



Nicholas J. Damiano

July 24, 1953 - August 25, 2011

Nicholas J. Damiano, 58, husband of Janice Davidson Damiano, of Middletown, passed away Thursday August 25, 2011, surrounded by his loving family. Born in Waterbury, Nicholas graduated from Sacred Heart High School in 1971 and was Tri Captain of the football team, UConn in 1975 and also Waterbury State Technical School with a degree in Computer Science. He worked as a computer programmer at Traveler's Insurance, most recently worked at The Home Depot in Glastonbury. Nicholas was an avid runner and enjoyed yoga. Nick had a passion for The Boston Red Sox and Celtics. Besides his wife Janice, Nicholas is survived by his parents, Joseph and Carolina Pazzaglini Damiano; a step-son, Jeffrey Russo and his wife Darlene of East Berlin; two step-daughters, Leslie LeBlanc and her husband John of Bethesda, Maryland, and Erin Coughlin and her fiancé Keyon Smith of Middletown; a sister, Rose M. Walsh and her husband Michael of Middlebury; several grandchildren, Stephanie and Emily Russo, Cierra, Jayden Coughlin & Kalani Smith & Benjamin, Graham and Zachary LeBlanc; a niece, Kara Walsh Keenaghan and her husband Brian of Philadelphia, PA; and a nephew, Michael Walsh Jr. and his wife Emily of Arlington, VA; and two grandnieces, Charlotte Walsh of Arlington, VA and Carolina Keenaghan of Philadelphia, PA. A Mass of Christian Funeral will be celebrated September 3, 2011 at 10 AM at St. John of the Cross Church, in Middlebury. The family would like to express gratitude to the staff of the cardiac ICU at Hartford Hospital for their compassion and extraordinary expertise. In lieu of flowers, donations in

Nicholas's name may be made to the Cardiac ICU of Hartford Hospital, 80 Seymour Street Hartford, CT 06102. Carlson Funeral Home, New Britain, is assisting the family with arrangements. Please share a memory or note of sympathy with Nicholas's family by "clicking" SEND CONDOLENCES at the bottom of the page.

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KK

“ Every since I was a baby, I have adored my Uncle Nicky. He was a kind, funny, intelligent, thoughtful, loving man and the perfect uncle. I always looked forward to spending time with him and have so many wonderful memories of laughs we shared and enjoyable times spent together. I am so happy that my husband got to know and love him, and we couldn't wait for our baby daughter to get to know and adore her Uncle Nicky too. I am heartbroken that he is gone and devastated that this will never happen. But I know that he is looking down on us with a smile and that Carolina will love hearing stories about her uncle. I will think of him and miss him every day. I love you Uncle Nicky!

Kara Keenaghan - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Nick was my football CO-Capt in 1970 /1971 at Sacred Heart. Great Co-Captain and never made me or other players run extra sprints or do laps during hot practice. Always the gentleman and great football player. The world is a better place to have had Nick. God Bless and enjoy your talks with our pricipal, and have a cigar with Father B. Such an Honor to have graduated in 71 and to have known you. Thanks Brian Sugrue

Brian Sugrue - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

WN

“ It was with great sadness and sorrow that I learned of Nick's passing yesterday. I worked with and for Nick at Travelers during the 1980's. Nick was one of the nicest, sincerest and most honest people I have ever met. I enjoyed working with him so much. He was a hard worker who led by example. I had so much appreciation, respect and admiration for him as a co-worker, a person and a friend. He just made me want to do my best and work hard and he appreciated everything I did. There was nothing I would not do for him. I also enjoyed playing softball with Nick and going out for a few beers afterwards. Nick was always fun to be around and he always made me laugh. Though I had not seen or talked to Nick since leaving Travelers in 1987 and returning in 2006 I have often thought about him and wondered how he was doing. He was the first person I tried to look up when I returned here in 2006. Rest in Peace, Nick.

Wayne Norman - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ Dear Janice:

May God give you Nick's peace.

Glenn & Robin Brand

Glenn Brand - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ We worked with Nick at Travelers. In addition to being a hard worker, he added so much fun to the work day. He was always so lively, and active. He was a great guy to work with, we thought a lot of him. Please accept our sympathies, thoughts and prayers.

Joan and Sal Cangelosi - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM