



Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr.

January 13, 1941 - January 13, 2017

Tony DeMarco passed away on Friday, January 13, 2017, in Provo, Utah, surrounded by his family. He was born on January 13, 1941 in Rock Springs, Wyoming to Anthony and Lucille DeMarco. Tony was raised in American Fork, Utah, and graduated from American Fork High School. He also graduated from Utah Valley Technical College in Provo as a Machinist.

Tony worked hard all of his life. He began his career with United States Steel Corporation at Atlantic City Ore Mine near Lander, Wyoming in 1960. He also worked at Geneva, Gary Works (Indiana), and Fairfield Works (Alabama) before retiring from U.S. Steel in 1990. He returned to Orem to work with the Geneva Steel Company until 1998. He operated a machine shop with Glunt Industries in Lindon, and most recently was self-employed as regional engineering representative for Superbolt and Nordlock.

Tony loved life and lived with gusto. He was an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed hunting and fishing in Wyoming, bird hunting in Nebraska, and fishing in Alaska. He raced snowmobiles; he loved the mountains and the snow. The home of his heart was Wyoming, and he traveled there often.

Tony had a love for people and made friends everywhere he went. He was an engaging storyteller and could always make a connection with others by sharing his experiences. His brother said that if you had an elephant, Tony had a sack to put it in. He had a strong sense of humor and positive outlook. On good days and bad, he would always make you laugh, he made every day seem just a little brighter and better. His heart was as big as a bucket; he was generous in helping others, family, friends and strangers alike.

Tony valued family over all else. He had great love for all of his family, and there was nothing he would not have done for them. He sacrificed and supported us in every endeavor, always putting us first. Tony married Jolene Huggard in 1960 (divorced); they had three children, Gina (American Fork), Rob (American Fork) and Jeff (Courtnee, Pleasant Grove). He is also survived by his wife Heidi, and their children, Michael (Emilie,

Springville), Angie (Salt Lake City), Sophie (Springville), Adam Thomson (Sandy, Lehi), a step-son, 12 grandchildren, and three brothers, Bob (Sue, American Fork), Mike (Myra, Alabama), and Ken (American Fork). He was preceded in death by his parents.

Tony always said he wasn't book smart, but he had an innate intelligence and wisdom he never gave himself credit for; he was always the one we went to for advice, for help or strength. He was a leader, a teacher, an example, and a friend to all who knew him. He remains the greatest man we know; our lives are diminished without his presence. We love him and miss him dearly.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Friday, January 20, 2017 at the Berg Drawing Room Chapel, 185 East Center Street, Provo, Utah. Viewings will be held at the mortuary Thursday, January 19, from 6-8:00 p.m. and Friday from 9:30-10:45 a.m. prior to services. Interment will be at Eastlawn Memorial Hills Cemetery in Provo. Condolences may be expressed at www.bergmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Eastlawn Memorial Hills

4800 North 650 East
Provo, UT 84604

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Berg Drawing Room Chapel
185 East Center Street
Provo, UT 84606

Visitation

JAN **20**. 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (MT)

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Funeral Service

JAN **20**. 11:00 AM (MT)

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Tribute Wall

GA

“ My condolences to the Demarco family at the time of Tony's passing. I know from personal expedience what you are going through. Remember that this is not the end of his existence, only the beginning of a new one for him.

I worked with Tony at Geneva as I did with Bob, Mike ("hey Mikey!"), and Kenny. I have fond memories of working with all of you, and I hope you will remember me well. But what I remember most of Tony was that he always had time to talk to you. I know of no one who didn't like Tony.

I know that he was a wonderful Big brother to all of you. I believe he was a great family leader after the passing of Tony Sr. I know he will be sorely missed by all. I also know you will see him again.

It was only my health and the weather that kept me from being to the viewing and funeral.

I would liked to have seen you all again. May God be with you and your family at this time of sorrow.

Sincerely, Greg Anderson.

Greg Anderson - January 20, 2017 at 09:42 AM

YE

“ Your cousins, Terri, Denise, Sandy, John & Elaine purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr..



Your cousins, Terri, Denise, Sandy, John & Elaine - January 19, 2017 at 05:35 PM

HH

“ H&H (Bruce Hudson) purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr..



H&H (Bruce Hudson) - January 19, 2017 at 01:14 PM

MO

“ We were neighbors to Tony and his family many years ago in American Fork. He was very king and always willing to help. Our sympathy to the family. May you find peace in knowing that you can be with him again through the atoning sacrifice of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Mac Niel and Rhonda Ogden

Mac Niel Ogden - January 19, 2017 at 10:47 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr..*



January 19, 2017 at 09:04 AM

SG

“ *Our deepest condolences to all the family and friends for the loss of a great guy that brought a smile to your face whenever he chatted.*

A true character and gentleman that will be truly missed by so many people.

Glod bless you Tony

Steve Greenwell - January 18, 2017 at 06:50 PM

SN

“ *Scott Nielsen purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr..*



Scott Nielsen - January 18, 2017 at 04:05 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr..*



January 18, 2017 at 03:54 PM

DJ

“ *Dale, Deb, Ben and Michelle Jepson. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr..*



Dale, Deb, Ben and Michelle Jepson. - January 18, 2017 at 02:07 PM

RL

“Great guy, hard worker, talented in everything he did. Loved working with him and his brothers.

Rich Lowe

Richard Lowe - January 18, 2017 at 12:35 PM

DP

“My condolences to the family, you must be missing this guy a lot. I wasn't well acquainted with Tony, but he was a good friend to my husband, Jerry Pikus. They shared many experiences. Jerry liked and admired Tony and, now, they are both gone. Fortunately, there are the memories.

Daile Pikus

daile pikus - January 18, 2017 at 11:40 AM

BC

“I am very sad to hear about the passing of Tony. I wish his family my heartfelt condolences. I thank Tony for his friendship, his good humor and for taking me under his wing. I spent many long weekends with him and his brothers during down turns of the old Roller Mill at Geneva. Tony and I had a lot in common. He had 3 brothers that were all very close and did things together. I had 3 brothers that were very close and did things together.

Tony taught me how to appreciate a good steak and fine eating. He invited me to go with him to see his friend in Buhl, Idaho and to the Demarco cabin in AF canyon where he would prepare everyone the best steaks ever.

He shared the location of some of his most cherished hunting and fishing spots in Wyoming with me where I was able to go and spend many great times with my brothers. He is truly a great friend and I will miss him.

Bob Cook & Family

Bob Cook - January 18, 2017 at 10:35 AM

DL

Dear Family,

Tony is a 2nd cousin of mine, although there were quite a few years difference in age I remember him well. I know how close he was to his brothers. Just seeing his picture makes me miss all those who have passed on in our family. My grandma, Grace Dexter and Tony's mom, Aunt Lou were sisters. The DeMarco boys were always full of mischief (at least that's what I was told when I was young??) but that mischief bonded them together with love and the comfort of a wonderful family. Please know he is in my heart and I wish you great comfort in knowing he is with loved ones who have missed him dearly.

Love to all,

DeDe (Denise) Boswell Leeflang

Denise Leeflang - January 19, 2017 at 04:42 PM

SB

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Steve Busalacchi - January 18, 2017 at 02:53 AM

AP

“ Abel and Julie send our love and prayers to the DeMarco family. Tony was a great guy and his loving spirit will be missed.

Abel Pereyra - January 17, 2017 at 03:20 PM

TC

“ We have very precious memories of celebrating Michael's birthday at the family cabin in A F canyon. We will always remember the wonderful Brisket he made for dinner. The Best Brisket we ever tasted!!!! It was a great time for all. Thanks for your generosity and hospitality TONY! The Cowley Family

The Cowleys - January 17, 2017 at 01:15 PM

KS

“ Ken Gamroth & the Precision Bolting Staff purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr..



Ken Gamroth & the Precision Bolting Staff - January 17, 2017 at 11:00 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Anthony Albert DeMarco Jr..



January 17, 2017 at 10:14 AM

DB

“ I only met Tony a few times, being that I live & work in Pittsburgh, but he was one of the nicest, most genuine people I ever met. Always had a positive attitude, great outlook on life, and interesting stories.

I am happy to have known him, even for just a short period of time, and know he'll be sorely missed.

My deepest condolences to the Demarco family

David Broderick, Pittsburgh, PA

David Broderick - January 17, 2017 at 08:06 AM

SN

Tony was always at the top of the class, he will be dearly missed! My love to all the family Scott

Scott Nielsen - January 18, 2017 at 03:30 PM

SA

I am sorry to hear about the passing of Tony he was a great friend to all that new him, he and his brothers were a joy to work with and I to have many fond memories of hunting trips and trips to the DeMarco Cabin I send my condolences to his kids and family

Stan Adams

Stan Adams - January 18, 2017 at 09:18 PM