



Shae A. Baddour

February 15, 1940 - May 27, 2019

Seabrook, NH – Shae A. Baddour, 79 of Seabrook, NH, passed away Monday, May 27, 2019 at his home. He was the beloved husband of Marie (Teti) Baddour.

Born in Lawrence on February 15, 1940, he was the son of the late Albert and Alice (Hashem) Baddour.

Shae was a loquacious story teller and fondly remembered his childhood. He was a proud graduate of Central Catholic High School, Class of 1958 and as a student athlete was part of the 1958 Central Catholic High School undefeated state champion basketball team. After graduating from high school, he enlisted in the United States Navy and was chosen to serve as the Recruit Chief Petty Officer during his boot camp experience. He served honorably as an electronic technician on the USS Hailey Destroyer, DD 556.

After his honorable discharge from the Navy, he worked at Raytheon before becoming a Methuen Police Officer. He rose to the rank of Sargent and was instrumental in bringing the Jaws of Life and bullet proof vests to his fellow officers. He received numerous commendations from the city for his bravery and valor. He served at different times in his career as a crime scene photographer, detective, accident reconstructionist, CPR/first aide instructor, fire arms instructor, defensive tactics instructor, training coordinator and field training officer. He was a proud member of the Methuen Police family and the past vice president of the Methuen Police Retirement Association. He also served as the past President of the Italian American Police Officers Association.

Throughout his time on the police department, he was active in his community. He organized fundraising events for the Jerry Lewis Telethon, actively participated in the Knights of Columbus and many other local and national organizations. He was a firearms expert for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and testified throughout the country on firearms safety.

Upon his retirement, he spent a lot of time on a golf course. He toured the country and

took full advantage of the opportunities afforded him. Whether on the golf course, snow mobile trail or behind the wheel of a RV, he was quick to tell a joke and never shied away from giving his opinion on the topics of the day.

Shae leaves his wife of 31 years, Marie Baddour; his sons, Shae Baddour and former Senator Steven Baddour and his wife Ann all of Methuen; sisters, Bertie (Shehdan) and Jeanette (DiStefano) of Raleigh, NC and their husbands, Philip and Robert; brother-in-law Moses Ward of Chelmsford; stepson, Mark Nalbandian; stepdaughter, Victoria (Kramar) Nalbandian of Salem, NH; 5 grandchildren, Matthew Baddour, Nicole Baddour, Shaena Baddour, Isabella Baddour and Victoria Baddour; step grandchildren, Lazzarus Kramar, Zachary Kramar, Christian Kramar, Noelle Nalbandian Doucette and Candice Nalbandian; along with several cousins, nieces, nephews, and his former spouse, Phyllis (Pisano) Baddour. He is predeceased by his sister, Mariam (Ward) Baddour.

Family and friends will honor and celebrate Shae's life by gathering for his calling hours on Thursday, May 30, 2019 from 4 – 8 PM at the Kenneth H. Pollard Funeral Home, 233 Lawrence Street, Methuen. His funeral service will be held at 11 AM on Friday at the funeral home. Burial will be private and at the convenience of the family.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Methuen Police Retirees Association, 90 Hampshire Street, Methuen, MA 01844. To leave an online condolence, please visit www.pollardfuneralhome.com. The Kenneth H. Pollard Funeral Home is honored to serve the Baddour family.

Events

MAY **Calling Hours** 04:00PM - 08:00PM

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Kenneth H. Pollard Funeral Home
233 Lawrence Street, Methuen, MA, US, 01844

MAY **Service** 11:00AM

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Comments



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Shae A. Baddour.



July 24 at 08:11 AM



“ Shae and Steve,
I am very sorry to hear about the loss of your father. Sgt. Baddour was a mentor and role model to me. His advice and leadership left a lasting impression on me. Please accept my deepest condolences.
Mike Wnek

Mike Wnek - May 30 at 09:45 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



AI - May 30 at 09:32 PM



“ My sincere condolences to the Baddour family. Shae was a great guy to work with at MPD. RIP Rick Kirkman

rick kirkman - May 30 at 04:58 PM



“ It was always a pleasure working with Shae throughout the many years for the City of Methuen. He was one of the "GREAT" guys to have known. He always had a friendly smile and a kind word to make your day. I am sincerely sorry for your loss.
Jack Loeschen

Jack Loeschen - May 30 at 02:43 PM



“ RIP to Sgt. Baddour and condolences to his family & friends.

D. Hartnett - May 29 at 04:19 PM



“ I frequently think back to the little tricks and riddles Uncle Shae used to tease and torment us. I would never have known how many feet it takes to stop a car traveling 65 mph on an icy road with a certain number of passengers, etc. or that a nickel was still one of the other coins needed to make 55 cents, and my kids just this month were again trying to make their "missing" finger slide up and down their hands and can't quite get it in that way that would amaze all of us.

Although it has been many years, I can still remember listening to stories that sounded like the most exciting adventures about the police force, a stash of guns or knives or a brief encounter with Jimmy "Superfly" Snuka.

He was truly larger than life and will be sadly missed and fondly remembered.

With Love,

Robert DiStefano

Robert DiStefano, Jr. - May 29 at 09:59 AM



“ Or how far "into" the woods you can go...

Matt DiStefano - May 29 at 01:02 PM



“ I worked with Shae at Raytheon and became close friends After he joined the Methuen PD he convinced me to take the police exam as he said it is a great job.

I took the test and passed it and after 11 years at Raytheon went to work at the Burlington Police for 33 years We were in contact between the police department cases and information situations.

I always gave him credit for my life work

He was a great man and greater friend and will be missed by all that knew him

Al Sciuto

Al Sciuto - May 28 at 06:37 PM



“ My condolences to the family

Kathleen (Marsden)Flemings - May 29 at 06:30 PM



“ Shae, Bob and I will never forget our trips with you and Marie. Especially the one with the wine. all the trips to FI, the Holiday party's at the beach we will never forget you.our love for ever. Bob & Mary Ann

Bob &Mary Ann Murad - May 28 at 03:23 PM