



## Lawrence Michael Cuzdey

October 30, 1935 - November 19, 2024

Albany, NY – Lawrence Michael Cuzdey, 89, passed away peacefully surrounded by family on Tuesday, November 19, 2024, at Northside Forsyth Hospital in Cumming, GA.

Lawrence (Larry) was born on October 30, 1935, in Albany and graduated from Roessleville High School in Colonie in 1953.

He was predeceased by his parents, Michael J. and Helen (Wood) Cuzdey; and the love of his life, wife Rosemary (Bolognino) Cuzdey.

Larry and Rosemary were married on April 24, 1960, and enjoyed 62 years together. They were blessed with many friends across multiple states and enjoyed a large extended family.

Larry served in the United States Army from 1953 – 1958. He was a skilled dental technician in the tri-city area, and he learned his trade from working with his father at a young age. Larry owned his own dental laboratory and retired from the VA Stratton Hospital dental laboratory where he served his fellow veterans for over 20 years.

Above all, Larry devoted his life to his family which includes his three children, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandson, brother, and many cherished nieces

and nephews.

Larry is survived by his brother, Michael Cuzdey; children, Kristin Cuzdey, Stephen Cuzdey (Melony), Michelle Feil (Kevin); and grandson, Max Cuzdey.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Larry's family Sunday, November 24, 2024 10:00 am to 1:00 pm at McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany, NY 12206. Please enter the funeral home from the rear parking lot entrance only.

Funeral services Monday, November 25, 2025 at 10:30 am at Parish of Mater Christi, 40 Hopewell Street (Rev. Kenneth J. Doyle Way), Albany, NY 12208 where his Funeral Mass will be celebrated.

Rite of committal will be held at St. Agnes Cemetery, Menands, NY immediately following the Mass.

To leave a special message for the family please visit [www.mcveighfuneralhome.com](http://www.mcveighfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Agnes Cemetery

48 Cemetery Ave  
Menands, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **24**. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.  
208 N Allen St  
Albany, NY 12206  
(518) 489-0188  
info@mcveighfuneralhome.com  
<http://www.McveighFuneralHome.com>

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## Funeral Mass

NOV **25**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Parish of Mater Christi  
40 Hopewell Street (Rev. Kenneth J. Doyle Way)  
Albany, NY 12208

# Tribute Wall



“ *Both Larry and Rosemary, two amazing souls who touched so many lives. May you both rest together forever in peace.*

*Love the Lostritto family* ❤️❤️

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**Lostritto Family** - December 02, 2024 at 02:26 PM

JP

“ Uncle Larry was more than an uncle to me, my siblings, and the rest of our cousins. He and Aunt Ro were beloved elders who filled the role as parents to us after our own parents died.

*Uncle Larry’s story telling was legendary and mesmerizing His tale of the famous Japanese warrior, Miyamoto Musashi, was a bit frightening to us as kids, and we were a little intimidated by his tattoos, but his warm smile and bear hugs made us feel loved.*

*In 1985, Uncle Larry flew out to Seattle on his way to go on his first Alaska fishing adventure. When he returned, his stories about that solo trip were so entertaining. Larry talked about “camping” on the deck of the Alaskan State Ferry as he cruised up the Alaskan Marine Highway, his “daily constitution” and other adventures. His knee was hurting from all the hiking with a heavy backpack, so he decided to ice his legs by wading in the stream. Visualize this bare-chested hairy man with tattoos standing in the icy water, swatting off HUGE mosquitos!*

*One of my happiest memories will always be when Larry and came to Seattle for our daughter’s wedding in 2015. At the wedding, Ro and Larry served as honorary grandparents. During their visit, we took a ferry ride to Bremerton and a drive to Mt. Rainier National Park.*

*We are thankful we had Uncle Larry in our lives for so long, and grateful to the Cuzdey “kids” for sharing him with us. We will savor our memories forever.*

*Janet Primomo, Seattle*





**Janet Primomo** - November 24, 2024 at 10:58 PM

WF

“ *Waples Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.*



**Waples Family** - November 23, 2024 at 07:09 AM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.*



November 22, 2024 at 03:04 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.*



November 22, 2024 at 10:38 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.*

November 22, 2024 at 10:38 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.

November 22, 2024 at 09:54 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.



November 22, 2024 at 09:54 AM



“ First time I met Larry was in 1957 when he got out of the Army. He and Ro were going out at the time. Over the years my late husband, Augie, and I shared many crazy times and laughs. I miss them and will always love them. Jo Ann

Jo Ann D'Annibale - November 21, 2024 at 04:44 PM



“ Great guy with a big heart ❤️  
Bev Carr

beverly j carr - November 21, 2024 at 01:32 PM



“ Phyllis M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.

Phyllis M. - November 21, 2024 at 09:33 AM

WO

“ With love Big Lar and Opie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.

With love Big Lar and Opie - November 21, 2024 at 09:30 AM

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“ With love Big Lar and Opie purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.



With love Big Lar and Opie - November 21, 2024 at 09:30 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.

November 21, 2024 at 09:18 AM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.



November 21, 2024 at 09:18 AM

RS

“ Ryan, Jaycee, and Logan Shoup purchased the *Pretty Please* for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.



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**Ryan, Jaycee, and Logan Shoup** - November 21, 2024 at 09:00 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.



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November 21, 2024 at 08:52 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.

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November 21, 2024 at 08:25 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Lawrence Michael Cuzdey.



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November 21, 2024 at 08:25 AM

VS

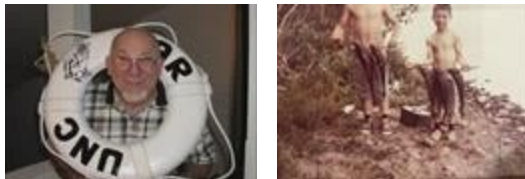
“ Uncle Larry was not only mine uncle, but also my godfather. I grew up spending a lot of time with the Cuzdey cousins and took vacations with them at the Cape every year as well. In later years, I enjoyed so much my visits to Gulfport with Ro and Larry. I believe in my heart they are together once again. I will miss him as we all will. He was the best.



Victoria Scalise - November 21, 2024 at 08:10 AM

BP

“ He was Uncle Larry to so many. He was the best Uncle ever Took my brother Bud and me fishing , hunting and gave all many life lessons  
A great philosopher! Love nephew Bill



bill primomo - November 21, 2024 at 07:02 AM

CS

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Colleen Sollars - November 20, 2024 at 07:49 PM

CS

“ Uncle Larry we will miss you and your colorful stories. We have so many warm memories of our fun times together with all of us cousins running wild in the neighborhood, swimming in the pool, and our trips to Cape Cod. Say hello to Aunt Ro for us when you see her again.

*With Love,  
Mary Bolognino  
Colleen Sollars  
Paul Horan*

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**Colleen Sollars** - November 20, 2024 at 07:32 PM