



Larry Stephen Rupp

July 21, 1948 - June 25, 2015

Larry Stephen Rupp, age 66, lost his valiant three-year battle with cancer and passed away on Thursday, June 25th, 2015. He was born on July 21, 1948 in Alameda CA to Garrett and Beverly (Frazier) Rupp. Larry grew up in Napa and graduated from Napa High School.

Larry bravely fought for our country during two tours of duty in the U.S. Air Force during the Vietnam War and was a proud member of the Safeside Association, his air force unit from Vietnam. Larry and his wife Sue recently attended a Safeside reunion in Valdosta, GA at Moody Air Force Base where his unit re-activated after 9/11. After returning from war, Larry was a Napa Police officer for 23 years and then the co-owner of Stagecoach Express Wine Shipping Company for 17 years.

Larry is survived by his wife and business partner, Sue Bailey; children, Stephanie, Donovan (Roscio), and Jeremy; stepchildren, Alison (Josh) Hollman and Samantha (Trevor Fewins) Tomkovicz; grandchildren, Christian, Anthony, and Haley; mother, Beverly; sister, Sue Della; and cousins, Bonnie Lopez and Nancy Long.

Larry was blessed with many long time friends, loyal employees, and dedicated customers of Stagecoach Express. Their kindness has meant the world to his family during this difficult time.

Larry will be laid to rest at the Sacramento Valley National Cemetery in Dixon, CA with a private family service. A celebration of life is planned for later in the fall. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in Larry's name to The

Wounded Warrior Project – www.woundedwarriorproject.org/donate or to the Safeside Association, 2834 Red Maple Drive, Katy, TX 77494.

Tribute Wall



“ *Larry Stephen Rupp*

September 29, 2022 at 04:54 PM



“ *Larry Stephen Rupp*

September 29, 2022 at 02:55 PM



“ *lorna pat daryl Gregory izzy fowler-Williams thank larry and sue for being a big part in our day-to-day activities. we miss larry's hello and goodbye. we thank you for treating my boys with kindness(especially putting up with my door ringer son, Gregory). larry helped me raise my sons, demonstrating every day how to be by his example. our best to you sue and your family*

lorna - July 22, 2015 at 02:25 PM



“ *R.I.P Larry, you will be missed. You were a proud veteran of the Vietnam War and a fine Napa P.D. Officer. Our best conversations were always while you were working at Stagecoach. God Speed! My condolences to Sue and family.*

Rich Garcia - July 06, 2015 at 06:45 PM

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“ We will miss Larry very much. We so appreciated his sense of humor and his smile whenever we saw him. I will miss calling out his name when I go in Stagecoach as I looked for him every time I was there hoping to exchange a hello or share a funny story. I am grateful for his service to our country.



Frances - July 05, 2015 at 09:39 PM

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“ To Sue and to all of Larry's family, my thoughts are with all of you. Larry was a wonderful and supportive man at Napa Police Department. I wish so much that I could have had the opportunity to tell him that. Linda Roth



Linda Roth - July 04, 2015 at 07:32 PM

JC

“ Dear Mrs. Bailey. Our condolences to you and your family on the loss of your husband. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time Geraldine James Christensen

James Christensen - July 04, 2015 at 04:27 PM

SM

“ It was always a treat to come into the store and banter with Larry. It seemed we shared the same slightly caustic world view at times. We will miss him. We wish you beautiful memories and comfort at this difficult time.

Sonya and Hal Milton - July 04, 2015 at 02:11 PM

DS

“ Sue- I remember always coming in to the shop and saying "what does it take to get service in here?" Larry always had a colorful comeback.. I'm sure he is in heaven taking over the mail sorting duties and getting everybody shaped up. I am thinking about you and you are in my prayers. Donna, Miggie and Brandi.

Donna Schwerin - July 04, 2015 at 12:48 PM

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“ I remember Larry's smiling face at my parents house. I remember him as being "One of the guys" from the PD that was always around at BBQ's. He will be missed.

Laura Ramos

Laura Ramos - July 03, 2015 at 10:19 AM