



## George A. Labbe

September 22, 1938 - February 20, 2016

George Labbe of Cadillac peacefully passed away Saturday morning, February 20, 2016 at his home surrounded by his family. He was 77. George was born on September 22, 1938 in Cadillac to Harold W. & Ruth A. (Schmuck) Labbe and they preceded him in death.

George graduated from Cadillac High School in 1956 and had lived in the Cadillac area all his life. George served in the Army National Guard for 10 years. He was employed at Pete's Radiator Shop, TV 9 & 10 as a cameraman and later as a Firefighter for the City of Cadillac for 25 years retiring as Captain. George was also the owner and operator of Labbe's Small Engine Repair a business that he worked while working his full time job at Cadillac Fire Department.

Mr. Labbe was active and proud to be a member of all the following clubs and organizations and always found time to give back to his community through them: AMVETS Post 120 of Mesick, AMVETS Post 110 of Cadillac, American Legion Post 300 of Lake City, VFW Post of St. Ignace, Moose Lodge #531 of Cadillac, Lake City Eagles, life member of the Northwest Michigan Engine & Thresher Club, Inc. and was a former member of the Saladin Temple of Lake City and the Mesick Masonic Lodge.

On May 23, 1959 at St. Ann Catholic Church in Cadillac he married the former Patricia A. Tyler and she survives him along with their children Mike (Donna) Labbe of Wellston, Dawn (Jim) Richert of Cadillac; grandchildren: Krystal Labbe (Larry Payne), Scott (Jessica) Labbe, Candace Richert, Jordan Richert,

Nichole (Roger) Gibson, Dale (Chelsea) Kniss; two great-grandchildren, Ava Lynn Labbe and Jonathon Michael Labbe; sisters, Joie Labbe of Cadillac and Marie (L. Wayne) Johnson of Maple Grove, Minnesota and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by two infant sisters: Ida Mabel and Kathleen Louise Labbe, a brother, Harold "Harp" Labbe on February 9, 1999, a daughter-in-law, Terri L. Labbe on Oct. 22, 1999, a grandson, Christopher M. Labbe on July 14, 2015 and a nephew, Mark A. Labbe on December 9, 2015.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, February 24, 2016 at Peterson Funeral and Cremation Services in Cadillac with Deacon Frank Kopasz officiating. Friends may meet the family Tuesday from 5-7 p.m. at the funeral home. His final resting place will be Selma Township Cemetery in Wexford County.

Memorial contributions may be made to Munson Hospice or Crippled Children's Fund. An online guestbook is available at [www.petersonfh.com](http://www.petersonfh.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ SOO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS, HE WILL BE MISSED BY A BUNCH OF PEOPLE. R,I,P,

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**LAYNE/CAROL DAVIS** - February 27, 2016 at 11:19 AM

LC

“ SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS PAT.WE ARE THINKING OF YOU AND YOUR FAMILY FROM FL.

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**LEE & PAT CORN** - February 24, 2016 at 05:25 AM

BG

“ So sorry pat!George was good to us boys and are dad.Rest in peace big buddy.

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**Brian Gunnett** - February 23, 2016 at 06:58 PM

ER

“ Sorry for your loss, thoughts and prayers with you all. May the laughs and good times help during the sadness.

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**Ericka** - February 23, 2016 at 04:57 PM

RD

“ Sorry to hear about George. He should have had many more years. Rest in peace and say hi to my mom and dad.

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**Roy & Jeanette Dickerson** - February 23, 2016 at 01:06 PM

JM

“ Mack and I were so sad to hear about George, he was such a great guy, love to you all :(

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**Jackie Strom McWethy** - February 22, 2016 at 10:23 PM

BW

“ Rest easy George. You were always a good friend. Our hearts are with you Pat.

Bill & Pam Warren - February 22, 2016 at 08:20 PM

SM

“ Just imagine all the people George laughed with throughout his life! So sorry for your loss Pat, Dawn, and Mike and families. Thinking of you all.

Suzie and Larry Martz - February 22, 2016 at 07:35 PM

GW

“ You will be missed, Prayers to the family

Gary Whetten - February 22, 2016 at 03:09 PM

DW

“ Pat and Family,

So sorry for your loss. Dean & Jeri Werner

Dean Werner - February 22, 2016 at 03:08 PM

RM

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts are with you.

Rita Majerle-Klug - February 22, 2016 at 02:20 PM

TC

“ Rest in peace George. You and dad can get caught up now in heaven. Sorry for your loss Pat.

Teresa Carlson - February 22, 2016 at 12:46 PM

SA

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with the Labbe family.

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**Shirley Arlt** - February 22, 2016 at 12:16 PM

PB

“ I'm so sorry for your family's loss. Its been a hard few months for such a great group, at least they'll be together watching over you all.

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**Patrick Brookshire** - February 22, 2016 at 10:17 AM

WE

“ i had many good times with george in the years past.he was a good friend.

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**wayne e.bishop** - February 22, 2016 at 10:05 AM

CC

“ Very sorry to hear about George. He was a such a good guy. Sending hugs and prayers.

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**Cindy Cutler** - February 22, 2016 at 09:58 AM

RB

“ Pat - We are so sorry for your loss. George was always such a jovial person with a huge smile on his face and a twinkle in his eye. We will always have wonderful memories of him. Our thoughts and prayers for comfort are with you.

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**Rich and Susan Baldwin** - February 22, 2016 at 09:53 AM

KC

“ Prayers for peace to your family George. I know you rest in the love of Our Father in Heaven.

Kerry Claytor - February 22, 2016 at 09:09 AM

JL

“ So very sorry Pat. Our Prayers are with you now and the family of a Great man.

Jane and Duff Lueder - February 22, 2016 at 08:51 AM

DK

“ Will miss you and remember the many nights of smelt fishing. RIP Captain.

David Koenig - February 22, 2016 at 08:45 AM

ML

“ I'm so sorry for your loss, sending you love and strength.

M.J. Lanning - February 22, 2016 at 08:35 AM

DC

“ George could always make you laugh with his humorous stories! R.I.P. my friend

Dan Catto - February 22, 2016 at 08:29 AM

BC

“ Feeling blessed to have known George. Your bright smile and kindness will be missed. Sending love and prayers for Pat and family.

Brigitte Colson - February 22, 2016 at 08:00 AM

JL

“ Pat we are so sorry for your loss. George was a wonderful person and so glad we knew him.

Jim & Debbie Linna - February 22, 2016 at 07:38 AM

LC

“ Prayers to the family as we remember a wonderful man. Rest in Peace George.

Leonard and Theresa Cabot - February 22, 2016 at 06:51 AM

CD

“ Going to miss a great friend. Thoughts and prayers to Pat and the Family

Chris & Carole Davison - February 22, 2016 at 06:49 AM

PC

“ Thoughts and prayers to you and your family during this difficulty time.

Paula Cornell - February 22, 2016 at 06:04 AM

AK

“ George was a kind man who brought a smile to my face every time we spoke. We will keep Pat and the family in our thoughts and prayers.

Anne Koschmider - February 22, 2016 at 05:24 AM

J-

“ So very sorry to the Labbe family. Rest in peace George...

Julie Consolino -Wright - February 21, 2016 at 11:50 PM

JJ

“ I will miss your mischievous smile Uncle George! Can't imagine who got to you first...Grandma Labbe or Uncle Harp! Prayers for peace to my much loved Family in Michigan!!

Janice Johnson - February 21, 2016 at 11:43 PM

RJ

“ I didn't know him personally but my father and grand parents Edith and Arvid Anderson did and I went to school with his grandchildren..... RIP!

Richard Anderson J.R - February 21, 2016 at 11:11 PM

TP

“ We are so sorry for your loss , love hugs and prayers to you all

The Pods - February 21, 2016 at 10:31 PM

JG

“ So sad to hear of George's passing...praying for the whole family. He was such a great guy & I have many childhood memories.

John & Amy Garlets - February 21, 2016 at 10:28 PM

JH

“ Our heartfelt sympathy to all of the family. George will be missed by all who knew him. God Bless you and keep you until we meet again.

Jack & Patricia Hankins - February 21, 2016 at 10:22 PM

TF

“ Thank you George for all you have given to Cadillac. You will be sorely missed.

**Theobald family** - February 21, 2016 at 09:59 PM

PA

“ my high school friend i will miss you.so sorry for your loss pat,our prayers are with you.

**paul@pat altman** - February 21, 2016 at 09:57 PM

JL

“ Smiling as we remember George. Big hearted and always cheerful. Many, many friends can attest to his humor and hood nature. Fond and pleasant thoughts sent to the family with our prayers.

**Jerry and Diane Leavell** - February 21, 2016 at 07:32 PM

JD

“ Rest in peace George. Our love and prayers to the Labbe family

**Jan & David Doughty** - February 21, 2016 at 04:15 PM

JS

“ So sorry Pat my thoughts and prayers are with you

**JOYCE SINCLAIR** - February 21, 2016 at 12:48 PM

DH

“ lot of good years, good by my friend, see you later

**DON HAGBERG** - February 21, 2016 at 11:10 AM