



Ronald Paul D'Avanzo

December 15, 2005

D'Avanzo, Ronald P. Suddenly Dec. 15, 2005, age 52 of Plymouth. Loving husband of Kim. Devoted father of David Paul, Kathryn Joy, and Matthew Phillip. Beloved brother of Dr. Joseph G. (Patricia) D'Avanzo. Uncle of Nicole D'Avanzo. Ronald had many hobbies. He was a rabid sports fan, devoted father and husband, Scoutmaster with the Boys Scouts, a dedicated attorney, family man who enjoyed life and his family, and he was happily computer illiterate. Ronald will be dearly missed by his family and many friends. He was a founding partner of D'Avanzo & Meconi Attorneys at law in Canton and Southgate. Funeral Mass Wednesday 10:30 AM at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church 47650 North Territorial Road (at Beck) Plymouth. In-State at church Wednesday 10 AM. Visitation Monday 4-9 PM and Tuesday 1-9 PM at Vermeulen Funeral Home 46401 West Ann Arbor Road (between Sheldon and Beck) Plymouth. Rosary Tuesday 7:30 PM. Memorial contributions may be made to Boy Scouts of America, Detroit Area Council, BSA 1776 W. Warren Ave, Detroit, MI 48208; or Cure Autism Now, 5455 Wilshire Blvd # 2250, Los Angeles, CA 90036.

To leave a message of condolence for the family click on the Online Condolence Link on this page.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ronald Paul D'Avanzo*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Dear Katie and family,*

My heart ached for you when I heard about your dad passing so suddenly. We had so many great years of softball and I remember how your dad got us all Tiger tickets during our freshman year in high school. It was so kind of him and so much fun. He was very proud of you...I know you will always have pain in your heart but remember he still feels your love and you still make him proud even though he is spending his time with Jesus now. We are thinking of you, your mom and brothers and hoping you will find the strength to be strong and find peace. xox Laura (and my parents--Mark and Dianne)

Laura Ulmer and Family - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM



“ *Dear Kim, I just heard of Ron's passing today and my heart goes out to you and your family. It has been many years since our days at MSU, but Ron was one of those special people you never forget and always remember fondly. You will be in my prayers.*

Linda Hirt - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

JH

“ Ron and I went to U. of D. Law School together and saw each other in court frequently over the last twenty-six years. I will miss him. I did not learn about his death until after the funeral. He was a fine lawyer and more importantly a fine man. My condolences to his family and friends. Sincerely, J. Michael Hill

J. Michael Hill - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

TC

“ To the D'Avanzo Family, the judicial system has lost a kind and professional gentleman with the passing of Ron. Our thoughts and sincere sympathy are with you; he will be missed.

The 34th Distict Court - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

LH

“ Please accept our deepest sympathies. We were so sorry to hear of Ron's passing. He was a pleasure to work with.

*Lori Henderson
Jodie and Barb, support staff*

Law Offices of Lori M. Henderson - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

V[

“ Kim - please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. This is a difficult time for you - something that has helped me in the past is to know that 'time is a friend'.
[If you are wondering who this is - I was one of your Mary Kay friends and lived in Plymouth.] Virginia

Virginia Fine-Stylski [Vahlbusch] - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

MG

“ On behalf of myself and everyone at Olympic Barbecue Restaurant, our deepest sympathy for your sudden loss. Our prayers are with you and your family.

Mike Golematis - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

RG

“ It was always a pleasure to see Ron at our office. Ron was a true gentleman and a wonderful advocate for his clients. Ron will be missed by many. My father has recently passed away. The following saying has been a comfort to me. My prayers are with you. Renee

?Death is nothing at all. I have only slipped away into the next room. I am I and you are you. Whatever we were to each other, we still are. Call me by my old familiar name; speak to me in the easy way, which you always used.

Put no difference in your tone; wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow. Laugh as we always laughed at the little jokes we enjoyed together. Pray, smile, think of me, and pray for me. Let my name be ever the household word that it always was, let it be spoken without effect, without the trace of a shadow on it. Life means all that it ever meant. It is the same as it ever was; there is unbroken continuity. Why should I be out of mind because I am out of sight? I am waiting for you, for an interval, somewhere very near, just around the corner.

All is well.?

Henry Scott Holland

1847 ? 1918

Canon of St.Paul?s Cathedral

Renee Gray - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

AM

“ Tuesday, December 20, 2005

Dear D'Avanzo Family:

Our office has just now learned of Ron's passing. We are deeply saddened to hear this news. Ron was a great man, good friend, and a kind soul. Our prayers go out to his wife Kim, his three children, David, Katie & Matt and his entire family. We know Ron will be missed by many including his staff and law partner, Tom Meconi.

With heartfelt sympathy,

Law Offices of Garber & Mayers, PLLC

Arnie Garber, Esq.

Ralph Mayers, Esq.

Renee Gray, Office Administrator

Tahir, Zelda, Joni & Justine, Support Staff

Arnie Garber & Ralph Mayers - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

SJ

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family - miss you as neighbors. We have moved, 8480 Hix Road, Westland, MI 48185 (734)453-6155. Please let us know if we could do anything for you all.*

Sharon & Ted Jackson - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

CT

“ *Kim, David, Katie and Matt,*

It is so hard living so far away sometimes! You have been in our thoughts and prayers continuously.

I will miss Ron's contagious laughter and smile. He was a wonderfully warm person to know and love.

I am very thankful to have this website right now to connect with you all.

I have talked to my family and the plan is that they will call me right before the rosary. While you all are praying, I will be praying too over the cell phone. Also, tomorrow during Ron's service, my school, Sacred Heart, will be having their Christmas school mass. We will all be in church at the same time just miles apart but I will be with you all in my heart.

I will call soon. All our love! Carrie

Carrie and Tim - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

DP

“ *Dear Family and Tom,*

So sorry for your loss.

Ron has always been a joy to be around. For 25 years it has been my pleasure to have him as a friend and colleague. He brightened all our lives. He brought honor to our profession.

May his memory be for a blessing.

*Love,
Dave Wolock*

David H. Wolock, retired prosecutor - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

TF

“ *OUR SON JOE WAS IN A FEW PLAYS WITH MATT IN HIGH SCHOOL AND WE WANTED TO SEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO MATT AND HIS FAMILY ON HIS DAD'S DEATH. WE ARE KEEPING YOU ALL IN OUR PRAYERS.*

THE DRAKE FAMILY - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

SB

“ *To the D'Avanzo Family - Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family in this saddened time of sorrow. I've known Ronald since I was a young girl through his father. He will be deeply missed.*

Sue Bucciarelli and Susan Causey

Susan Causey and Sue Bucciarelli - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

JH

“ *Our profession, the court system and all of Ron's clients have lost a great advocate. My thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends. His skill, caring and personality will be deeply missed.*

Judge Richard Halloran - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

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“ *Kim, David, Katie, Matt - Our hearts and our prayers are with you during this difficult time. Ron was an exceptional man and will missed by his adopted sons, brothers, and sisters in Troop 1537. If there is anything we can do for you please let us know. His memory and spirit burns bright in each one of us.*

Boy Scout Troop 1537 - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

LO

“ *23 years of kindness and respect can never be forgotten. I first met Ron as an agent at Realty World where he shared the office building. From there it led to many years of legal services with him and his partner Tom. He was always a kind, comforting and considerate person. God be with you all at this time. Always in my heart, Lorraine Hayes*

Lorraine - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

PP

“ Dear Joe & Family -

I was so shocked to hear of the death of your brother today, by accident, looking for an article for my children. This brings profound sorrow for you, I know because I am sure he was as kind and wonderful a person as you are and his many friends must also love thoughts of him as a brother.

May I extend my deep sympathy to you and your family. May your memories be a source of comfort. My prayers and blessings will be with you -

Most sincerely -

Pattie Pierce

Pattie Pierce - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

KW

“ *Kim, David, Katie & Matthew - I'm so saddened and sorry. You are all in my thoughts & prayers.*

Kelly Witczak - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

DH

“ *Kim,
I was Rons cousin. His Aunt Lela Farmers Granddaughter. I was so sorry to hear of his passing. My prayers are with you and your family.*

Deb Harp - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

LB

“ *Kim and family,
Truly this community has suffered a great loss, not as great as
yours however. Our
sympathies to you and your family. Words could
never express his commitment to those who knew him and his
concern for his fellow man.*

Lana & Ted Byrne - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM

DS

“ *Kim:
Words cannot express our deepest, heartfelt feelings of sorrow for
you and your family.*

Denise, Jay, Brittany & Ashley Smith - December 12, 2014 at 10:35 AM