



Lawrence P. Traube

December 31, 1926 - December 15, 2014

OBITUARY Saugerties – Lawrence Peter Traube died on Monday December 15, 2014 at Northern Dutchess Hospital in Rhinebeck, NY. Mr. Traube struggled for many years with Parkinson’s Disease. He had a great love for the English Language, the Marx Brothers, the NY Giants, Artie Shaw and Frank Sinatra. His quick wit, fairness and enthusiasm will be missed. Mr. Traube was born in Manhattan on December 31, 1926. He grew up in Yonkers, NY. Upon graduation from high school, he served in World War II in the US Army 88th Division in Italy. He and his wife Sally lived in Manhattan for many years. In 1967 they bought a derelict farmhouse in Saugerties, NY. They suffered from the naïve idea that they could “fix it up”. Decades later, the house is snug, but still needs fixing. In Manhattan, Mr. Traube worked for many years for Avis Rental Car. Subsequently, he directed the City College Writing Center and was then a senior advisor for New York University. Survivors are his wife, Sally; a sister-in-law, Elizabeth Lauter; his son, Richard; and his beloved cats. Cremation services were under the direction of Buono Funeral Service, Inc., Saugerties, NY.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence P. Traube*

October 20, 2022 at 08:34 PM



“ *Dear Sally, Betty and family,
I just received the word about Larry and please accept my condolences. I had gotten to know Larry when I worked at Avis Rent A Car on E.64th Street in NYC. Sally, we did have many laughs in those days and Larry was right there to share in the laughter. I remember when Sally and Larry decided to buy the property "upstate" and a few of we Avis folks went up to take a look, wow I can't believe that was 1967! Again, I remember Larry with great fondness and many good memories from those NYC days. Praying for you all in this time of loss. Love from, Elaine Shindle*

Elaine Shindle - December 26, 2014 at 12:29 PM



“ *Dear Sally and family,
Years ago, when I was working at the Saugerties Wellness Center, I had the distinct privilege of having Larry as a patient. Never a session went by where we didn't share a few laughs about the many absurdities of existence. I was touched by his warmth, intelligence and humor and his acceptance of his lot in life. His was a beautiful spirit and I wish you solace and peace. I am so sorry for your loss. Love, Charles*

Charles LaBarre, L.Ac. - December 22, 2014 at 02:37 PM