



Leonard H. Berenfield

May 26, 1943 - May 13, 2021

Leonard H. Berenfield, age 77, passed away Thursday, May 13, 2021, loving husband of Ann Berenfield and the late Barbara Gelman Berenfield, beloved father of Joy Berenfield, Gregory (Rebecca) Berenfield and step-father of Giuliana Centurion and Alessandro Gelke, dear grandfather of Benjamin, Samuel, Daniel and Jackson Berenfield and Luca Centurion. Private Services will be held at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions to American Heart Association, Sjogren's Syndrome Foundation or Fernside Center for Grieving Children would be appreciated.

Service Recording:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/share/GgwkYMmSX5nIXiwOi0fTJlkyZLn8YVaMXZSRU-2vqMQrHdBVqDwsKZUs5l-nqM2d.Qf5Bli-oggQdCfdP>

Cemetery Details

Beth Shalom Cemetery

1501 Anderson Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15209

Tribute Wall



“ Leonard's father and my father Myer Berenfield founded Berenfield Containers in Clarendon, Pa.
He was the only child of Isadore and Tillie Berenfield. Leonard was an excellent student and graduate of the UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH.
I miss your advise. Harriet Berenfield.

Harriet Rubinstein - July 15, 2023 at 01:40 PM

LK

“ All of us at Carando Technologies are sadden to hear of Lens passing at such a young age! Our Sincere wishes and condolences to the Berenfield Family and friends of Len.
Len was a great businessman and we all enjoyed working with him over the last few decades. Over the years we worked with the same employees at Berenfield and that says a lot about a manager/owner. Best wishes to his family. Len will be missed.

Laura Keir/Sid Schuetz and all of us at Carando Technologies

Laura Keir - May 18, 2021 at 07:21 PM

DH

“ Len's death leaves an empty chasm in our community and in his family. I send my sincere sympathy to Greg and Joy and to Len's beloved grandchildren, who were the apples of his eye. And of course, I send my sincere wishes to his beloved Ann for peace at this very difficult time for her. --Dan Hoffheimer

Daniel J Hoffheimer - May 17, 2021 at 03:02 PM

JK

“ *Jim Krieghoff*
My condolences to Ann, Joy, Greg and the rest of the family.
I started working for Len shortly after he open the factory in Mason
Ohio. I worked with Len for 25 years.

James Krieghoff - May 16, 2021 at 02:58 PM

FC

“ *I was privileged to get to know Len and work with him for some*
years professionally. He was one of the most intelligent, principled
and humane individuals I know. In our dealings I experienced his
tremendous joy of life, and deep understanding of human nature.
He will be greatly missed by everyone whose life he touched.

In deepest sympathy to the Berenfield family,

Frank Chaiken

Frank Chaiken - May 16, 2021 at 09:44 AM

KS

“ *Sincere condolences to the Berenfield Family and friends of Len.*
I am very grateful for the opportunity to have been a part of the
Berenfield organization, and especially to have worked directly with
Len and Greg.
Len was a true gentleman, exceptional businessman and
conscientious leader. He leaves an indelible impression upon the
container industry, the community at large and those who knew him.
May his loved ones be comforted by fond memories and Len's
legacy of dedication and integrity.

Keith Singleton - May 15, 2021 at 08:59 AM

GO

“ Len was so pleasant for all of our drivers that transported him to his doctors over the last few years. We will miss him dearly.

Gordy - May 15, 2021 at 08:43 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Leonard H. Berenfield.



May 14, 2021 at 03:31 PM

AG

“ The Grotnes family (Atlanta) sends heartfelt sympathy to Ann and all of your family. We will always treasure the fond memories of doing business with Len over the years. He was a wonderful and kind person. We will continue to keep you in our prayers.
Alice Grotnes

Alice Grotnes - May 14, 2021 at 03:09 PM

HW

“ I had the pleasure of working for and with Len for almost 20 years as VP of Sales & Marketing - Berenfield Containers. Never a more modest, caring and true friend did I ever have. So modest in fact, I had to read his obituary to learn his actual birthdate. Being somewhat shy, he never missed the opportunity to make all whom he met or got to know him feel he could or would become a hard and fast friend. He was as genuine as they come and I know he will be terribly missed by his family and all of us who had the great honor and privilege to know and work with him. God rest his soul and may he finally Rest In Peace!

Haron W 'Harry' Wise

Haron W Wise - May 14, 2021 at 02:39 PM

DA

“ Leonard H Berenfield, Len, a man of integrity, loyalty, passion and compassion. In a world that delivers the business message, "you are replaceable", Len "replaced this message" with you are important to our success.

The hardest working person I've ever met. A true engineer, entrepreneur, that thrived on the industry of making containers, yet was knowledgeable in finance, operations, logistics, safety, environmental regulations, comprehensive business insurance, banking, sales and customer relationships. A well-rounded CEO that cared about Berenfield Containers, and more importantly cared about you and deeply loved his family.

The world needs more Len Berenfield's! You will be so missed Len.

Don and Julie Anglim

Don Anglim - May 14, 2021 at 01:21 PM



To Joy and Greg,

It is with a heavy heart that I have hearing of the death of my cousin Len.

Len was always a great student and wonderful person. He was a loving husband and father to his two children. Berenfield Containers was the heart beat of our family.

Len was the son of Isadore and Tillie Berenfield.

His contributions to society will live on because of his hard work, Rest in Peace !!!! Miss you!! Harriet Rubinstein Berenfield

Harriet Rubinstein - May 23, 2021 at 01:23 AM