



Charles R. Lavene

October 9, 1928 - October 2, 2016

Charles R. Lavene, 87, a lifelong resident of Eatontown, passed away on Sunday October 2, 2016 at the Meridian Subacute Rehabilitation Center, Wall surrounded by his loving family. Charles was a Superintendent for the Boro of Eatontown Dept. of Public Works 1962-1987 and Monmouth Park Race Track Security 1985-2012. He was a Corporal in the United States Army serving in the Korean War from 1950 to 1956. Charles is a life member of the Eatontown Fire Department Engine Truck & Hose Co. No. 1; joining in 1948 he is an Ex-Chief of the Dept. He is also a Life Member and past Trustee of the Eatontown Elks lodge 2402. Charles was also a past member of the Eatontown Historical Society, VFW Oakhurst Post 2226 and the Eatontown Shade Tree Commission.

He is predeceased by his wife Paula Ann Lavene in 2001. Surviving are his loving children, Charles M. Lavene and his wife Laura L. Lavene of Virginia Beach, Kathleen F. Lavene-Neidigh and her husband Karlton L. Neidigh of Howell Township, James R. Lavene and his wife Sherry Lavene of Eatontown, Ruthanne Paulus and her husband John E. Paulus III of Point Pleasant; his cherished grandchildren, Jason and Zachary Paulus, Justin and Kyle Lavene, Charles and Michael Lavene.

A visitation will be held from 2:00pm to 4:00 pm and visitation and memorial services 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm on Friday October 7, 2016 at the Bongarzone Funeral Home, 2400 Shafto road, Tinton Falls. Services will begin at 7:00 pm. Burial of cremains will be private at Atlantic Cemetery, Colts Neck. In lieu of

flowers donations in his memory may be made to: Local PBA #305,
Eatontown Police Dept 47 Broad Street Eatontown, NJ 07724.

Cemetery Details

Burial will be Private

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

KF

“ Charlie was an amazing man to his friends, family, and community. He will be greatly missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. Please accept our condolences. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth & Melissa Fary

Kenneth Fary - October 07, 2016 at 08:47 AM

LH

“ Love The Halleran's purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Charles R. Lavene.



Love The Halleran's - October 05, 2016 at 10:15 AM

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“ Thank you, Charlie. You opened your home to me not knowing me very well other than a few short visits over a period of two years. You also helped guide me when I had a dilemma with politics at work. I only hope that the things I did were enough, even if I don't feel it was, to repay you for all that you did for me. I'm glad I was there in your last moments and I hope that by my being there with Kathy and Ruthy brought you comfort as you left us. I'm grateful your passing was peaceful. I know now that you are no longer in pain and free to roam again as you did when healthy here. Happy adventures, Charlie!

Karlton Neidigh - October 05, 2016 at 09:51 AM

PR

“ Gonna miss the jokes and laughs the most. Didn't realize all the accomplishments you achieved. Wow. Hope you and Aunt Paula are dancing together in heaven.
Nephew Paul and wife Liz Roach.

Paul Roach - October 05, 2016 at 09:10 AM



“ I want to share this... my memory of Mr. Lavene. Growing up living across the street from him I can say this... He always smiled, laughed. On Easter Mr Lavene would buy chocolate from the local chocolate store , not only buying for his children but for me as well... thinking of me! I dont think I ever seen a frown on his face,he was always happy!
I will miss you, you were a great man Mr. Lavene!!!! Sending my condolences to the family...

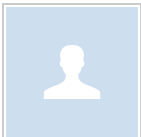
Peg Van Dyke - October 05, 2016 at 06:54 AM

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“ Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Charles R. Lavene



bongarzone funeral home - October 05, 2016 at 05:57 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Charles R. Lavene.



October 03, 2016 at 07:15 PM