastar - May 12, 2012 at 09:22 AM

EH

“It with such a sadness that I learned about Verne's passing. It was such a joy to work with him at LFHS. He often helped chaparone on our FBLA conferences. Vern was such a compassionate, caring person that he made us as well as the students feel special. I looked forward to the time when I will see him again in Heaven. Until then.....

My love and sympathy to his friends and family. Blessings, Eleanor Hayes, Retired LFHS Business Teacher

Eleanor Hayes - May 11, 2012 at 05:02 PM

AS

“Joyce, my deepest sympathy to you and your family. Some of my fondest memories in the LFCSD were working alongside Vern. He was the sweetest, most compassionate person-not to mention funny. He truly loved working with students and made a difference in their lives. His laughter and his love of life were contagious. Such a beautiful person- such a beautiful life. My prayers are with you and your family.

Anna Spagnolo

Anna Spagnolo - May 11, 2012 at 12:14 PM

VB

“ Gene and I send our condolences to you and your family. Vern was a wonderful, caring man that I'm sure will be missed by the many whose lives he touched. Our prayers are with you at this time.
Gene and Veronica Bannon

Veronica Bannon - May 11, 2012 at 07:46 AM

ER

“ Joyce, So sorry to hear of LaVerne's passing. It has been several years since we last saw each other and we kind of got out of touch. LaVerne as a true friend and I can remember the many times we got together both in Middleville and Herkimer. Please give me regards to Kristin as well. GOD SPEED LaVerne and Rest In Peace

Ed Roberts

Ed Roberts - May 11, 2012 at 07:29 AM

LD

“ SO SORRY TO LEARN OF THE PASSING OF YOUR HUSBAND MRS. LESKOVAR. THESE ARE THE DAYS OF OUR LIVES WHEN WE SHOULD BE ENJOYING LIFE NOT DEALING WITH DEATH. GOD HAD A GOOD REASON TO TAKE HIM FROM YOU AND YOUR FAMILY AND OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL. I ALWAYS REMEBERED HIM FROM WHEN HE WOULD COME TO SCHOOL AND VISIT YOU. I ALWAYS WOULD SMILE AT YOU TWO AND WANTED NOTHING MORE IN LIFE THAN TO HAVE A WONDERFUL HUSBAND LIKE THAT. HE ALWAYS LOOKED AT YOU WITH SO MUCH LOVE. THERE IS ONE MORE BRIGHT STAR IN THE EVENING SKYES. GOD SPEED!!

lorraine mccumber d'ambrosio - May 10, 2012 at 09:56 AM

MQ

“ *Joyce and Family,
I am so sorry to hear about Vern's passing. I
remember working for Vern when he was
CSE Chairperson in Little Falls and he was
such a kind man to work with. Vern was the
type of man that would help anyone and always laughed and
enjoyed life.
Please know that all of you are in my thoughts and prayers.*



*God Bless,
Marlene Quatrino*

Marlene Quatrino - May 10, 2012 at 08:58 AM

JM

“ *To the Leskovar family: Lynne and I were saddened to hear of the
passing of your husband and father. May he rest in peace. I will
always remember and cherish our conversations that we had while
he was a teacher at LFHS. Your family will be on our thoughts and
prayers. May God Bless your family during this most difficult time.*

Lynne and Joe Morotti

Joseph Morotti - May 10, 2012 at 08:20 AM

AB

“ *Leskovar family: The Grand Strand Detachment of the Marine
Corps League send our deepest sympathies . Laverne served his
country with honor as a Marine and a warrior. If the detachment can
be of any help please contact us. Semper Fi brother Marine.*

*Art Blenk
Chapalin, Grand Strand Detachment*

Art Blenk - May 10, 2012 at 07:05 AM

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*Art Blenk
Chaplain, Grand Strand Detachment*

Art Blenk - May 10, 2012 at 07:05 AM



“ *Mrs Leskovar and family,*

My sympathies go out to you and your family on the loss of your husband and father and grandfather. May your memories help you thru this difficult time, me I will always remember seeing the two of you walking around the park.

Bless you and RIP Mr Leskovar

Cindy Stoffolano - May 10, 2012 at 12:49 AM