



Eric A. Gagnon

July 7, 1960 - March 9, 2011

CHESTER-Mr. Eric Alan Gagnon, 50, of 20 Williams Street, Chester, Massachusetts, died March 9, 2011 unexpectedly at home. He was born on July 7, 1960 in Portland, Maine to Francis and Vera Gagnon. He is predeceased by his parents and his sister, Carol Proctor, with whom he had resided. Eric attended St. Mark's Elementary School and St. Joseph's High School in Pittsfield, Massachusetts. He graduated from Blue Ridge Mountain High School in Pottsville, Pennsylvania in 1979 where he resided with his parents. After high school Eric moved to Rochester, New Hampshire with his family for several years, then to New London, Connecticut and eventually to Petersburg, Virginia. He returned to Chester, Massachusetts in 1999 where he resided with his sister and nephews, Aaron and Isaac Proctor. Eric was employed as a cook with local businesses in the area. He enjoyed camping and hiking, especially on the Appalachian Trail with his beloved and faithful companion, Lucy, and playing an occasional round of golf. He is survived by his sisters, Dorothy Forest, of Pittsfield, Massachusetts, Barbara DiPietro, of Westfield, Massachusetts and his brother, Scott Gagnon, of Becket, Massachusetts and their spouses; thirteen nieces and nephews and thirteen great nieces and nephews. A private service will be held at the convenience of the family. Finally, Eric, you found the peace that so long you sought as we bow our hearts in prayer and thought. Go now brother, join sister, father and mother, as you rise and shine with the Lord Devine. Our fondest farewell to our Baby Brother, with fair wind and following seas Amen. New England

Funeral & Cremation Center, LLC 25 Mill Street, Springfield, Massachusetts is assisting the family. For expressions of sympathy please visit www.nefcc.net

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“ With heartfelt sympathy to all of your family at this difficult time.\n\n\nThe Staff at New England Funeral & Cremation Center, LLC

Darlene Willey Sliwa - February 14, 2023 at 10:33 AM

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“ He was a 1978 graduate of Blue Mountain High School in Schuylkill Haven, PA. His classmates are so very sorry to finally get the news. We have been wondering what happened to Eric for several years, now. Belated condolences to the family. Eric was one of a kind, and was very much loved by the alums of Blue Mountain High School, classes of 1977-1980.

Kimberly Shealer Jenkins - February 14, 2023 at 10:33 AM

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“ I've been off Facebook for sometime and just got word about Eric. I am a classmate of '78. Eric always full of life, funny as well as originality!! Fond memories and was with him many years ago at a class reunion. \n\nCondolences from heart to yours.\n\nHugs,\n\nAndrea Kat Stramars

Andrea Stramara - February 14, 2023 at 10:33 AM