



Mr. Damian Leonard Ward

February 26, 1971 - November 22, 2018

Mr. Damian L. Ward, 47, of Calgary, AB (Stephenville Crossing, NL) along with his best buddy Boyd, his beloved Chocolate Labrador Retriever, have left this earthly realm.

After High School Damian became a member of the Canadian Armed Forces – Naval Division where he served his country for 9 years and obtained a marine engineering degree. He then went on to continue his education and accomplished a civil engineering degree at Dalhousie University, NS. He then worked for Alberta companies as an engineer until a few years ago he decided to take the courageous leap and form his own business working full time from home as a successful investor. His family could not be more proud of him.

Damian leaves to mourn his Father Leonard Ward; Sister Dionne Ward-Young; Stepmother Betty Ward; Brother-in-Law Allan Young; Nieces: Jalysa Young and Julianna Young; Great-Niece Tyra Louvelle; Best Friends: Greg Carroll (his Soul-Brother) and Jana Brennan-Carroll; along with a large circle of Aunts, Uncles, Cousins and Friends. He was pre-deceased by his Mother Ann Maria Lucas; Grandparents: Thomas & Katherine Lucas and Herbert & Mary Ward.

Thank you to all who loved Damian and shared in his life experiences. His

spirit and presence will forever be with everyone who loved and understood him. His luminous eyes, hearty laugh, quick wit and quirky sense of humor will be forever ingrained in our hearts.

In Damian's honour the family requests that you love one another, say the important things and be kind to yourselves and each other.

In lieu of flowers please make a donation to your local animal shelter or animal rescue center in memory of Damian and Boyd.

A celebration of Damian's life will be arranged at a later date.

".....I love you....what more can I say....."

Caring for the family is Lyle Reeves Funerals of High River, Alberta (403.652.4242).

Tribute Wall

JA

“ *My dear friend you will be missed more than you could ever imagine. This Christmas we will set your usual spot. I'll pour you a glass of wine and we shall toast to you. We made lots of memories Damian, wish there were more to follow however, I am comforted knowing you and sweet Boyd are at rest. Thanks for all of the laughs, you were good at that and your smile showed it . Soar with the eagles until we meet again.*



jana - December 08, 2018 at 08:47 PM

BS

You three have such precious memories that will help heal your hearts. Thank you so much for loving him.

Baby Sister - December 12, 2018 at 03:15 PM

SH

“ *Shawn, Jeanette And Rhylee Head lit a candle in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward*



Shawn, Jeanette and Rhylee Head - December 01, 2018 at 06:42 PM

SH

Our deepest condolences.

Shawn, Jeanette and Rhylee Head - December 01, 2018 at 07:43 PM

CA

“ I am deeply saddened and my thoughts go to the Ward family. Leonard and Deon, I hope you find peace someday. I have known Damian since the early days of high school where we first connected and spent many evening zooming around on our Yamaha 3 wheelers...although I could never catch him. Damian was one of the smartest persons I have ever met. Math and science but especially math came natural to him...guess that is why he made such a great Engineer. Damian holds his name on 2 patents in the oil and gas industry and that makes me so proud. Way to go Damian!

After high school we kind of went our separate ways but then reconnected a few years later in Halifax...those were great years. We spent almost every weekend together as a large group and I have such great memories of that. On Sundays we always found time to gather and watch the Simpsons. I did not watch the Simpsons to watch the Simpsons, I watched the Simpsons to watch Damian. For those of you who have seen Damian laugh, you know, but if you were not fortunate to have seen, well, it was from deep inside and so genuine. I loved to laugh with Damian. It made everything right.

After Damian moved to Calgary and soon after he breezed through Engineering, we sort of separated again. I did miss his company and friendship very much but I always felt that we would get back to our old days of hanging around and being good buddies again. I am saddened to think that will not happen....but Damian and I being nerdy scientists and intellects, would spend hours speaking of the universe, the cosmos and life in general and I do know that if there is another place to be for all of us, mine will have definitely have Damian in it. I will miss you my friend.

Cory Alexander

Cory Alexander - November 29, 2018 at 07:34 PM

BS

Thank you so much for sharing. I was thinking of you two the other day when I was flooded with memories and how in High School he'd tell me "feed the dog, I have to get to Cory's to watch Jeopardy!" You are right, it was such a treat to watch him laugh!!!!

Baby Sister - November 30, 2018 at 06:51 AM

TL

*To Dionne , Leonard and Family, my deepest condolences.
Thankyou Cory for sharing.
When I think of Damian ,
I always smile as he was a great friend in high school and growing up.He was funny and kind, definitely one of the nicest! He was great company and so smart- we had many great times. I remember grad party at his house the most- more like after party! We had a blast. He will be missed.
Thinking of you Damian and your family 💕*

Tracy lussier - December 01, 2018 at 06:55 AM

BS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall

**Celebration of Life in
Damian's honour to
be held on Dec 8
@7pm upstairs
lounge at the 50 Plus
Club, Stephenville
Crossing. All family**

Baby Sister - November 29, 2018 at 06:16 PM

BS

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and friends welcome**

Baby Sister - November 29, 2018 at 06:15 PM

TG

“ *Deepest condolences to the Ward family as well as his close friends.*

terri garland - November 29, 2018 at 12:23 PM

Nicole Nolan

“ *I am shocked...so young. We were cousins and went to school together. Some of my favourite memories were of him and Freddy coming to moms and the craziness, sarcasm, and laughs would follow. I am sure they are up to the same in heaven ...RIP old friend. xoxo*

Nicole Nolan - November 29, 2018 at 11:17 AM

LH

“ *I was saddened to hear of Damian's passing. It was an honor to have known Damian . He was a great person. I remember in high school his ripped jeans and his long hair. There is not one person can say one bad thing about Damian. He was respected by many. I pray that your heart and soul will find peace and comfort. Remember Damian's stories, and how they made you feel; by doing that, part of Damian will always remain with you. May you Rest In Peace my friend.*

Leah Howell-Puff - November 28, 2018 at 11:27 PM

BW

“ *Betty Ward lit a candle in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward*



Betty Ward - November 28, 2018 at 09:02 PM

SH

“ Sharon Harms lit a candle in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward



Sharon Harms - November 28, 2018 at 04:50 PM

RL

“ I Was Shocked & Saddened To Learn Of Damien's Tragic, Untimely Departure From This Mortal Realm...I Hadn't Seen Him Since High School...I Shall Always Remember Damien As Being A Good Person/Friend Who Possessed A Unique Sense Of Humor, Someone Who Was Held In The Highest Possible Regard & Beloved By Those Who Were Privileged To Be In His Presence/In His Life...My Sincerest Condolences To The Respective Families...Farewell, Damien, May You Rest In Eternal Peace...

Ray Lucas - November 28, 2018 at 01:36 PM

 James Lucas

“ Sorry to hear about Damian's passing ,haven't seen him in a long time but we used to have a lot of laughs together when we were teens hanging out at Godfrey's ,the teenage dances in his room playing the guitar . He was a good guy and he will be missed, my condolences to his family. RIP my buddy



James Lucas - November 28, 2018 at 11:10 AM

BS

Thank you for sharing those memories.

Baby Sister - November 28, 2018 at 01:31 PM

NJ

“ Niece Jalysa lit a candle in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward



Niece Jalysa - November 28, 2018 at 09:11 AM

NO

“ Nicole Osborne sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward



Nicole Osborne - November 28, 2018 at 07:58 AM

GO

“ Graham Osborne sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward



Graham Osborne - November 28, 2018 at 07:57 AM

GO

“ Damian was a man's man with always a hard hand shake and a pat on the shoulder. I enjoyed sharing a drink and swapping stories over many late nights with Damian. He had some great stories to share and always a good laugh.
We are deeply pained and words are of no help in expressing the sorrow we feel at this moment. Sincere condolences!

Graham Osborne - November 28, 2018 at 07:57 AM

BS

Thank you so much.

Baby Sister - November 28, 2018 at 12:32 PM

NO

“ We got to know Damian and Boyd in High River over the past couple of years, we joined together for Thanksgiving and Christmas Holidays and general gatherings. Damian always brought with him kindness, respect and a willingness to teach, he often explained to me things I did not know and was a very gentle man. We always laughed at how we all jumped when he would call for Boyd, it was usually loud and unexpected and so funny! Boyd his forever side kick displayed the same soft and gentle demeanor as Damian. Damian choose right in his best friends Jana and Greg as I have witnessed the tremendous strength they have shown at this very difficult time. It will be forever ingrained in me how these two have done the very hardest of tasks for the love of their friend. On behalf of myself and my family we send our most heartfelt condolences to all those that loved Damion.



Nicole A Osborne - November 28, 2018 at 07:36 AM

BS

Thank you so much for sharing that. You are correct, Jana & Greg have been my lifelines through all of this, could not have possibly done it without them. They are my superhero's as was my Big Brother.

Baby Sister - November 28, 2018 at 01:34 PM

CW

“ *My heart breaks for your family. Losing someone is never easy, just know his presence will always be around. Many thoughts and prayers going out to the family and friends of Damian. Rest in peace my friend.*

Cindy White - November 28, 2018 at 05:52 AM

BS

Thank you so much.

Baby Sister - November 28, 2018 at 12:35 PM

CW

“ *Cindy White lit a candle in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward*



Cindy White - November 28, 2018 at 04:48 AM

TN

“ *Sincere condolences on Damian's passing. I have no words to ease your pain and I so wish I could even just for a moment. Just know I'm right here, just say the word. I love you all so much. Thoughts, prayers for strength , hugs and love.*

-- Tracey--

Tracey Nolan - November 28, 2018 at 03:28 AM

BS

You always are there, for everyone. Thank you. Love you.

Baby Sister - November 28, 2018 at 05:36 AM

BW

*You are the best Tracey and don't let anyone ever tell you different!!!
You are loved by so many!!!!*

Betty Ward - November 28, 2018 at 07:58 PM

JB

“ *Deepest of condolences to Damian's family and other friends. I had the pleasure of getting to know Damian a little better through my brother in law Greg within the past 15 years or so on various occasions. It's very sad news as he will certainly will be missed. I got to know Damian a little closer over time even while away from back home. Had the pleasure of also meeting his dog Boyd and seeing Damian a few years back while in the Calgary area. Damian's dog Boyd was getting a little older then but it was great to see how he still continued to look after Boyd and how they stuck together. I really appreciate the commitment that Damian made in keeping a dog for that long of a period. I believe that says a lot about a person. Also appreciated Damians wit, knowledge and quick thinking. He did extremely well in life and proud to see a guy from back home make us all proud. Finally, myself Greg, Jana and Damian did a weekend camping trip over to Sandy Point many years ago. Great memories back then sitting around the camp fire. As such, hope Damian, Boyd and others are awaiting for those of us on Fiddlers Green...*

Jason Brennan - November 28, 2018 at 02:05 AM

BS

That is beautiful Jason. Thank you so much.

Baby Sister - November 28, 2018 at 06:34 AM

JB

“ Jason Brennan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward



Jason Brennan - November 28, 2018 at 01:24 AM

SC

“ Stephen Corneau lit a candle in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward



Stephen Corneau - November 28, 2018 at 12:23 AM

MY

“ Mark Young lit a candle in memory of Mr. Damian Leonard Ward



Mark Young - November 27, 2018 at 11:33 PM

SC

“ You're like a brother to me. A person I looked up. Whished we stayed as close as we were as teenagers. I love you Damian you will always be in my Heart. Too Dionne, Leonard and Betty my condolences

Stephen Corneau - November 27, 2018 at 11:32 PM

BS

Thank you so much. You certainly were a big part of his life. Thank you for being his friend.

Baby Sister - November 28, 2018 at 06:35 AM

BW

Thank you soooo much!!!

Betty Ward - November 28, 2018 at 08:01 PM

BS

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Baby Sister - November 27, 2018 at 11:06 PM

BS

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Baby Sister - November 27, 2018 at 11:05 PM

MY

“ So sorry to hear about the passing of Damian, my condolences to the family, hanged around Damianwhile attending assumption with him, always a guy full of fun and laughter, yup still only seems like yesterday that we use to sneak away from lunch break to go buy some single smokes for a quarter!! You will be miss my buddy and hope you rest in peace!!

Mark Young - November 27, 2018 at 10:32 PM

BS

That makes me smile. Thank you Mark.

Baby Sister - November 28, 2018 at 06:38 AM

BS

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Baby Sister - November 27, 2018 at 10:07 PM

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Baby Sister - November 27, 2018 at 10:07 PM

BS

“ *Baby Sister lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Damian Leonard Ward*



Baby Sister - November 27, 2018 at 09:32 PM