



Marc David Caplan

November 28, 1934 - April 30, 2021

CAPLAN - Marc David Caplan, age 86, passed away on Friday, April 30, 2021. Marc was a systems analyst/ computer programmer by trade but an artist at heart. Throughout his life, no napkin, paper plate or scrap of paper was safe if there was a pen nearby. Those who knew him well will remember him as having been a "hippie" in the truest sense of the word. He was intensely intelligent and proud to have passed the Mensa test. He loved all things science fiction and in particular that which touched on time travel. Marc was a movie buff. In fact, one of his most loved and used books was Leonard Maltin's Movie Guide. Marc would watch many of his favorite old movies over and over. He would get adorably weepy with each repeat viewing. He especially loved Danny Kaye's comedy, Mel Brooks and almost everything Woody Allen. Marc was a Veteran of the United States Army and is preceded in death by his parents, J. Louis & Lucille T. Caplan. Marc is survived by his two daughters, Lisa Caplan and Helene MacMillan; No services are planned at this time.

Comments



“ Dear Marc....., Dear Friend, & Dear Brother-in-law,

I apologize it's taken me a while since your passing to sit down and write this, but I honestly put it off because I've been trying to process it all, and by sitting down and finally sending you my thoughts and confronting your passing, makes it hit me square in the face that an era has truly ended.

We had so many great times together starting when you married my wife's sister Lana in 1978-1979 and through the 20 years you guys were married and together, and over the years you became totally like a brother to me for most of those years in so many ways. This was all developed through all the family gatherings through the many years, through the great/fun times we all had together, through you Beating my Ass like you owned me at Tennis (what a wicked serve you had), and of course through what seems like millions of late night lengthy discussions we had about everything from art while I watched you doing one of your awesome hand drawings (which you loved so much and did all the time, to listening to great music, and talking for hours about every other subject on the planet! You loved life, and loved to soak everything in, and loved to party with the best of them, and I'm sure we must have smoked a million Doobies together!

Even though we had major differences, and disagreements sometimes, you were a really devoted and kind husband to my sister-in-law Lana during your marriage, and I recognize that you really did all you possibly could to be there for her, and provide to her, both during the good times, and the really rough times, and to take care of her the best way you knew how, while many times also trying to save her from herself, so me and my wife Vanetta (Lana's sister) Thank you greatly for that, and also thank you for being a Great and Loyal friend to us as well.

In closing, Vanetta and I feel as though you are finally reunited with Lana, so we know you're super happy now, and we know you guys are hosting the BIGGEST party in Heaven, and we hope to be reunited with you and so many of the family and friends we've lost over the years when we also pass, and look forward to seeing you then my friend!! I can promise you we will have a toast together, and of course have the Fattest Doobie together you've ever seen, and that's saying something!!

So long my friend, and rest in Peace.

Bob Bennett

Bob Bennett - May 16 at 09:02 PM