



Vincent A. Cavalea

March 14, 1937 - August 1, 2018

Vincent A. Cavalea on August 1, 2018 of Gibbstown. Age 81. Husband of Kathleen J. (nee Scott). Son of the late Tony Cavalea and Angela F. (nee Marino). Loving father of Brinda Cavalea of Medford, Kathleen Cavalea of Sewell, and Toni Cavalea of Woodstown. Brother of Patty (John) Palladino of Gibbstown. Beloved grandfather of Zain Majeed. Brother-in-law of Kenneth (Mimi) Scott of Clearwater. Also survived by one niece and three nephews.

Vince was a US Air Force Veteran and a member of St. Michael's Church, St. Michael's Mutual Club in Gibbstown, Sons of Italy Lodge 2580 in Paulsboro and Knights of Columbus. The majority of his working career was devoted to education as a teacher and administrator in the Washington Township Public School District. He enjoyed teaching algebra and playing the accordion. His most satisfying professional achievement was Principal at Hurffville Elementary School.

Services Private.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hurffville PTO – The Vincent Cavalea Scholarship Fund, c/o Hurffville Elementary School, 200 Hurffville Grenloch Road, Sewell, NJ 08080.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Vincent A. Cavalea*

November 27, 2022 at 03:45 PM



“ *Dear Patty, Kathy, Vinny's wife and children, deep sincere condolences. Just heard of his passing and so very sad. He was such a sweet man and Godbrother. Love, hugs and prayers, Stephanie Minniti*



Stephanie Minniti - September 21, 2018 at 12:17 PM



“ *Mr. Cav,
RIP my friend...Def one of the coolest teachers I ever had.
GODSPEED!*

Joey Berenato - August 15, 2018 at 09:51 PM



“ *Mr Cav will be missed, he was a great man and a great principal. Condolences to his family and friends.*

vince carey - August 12, 2018 at 10:13 AM

EK

“ My heart is heavy learning of Mr. Cav's passing. Such an incredibly special man, teacher and friend. I have many, many fond memories of him at Birches when he worked with my mom. I'll never forget him teaching math... he'd make you very quickly solve the equation while snapping his fingers! WOW, what a great man. Taught me a lot! My last time seeing him was years ago when I showed up at his school with the TWP Ambulance Squad to tend to an injured student. He remembered me right away! My sincerest sympathies to your family.... I will treasure my memories of Mr. Cav always.....
With deep sadness.....
Eileen Keenan

eileen keenan - August 10, 2018 at 05:05 PM

MM

I am very sad to learn of Mr. Cav's passing. Our Dad, Harold Henderson, taught with him at the Birches School and him in the highest regard. May God comfort his family and loved ones in this sad time.

Micki Henderson Mossbrucker - September 05, 2018 at 11:29 PM

MH

“ I had him for a principle in hurffville, he was awesome. I had an injury and had to use crutches and they decided to let me use a wheel chair which upset me, he ended up running through the halls with me to cheer me up. I got to see him again in high school, I had him for a study hall teacher and he remembered me. Praying for his family he was a great man. God bless.

Marie Hurd - August 10, 2018 at 08:51 AM

VR

“ Mr. Cavalea was one of my favorite teachers. I was in his 7th grade math class and he always tested us with times tables unexpectedly, it was the best. I tell the story all the time. I continued to keep in touch with Mr. Cavalea throughout high school and we were friends. He attended my wedding in 1982. Great teacher and friend, so sorry for the family's loss.

Ronnie (DiGiacomo) Rahl

Veronica Rahl - August 10, 2018 at 06:52 AM

BK

“ Dearest condolences to the Cavalia family. Vincent was a joy to work with, he was pivotal to the renovation construction of Hurffville School. While he did not hesitate to let his concerns known privately, he was a positive leader of the school. "NO PROBLEM, BE HAPPY" was his montra during the opening of school while construction was finishing. Vincent will definitely be missed. The world was a much better place because of him

Bob Kern - August 08, 2018 at 10:23 AM

GT

“ There is great sadness and pride in my heart today having learned of Vince's passing.
He was a great man and mentor to me both personally and professionally.
His unique way of dealing with children is something that I have always tried to emulate in my teaching both at Paulsboro HS and Washington Township.
I remember our many talks and stories that we shared with each other and Vince and his entire family will be in my prayers.
Peaceful rest my friend!

Gerry Taraschi - August 07, 2018 at 12:01 PM

SJ

“ Rest in Peace cousin Vinnie. You were very special to me. even though we drifted apart in our later years you were always in my thoughts. Sorry I didn't have the chance to say good bye. Loved you Sam Marino Jr

Sam Barb Marino Jr - August 06, 2018 at 05:02 PM

TA

“ Mr c was my favorite teacher, he really cared for all his students. My favorite memory of mr c will be him throwing chalk at us on friday quiz day if we didn't know our times table by the third time he snapped his fingers. He will be missed

Tracy Abbott - August 06, 2018 at 08:24 AM

CV

“ So very sorry to learn of Vince's passing. May he Rest In Peace! 🙏

Christine Ciccone Vassalotti - August 05, 2018 at 07:23 AM

GC

I knew Vince as a fellow teacher at Washington Twp H.S. I did not know him well, but liked him. I have forgotten what role he played on the staff of the High School. I would like to know. Please let me know. I pray you may find peace in the fact tthat he led a good life.georgeacrispin@aol.com

George Crispin - August 05, 2018 at 04:08 PM

JS

Vince was a great friend during our college days at Rutgers, and he will surely be missed. Our condolences go out to Kathy and family. We will keep them in our hearts and prayers

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John and Joan Stampa

John Stampa - August 08, 2018 at 09:26 AM

MM

Mr. Cav was the best Vice Principal ever. He had to suspend me many a time but he was always good about it and listened to both sides of the story before he figured out that I was guilty. He had a great sense of humor and I'm sure he wouldn't be surprised that I am a Union Rep and argue for the little guys even now. Got to hone my skills with Mr. C. Rest in Peace.

*Mark A. McCart
WTHS, 1984*

Mark McCart - August 08, 2018 at 02:10 PM