



Barry Lefton

July 30, 1940 - June 20, 2024

Cincinnati- LEFTON, Barry Edward, age 83, passed away June 20, 2024, beloved husband of 63 years to Lois Berkowitz Lefton, devoted father of David (Karen) Lefton, Rick (Betsy) Lefton, Jimmy (Laurie) Lefton & Ben Lefton (Jaime Willis), dear brother of Mendy (Nancy) Lefton, loving grandfather of Nicole (Jay) Short, Carly, Lev, Claire, Abby, Nathan, Grace, Alex, Danielle, Mallory, Eliana, Brian and Aiden Lefton. He will be greatly missed by his family, many beloved cousins, nephews, nieces, and friends.

Barry graduated from Woodward High School in 1958. He enjoyed success in life and business, building a thriving family enterprise Provident Camera, located in Cincinnati, Ohio. Many loyal employees and customers considered him a trusted friend and colleague.

Barry was a kind and generous man who dedicated the final years of his life to his beloved wife Lois. He will be remembered for his devotion to family and friends.

Services will be held at Weil Kahn Funeral Home, 8350 Cornell Road, Sunday, June 23 at 11:00AM. Visitation begins at the funeral home at 9:30AM. The service will be live streamed, please click the link to attend services virtually https://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/embed_viewer/102151 . A graveside service will be held privately. Shiva will be observed on Sunday, June 23 from

5:00PM - 7:00PM at Mayerson JCC, 8485 Ridge Road.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions to Hospice of Cincinnati or a charity of ones choice would be appreciated.

Previous Events

Visitation Before Service

JUN **23**. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Weil Kahn Funeral Home
8350 Cornell Road
Cincinnati, OH 45249

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Weil Kahn Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Barry Lefton



Weil Kahn Funeral Home - June 22, 2024 at 11:41 AM

RR

“ Have known the Lefton Family for a long time and my thoughts go out to them.....

roger rosenthal - July 18, 2024 at 07:02 AM

SF

“ The last time I saw Barry was 70 or so years ago but I still remember it vividly. I was straddling third base in a JCC game, waiting for a throw, with Barry racing toward me from second. The ball beat him and I put my glove down for the tag. No foot there -- safe!

That was where I learned what a perfect hook slide looked like. I've told the story many times since. Condolences on Barry's passing.

Steve Felson - June 27, 2024 at 01:14 PM

SH

“ To The Lefton Family,

Please accept these words as an expression of my sympathy for your loss. "I am sorry", I have many wonderful memories of my long time friend Barry.

I remember Barry being the go to person when there was an issue with a problem in the world of photography. When Mr. B. brought Barry on board to carry on the growing business of Provident Camera he knew he made the correct decision. Barry and his team never looked back.

Barry was "Mr. Camera" in Cincinnati. Camera problem to tough for everyone else.....just right for Barry.

How lucky we all are. In the future when we look at our many photographs, we will be thinking of our friend Barry Lefton. Rest in peace my buddy.

Stuart Hodesh

Stuart Hodesh - June 23, 2024 at 09:17 AM

GR

“ *My sincere condolences on the passing of Barry.*

When I first started shopping in Provident Camera as a student to when I became a successful photographer... Barry always treated me with respect and cared for my photography needs with a smile! Peace to his family.

Sincerely, Greg Rust

Greg Rust - June 22, 2024 at 02:17 PM

CF

“ *my condolences to all of the Lefton family who were a large part of my children's childhood. Cissy Freiberg*

Cissy Freiberg - June 22, 2024 at 10:51 AM

BM

“ My sincere sympathy to all the family. Whenever I went in to purchase photography items, Barry would always say: “Hi Cousin.” He was a cousin to my Dad, Bill Roth. Barry was the kindest man, always with a smile and very knowledgeable. May his memory be a blessing to all that knew him.

Barbara Roth Mandell

Barbara Mandell - June 22, 2024 at 10:40 AM

MT

“ Thoughts and Prayers for the entire Lefton family. I had the pleasure of meeting Barry 30 years ago when Weeze and I were at OSU. Crashed at Barry and Lois’s house in Cincy many times. Barry was always kind & funny, we would talk baseball, always next year would be the year the Reds would turn it around. R.I.P Barry, you will be missed.

Mark Talis - June 21, 2024 at 04:58 PM