



John J. Davidczuk

September 3, 1933 - January 28, 2025

John J. Davidczuk, 91, of Broadalbin, passed away on Tuesday, January 28, 2025, at River Ridge Living Center in Amsterdam.

He was born in Schenectady on September 3, 1933, a son of Michael and Betty Flis Davidczuk and moved to Broadalbin as a child. John was a 1951 graduate of Broadalbin High School and was a longtime resident of the Village of Broadalbin.

Mr. Davidczuk was employed for several years at the former Treher & Jung in Amsterdam and Saratoga Springs. His last job was at Advance Auto in Johnstown where he enjoyed delivering parts to local shops.

John was a devoted and active member of St. Joseph's Church in Broadalbin and enjoyed volunteering at the church fundraising efforts. He was an active member of the Knights of Columbus Council #7629 in Broadalbin and was a member of the Rev. Peter Smith 4th degree Assembly. John held several council positions and was a faithful Bingo volunteer.

John was a veteran of the US Army and served during the Korean War. He was a longtime member of the American Legion Post #337 in Broadalbin and served as chaplain for many years.

John's kindness and wisdom will be fondly remembered by his many friends and extended family. His social nature was evident by his keen eye and dedication to his hobby of antique car restoration. John was a member of the Fulton County Antique Car Club and was an Automobilst of the Upper Hudson Valley Car Club. He was proud to have received many trophies for his

car and enjoyed participating in local parades with it.

John was a member of the Trail Blazer Square Dance Club. He and his square dance partner and companion of 30 years, the late Patricia Crispin, enjoyed countless dance competitions with the club.

John was an avid sportsman and enjoyed fishing and hunting with his lifelong friend, the late George Prokop. He was also a devoted animal owner and loved his dogs.

In addition to his parents, John was predeceased by his in-laws, Harold and Gladys Albertin, a sister, Anne S. Capone, a nephew, PFC Donald G. Capone, a niece, Jody A. Federico, and a son-in-law, Kenneth Snyder.

Survivors include Diane P. Davidczuk; two daughters, Claudia D. Helmer of Amsterdam and Judith A. Snyder of Ballston Spa; three grandchildren, Brittany Helmer, Amanda Snyder, and Adam (Colleen) Helmer; two great-grandsons, Lucianno and Lorenzo; a niece, Carol A. Capone; and his faithful canine companion, Sadie Sue.

Cremation was performed at Park View Crematorium, Schenectady. A military graveside service will be held on Friday, May 9, 2025, at 11am at S. Peter's Cemetery, Saratoga Springs, with Rev. Jun Segura. Memorial contributions may be made to Robert W. Chambers Mansion & Park, Inc. or to the Brennan Memorial Humane Society, both in care of the funeral home. Arrangements are by the Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc. 111 County Highway 106, Johnstown, NY 12095.

Cemetery Details

St. Peter's Cemetery

150 West Avenue
Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

Previous Events

Military Graveside Service

MAY 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DP

“ *My deepest sympathy and prayers, Diane Pertell*



Diane Pertell - June 20, 2025 at 12:45 AM

EK

“ *I just learned about John's passing, he was a good man and a neighbor just around the corner from us. He was the last of what I'll call the "Old timers" from the block we lived on. I'll miss seeing him at the Post.*



Emil Klymkow - June 09, 2025 at 06:04 PM

WJ

“ Dear Claudia,

I was sorry to learn of the passing of your Father. He was always up for a conversation whether it was at T&J or when he came to calling hours at the funeral home at 171 Guy Park Ave where I work.

R.I.P. John...you were a good man.

May peace be with you Claudia.

- Billy Vail



William M Vail Jr - February 03, 2025 at 06:16 AM

JS

“ *John used to live on the street behind me. He was always up to talk about model A Fords. RIP old friend.*

James L. Smith - January 31, 2025 at 06:02 PM

KC

“ *I remember riding back with him from The Gas Up Show in Schoharie...in his blue Model A Ford Coupe. I had been riding in the rumble seat of my folks Model A and we drove into a really bad Thunder Storm. He pulled over and I jumped in his car to get back to Broadalbin. I was probably about 10 years old. He often reminded me of that when I would see him around town. He was a High School Friend of my Uncle Roger Crannell. We send our condolences to all of you.*

Keith and Kelly Canary - January 31, 2025 at 10:01 AM