

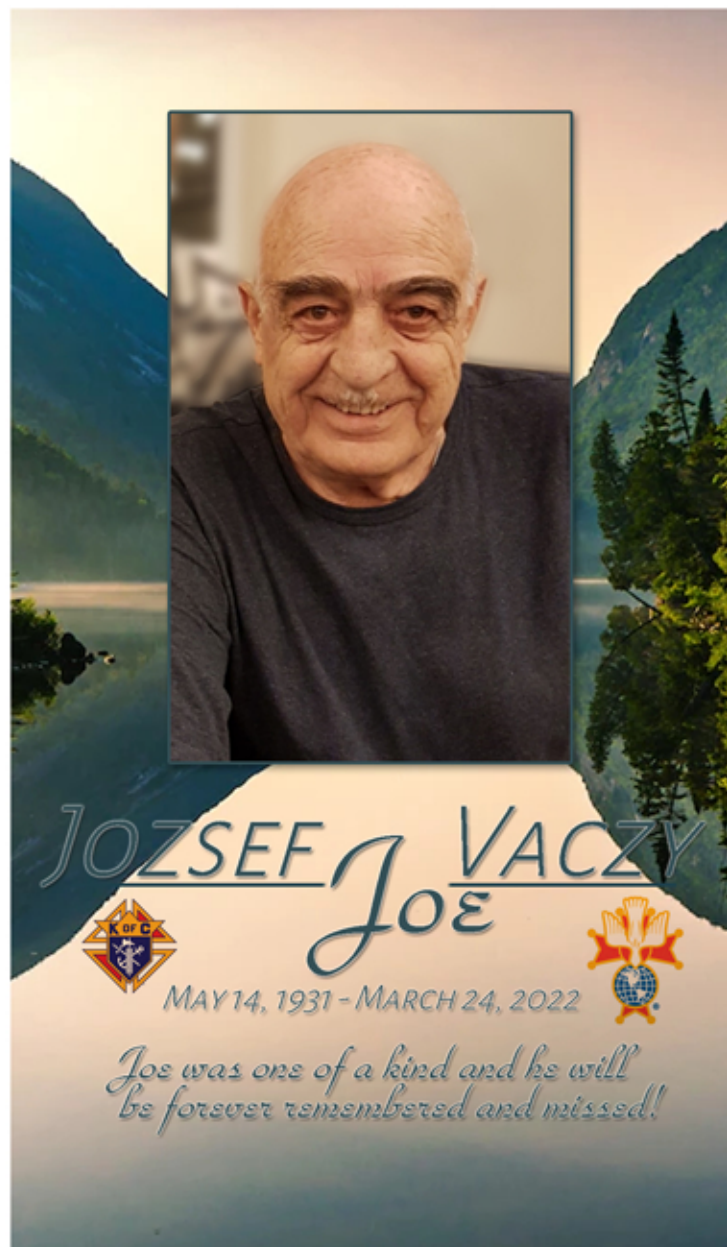
"Joe was a man who loved the outdoors, and spent much time camping, fishing and tending his yard. His favorite season was Christmas and he made sure that his homes were decorated with an abundance of lights and Christmas décor. His charismatic personality drew people to him and it was common to see people listening to his countless stories and jokes. He loved to laugh and make others laugh with him. Joe's hobby following retirement was playing billiards with his friends, and entering tournaments feeding his fierce competitive nature. He was very proud of his name on the plaques when he won.

He loved his dog Buddy and would spoil him rotten.

Joe loved his family and cherished all the times spent time with his children and grandchildren."



Honoured to serve the family of Joe Vaczy
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JOZSEF "JOE" LASZLO VACZY, of Lethbridge, beloved husband of Gizella Vaczy, passed away peacefully at the Chinook Regional Hospital with family at his side, on Thursday, March 24, 2022, at the age of 90 years.

Besides his loving wife, Joe is survived by his daughters: Susanne (Dave) Sherring of Lethbridge, Liz (Max)

Golish of Lethbridge and Debbie McPherson (Trevor Ennis) of Regina; grandchildren Kim (Mitch) Goetz of Regina, Jeremy Sherring (Haily Heeb) of Calgary, Tamara Sherring of Calgary, Richelle Golish (Kyle Sawers) of Lethbridge and Victoria "Tori" Oster (Brandon Walters) of Langham, SK; and great-granddaughter Briella. He is also survived by his brother Istvan "Pityu" Vaczy of Hungary.

He was predeceased by his mother, father and five siblings.

Joe was born in Tiszafüred, Hungary on May 14, 1931, the second child and oldest brother in a family of six children. As a young man, he was a soldier in the Hungarian army and trained in his profession as a barber. He came to Canada in 1956 during the Hungarian Revolution to build a better life for his family. He barbered for many years in a small shop in the York Hotel, before buying a shop on 13th Street North, naming it "Uncle Joe's Barbershop", the name by which so many referred to him. Joe was also a talented bartender, working many functions throughout the 70s and 80s leading him to teach an evening class in mixology at the Lethbridge College in the 70s. He married his loving wife Gizella in 1992 and continued to barber in their home and working customer service jobs with various car dealerships in Lethbridge. Joe was a proud Fourth Degree member of the Knights of Columbus.

MEMORIAL MASS

Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Church
2405 12 Avenue South, Lethbridge, Alberta
Tuesday, March 29, 2022 at 10:00 A.M.

Officiant - Father Kevin Tumback
Organist - Cheryl Hudak
Soloist - Elaura Lilienthal

READINGS

First - Ecclesiastes 3:1-11a
Psalm 23
Second - Romans 8:31-39
Gospel - John 14:1-7

HYMNS

Entrance - Morning Has Broken
Communion - Worthy Is The Lamb
Meditation - Ave Maria
Recessional - Amazing Grace

RECEPTION

Following the Interment, relatives and friends are invited to further share this day with the family at the Assumption Church Hall for a reception in Joe's honour.

INTERMENT

Following the Mass, Joe will be laid to rest in Mountain View Cemetery during a **Private Family Graveside Service**.

PALLBEARERS

Jeremy Sherring - Kim Goetz - Victoria Oster
Tamara Sherring - Trevor Ennis - Dave Sherring

HONOURARY PALLBEARER
Max Golish