



Alexander L. "Alec" Mokrzecki

January 10, 1982 - December 29, 2022

Alexander L. "Alec" Mokrzecki, 40, of Hadley, passed away unexpectedly on Friday December 29, 2022, in Hadley. He was born in Northampton on January 10, 1982, to Alexander Mokrzecki and the late Michelle (Golinski) Mokrzecki.

Alec was a graduate of Hopkins Academy and had worked most recently as a chef in a local nursing home. Alec enjoyed music and loved attending concerts throughout his life. He liked hiking and spending time with his friends around campfires, reminiscing and telling stories. Alec loved to share his knowledge of edible plants while hiking. He had a colorful personality and enjoyed meeting people, always bringing his joy of life and sense of humor. He was an avid fan of basketball, but most of all he loved farming and working in the tobacco fields.

Alec is survived by his father, Alexander of Hadley, his brother, David of Hadley, his uncles, Edward Jr. and Paul Mokrzecki, Aunt Maryann Mish all of Hadley, uncles, Leon and Christopher Golinski, Aunt Marilyn Golinski, all of Florida, his ex-wife, Elizabeth Lemire, of Westfield, cousins, and many friends.

All services will be private and at the convenience of the family in the spring.

DROZDAL FUNERAL HOME of Northampton has been entrusted with his services. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Alec's memory to Shriners Hospital for Children, 516 Carew St., Springfield, MA 01104.

For more information, or to leave the family a personal condolence, please visit Drozdalfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

EL

“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



elizabeth lemire - January 19, 2023 at 03:30 PM

EL

Just some great memories of our adventures together Ally, you will be missed your smile was out of this world. Your love for nature was amazing you taught me so much about forging, waterfalls and Music. You will always be in my heart.. I Miss you.. Love always

elizabeth lemire - January 19, 2023 at 03:37 PM



“ I have known Alec since we were in first grade. I used to always be paired with him on field trips, because I was one of the “good girls,” while he seemed to always be mischievous. I think this was meant to keep certain classmates well-behaved. I would like to think that we both rubbed off on each other, personality wise, over the years. I would have to say that we started to really become friends in junior high and high school. To pinpoint it, I would say on the band trip to Disney World and Universal Studios in Florida. A small group of us were inseparable on the trip. Everyone attended the award ceremony at Universal Studios for one day of the trip. However, Alec and I had other plans. There was a Mardi Gras parade happening at the time, so the following day the two of us decided to go back on our own. We took a cab there and made a day of it. We had so much fun! All of the Hopkins Academy students had a curfew to be in our rooms by 10pm. They actually taped the outside of our rooms, because they were all outdoor accommodations, and we were not all placed in nearby rooms. Just note that this system doesn't work well if you're an outgoing person who makes friends with other guests on vacation while in the pool area. Just saying. Anyway, we didn't have any more cash on us to get back. Mind you that this was before cell phones. We didn't want to get in trouble, and we had to get back. Needless to say, we hitchhiked. In retrospect, that was probably not the best idea for 16 or 17 year olds to do. We got back safe and sound, and on time for our room checks. The point is that I realized on that trip that Alec was awesome. He was hilarious, quick witted, and a lot of fun to be around. He was for sure one of my favorites. He was one of those friends that if you haven't talked in years, you could meet up and pick up right where you left off. That in itself is comforting and amazing. I will truly miss my friend, Alec. I hope our paths will cross again, which I'm confident will happen, because he meant so much to me in this one. -Angela Jayne Waskiewicz



Angela Waskiewicz - January 16, 2023 at 12:37 AM

CF

“ Alec, David and Family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you, always keep the best
of memories ~
With sympathy,
The Cycz Family

Cycz Family - January 09, 2023 at 12:14 PM

TC

“ Alex, very sorry to hear of the passing of your son. Keeping you and
David and your family in our thoughts and prayers at this time of
sorrow. Tom Clark and family. Shutesbury ma

Thomas Clark - January 06, 2023 at 11:53 AM

MM

“ We will miss seeing you at family gatherings, and your visits to our
river beach. This picture is when you came for Thanksgiving and
brought us this beautiful peanut pumpkin. That was typical of you
(finding a unique mushroom in the woods or growing a unique
pumpkin). Any holiday meal at our house that you attended you
always requested strawberry pretzel salad. We will always think of
you whenever we eat that. You will also be greatly missed at the
annual family Christmas celebration at “301.” No doubt there will be
many toasts to you, so your spirit will live on with us all. Love, Aunt
MaryAnn, Uncle Jeff and cousins



MaryAnn Mish - January 05, 2023 at 04:37 PM

EL

I loved that shirt on him ...

elizabeth lemire - January 26, 2023 at 01:50 PM

JS

“ *I was lucky enough to know Alec for many years. I first met him and his family when my kids Jess & Alex went to school together with Alec & David. I taught him piano when he was in his teens and his love for music was apparent then, but his love for practicing piano was another story....*

This oldie but goodie pic was taken at my house when he came over for Easter dinner in April 2000 when he was 18.

More recently I saw Alec often at my work and we last chatted Dec 23...He would reminisce about years gone by, tell me about natures edibles, his new job, things on his mind, and what ever the conversation his keen sense of humor came through. Not for a moment did I think it would be the last time I'd see him.

I will remember him fondly and am saddened as we all are that he is gone too soon.

My condolences to big Alex, David and the rest of his family.

Jeanette Sector



Jeanette Sector - January 05, 2023 at 02:31 PM

JW

“ You were a good friend, full of light and humor. I will never forget all the great times we had at the orchard, around fires, in Vermont camping and at concerts. Your memory will live on. You will be missed. Travel well.



James Waskiewicz - January 04, 2023 at 06:47 PM

EL

That was a great trip Nateva in Maine

elizabeth lemire - January 26, 2023 at 01:51 PM

JW

“ Man you are missed Alec. So wish I got to Show you Kaua'i. One thing Alec should be remembered for is as an ultimate lover of Nature and Life. To many good times to remember. Camping in Vermont, winter in the fort and on the frozen North Hadley pond, Concerts, and of course all the focused Grateful Dead listening. Hope you're enjoying the magic of the ethers my Friend. See you soon enough again 🍻🍻



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=--podIMpJP0>



Joseph Wanczyk - January 04, 2023 at 03:05 PM

JB

“ So many good memories with you Alec. I still can't believe you're gone. You will be missed 💔💔

Jess Bilodeau



Jess Bilodeau - January 03, 2023 at 07:27 PM