



HARI S. GOYAL

July 4, 1942 - December 13, 2020

Hari S. Goyal, 78, passed away of natural causes on December 13th, 2020 at Care One in Morristown, NJ.

Hari was born in Kanpur, India and was the first in his family to immigrate to the United States in 1969. He has been a proud resident of Parsippany, NJ since 1974 and has helped many of his relatives and friends assimilate into its wonderful community.

Professionally, he worked in Manhattan as an industrial sales engineer for American Davidson. He earned an MBA and an MS in mechanical engineering. After more than a decade of corporate work, he embraced the entrepreneurial spirit of capitalism and owned several enterprises including a chain of computer stores, a record label, travel agency, and ecommerce sites.

He is survived by his three children Manisha, Anu, and Neel and their loving and loyal mother, Asha Goyal. He is also survived by his precious 4 year old grandson, Cameron, who he affectionately called "chatanku".

Hari loved road trips, lawn care, videography, physics, technology, cars Made in the USA, sitcoms (esp. "I Love Lucy" and "Home Improvement"); Bollywood films, the New York Mets (esp Gary Carter), US Open tennis (esp. Jimmy Connors), Mike and the Mad Dog on WFAN; ABC World News Tonight with Peter Jennings and Nightline with Ted Koppel. Most of all, he enjoyed attending his kids' sporting events, dance recitals, and musical performances.

May he rest in eternal peace.

In lieu of flowers, the family would be grateful for donations in Hari Goyal's honor to the Dementia Society of America.

<https://dementiasociety.charityproud.org/donate>

To join the funeral virtually, please use the following Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3084314984?pwd=cUZFVXQ2NkVyditUR3JhRDRpVzlrZz09>

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Cemetery

Rosedale Cemetery & Crematory

408 Orange Road
Montclair, NJ, 07042

Events

DEC 16 **Funeral Service** 11:00AM - 02:00PM

S.J. Priola Parsippany Funeral Service
60 North Beverwyck Road, Lake Hiawatha, NJ, US,
07034

Comments



“ Bade Mamaji (Hari Goyal) was my mother's brother. During my entire childhood in India, I grew up hearing my mother talk about him with so much affection and pride. But I really did not know much about him until i came to US. When I landed in US, he came to pick me up. I still remember everything about that drive from airport to home in Parsipanny. He had that thing about him-- you will remember him if you meet him. He just stayed with you. His smile, & his confidence. He was one of those people who will light up a room when they enter and they don't have to say a word. During next few days , I would watch him with fascination & admiration and learn so much from him. He would go about doing thousands of things every day and yet be there to help you in anyway and every way. I could sense that he wanted to do big things and he did. And so many of them. He was always very different from anybody around him. In a very special way.He will always stay in my memories as somebody with a heart of gold and a very inspiring Uncle. I have been here in US 25 years now, but to me, US is still ,first and foremost, the place where my Bade Mamaji lived. -- Sandeep Garg (son of Deepa, Hari's sister)

SANDEEP GARG - December 18, 2020 at 09:49 PM



“ Mamaji was the most vibrant and positive thinking person I have ever met. He had a very different point of view, and always cut to the chase to say things as they were. I loved it! As a kid always got excited when he visited us and brought some gifts for us, but I actually got to know him when I moved to the US and spent some time visiting Anu and him. For someone who has seen both ups and downs of life and have such a positive attitude, is a rarity. I feel happy I got to see him on VC before he left, and that he recognized my voice. We will all miss you.



Ashish Singhal - December 18, 2020 at 09:17 PM



“ Smita Garg lit a candle in memory of HARI S. GOYAL



Smita Garg - December 16, 2020 at 11:55 AM



“ Nutan & Ashok lit a candle in memory of HARI S. GOYAL



Nutan & Ashok - December 16, 2020 at 10:03 AM



“ Hari Goyal Jijaji, our brother-in-law, left behind so many great memories that we shall cherish forever. He was a go-getter personality always with a smile on his face, the first immigrant in our family, and a very successful businessman. He encouraged others to fulfill their dreams, most of us can vouch for it. He always went the extra step to help others, he will be always be remembered for what he was - Nutan & Ashok

Nutan - December 16, 2020 at 10:05 AM



“ Unforgettable Bade Mamaji, an inspiration. Will always be with us in our hearts. Babloo.

Rajeev - December 16, 2020 at 09:59 AM



“ I would like to share some memories that Papa has shared with me about mausaji couple of times. They both did their engineering from Birla Institute in Pilani. Papa tells me how mausaji used to talk about wanting to go to America with so much passion. They both even went together to the US embassy to apply for the Visa after the ban was lifted in mid 1960s. He then left for America with limited means, worked hard but never gave up. Now as we all know, most of the Coolest family has migrated here as well. He changed the course of life of not only his generation but generations to come, only because he dared to dream. Thank you Mausaji.



Shalini Sachdeva - December 16, 2020 at 09:54 AM



“ Lit a candle in memory of beloved Mamaji.



Manish n Roli Agarwal - December 16, 2020 at 08:46 AM



“ Bhaiya, You did a lot for entire family. We will never be able to forget. You have always helped poor people. You could win heart of everyone with your love, affection and caring nature. May God rest your soul in peace. Will miss you a lot. Sarla Agrawal, Sister, Gurgaon, India

sarla agrawal - December 16, 2020 at 08:39 AM



“ Remembering Hari jijaji as a vibrant personality full of life. May he rest in peace.



Keta Agarwal - December 16, 2020 at 08:37 AM



“ Mausaji, I remember when I came to this country in 1984, you offered all your help and was there to support me. You never hesitated to pickup or drop off any one if they needed a ride.

You are among very few people that I know who built themselves from scratch. You told us your story when you came to this country with just about \$100 in your pocket and how you struggled and made your way up. You never considered any job small or big. Your hardworking and go-getter personality made you a successful businessman. You were and will always be an inspiration to myself, the entire family and anyone who worked with you.

You were a dedicated husband and a loving father to Anupam, Neil and Manisha. You took pride in you kids and always wished the best for them.

I remember you taking vacations and short getaways with the family and having fun. I know you liked cars especially US made, though you owned Mercedes for sometime too.

Your body might be gone from this world but your spirit will live on in our hearts forever. Today we will mourn you in our own way as we pay a tribute to you.

Everyone felt the pain that you had been suffering for so long. We will cherish every single moment we spent with you. I guess this is our final goodbye since we never got the chance to do so. Rest in peace Mausaji, We will definitely miss you.



Sanjay Garg - December 16, 2020 at 08:17 AM



“ Very poignant

Anu - December 18, 2020 at 03:45 AM



“ The sun, the moon, the wind, the stars, will forever be around, reminding you of the love you shared, and the peace he’s finally found.



Julie Rastogi - December 16, 2020 at 07:26 AM



“ Sanjay Garg lit a candle in memory of HARI S. GOYAL



Sanjay Garg - December 16, 2020 at 07:16 AM



“ Mamaji I remember the time you came to Raipur to meet mom. Mom was super delighted. You were an inspiration for all . We used to take pride in saying our Mamaji is in states as you had gone then when it used to be a dream to go there. It’s a great loss to the family and let your soul rest in peace. We all love you.

Anju Kasera - December 16, 2020 at 03:06 AM



“ Mamaji, you have been a great inspiration to all your sisters and brother and there never was a moment when they didn't remember you whenever they met. This loss is irreparable for all of us. However, I remember you as a smiling person with a kadak voice and pushing everyone to do better. It was a pleasant surprise for me and I would cherish that moment forever when you recognized me on my visit to you in the nursing home in New Jersey in 2018 and said "tum yahan kahan se aa gaye". I am posting a picture of that time when we had a big laugh about small Gulab Jamuns, your favourite, courtesy mamiji who took great care of you and prepared those delicacies.

Neeraj



Neeraj Agarwal - December 16, 2020 at 12:45 AM



“ Shankar (Hari as everyone knows him) had a great life and was loved immensely by all who came in contact with him. We would always remember his smiling face. From the childhood, we have seen him leaving no chance of helping others. He was a very positive person who would not tolerate negativity of any kind. He was a great father too and loved his kids immensely. As his eldest sister and brother-in-law, we were always proud of him at all times for the way he carried himself in all situations. He will always be in our memories and hearts. Sharing an old picture when he visited India in 1970s some time and this is how we would remember him, loving, caring, confident and happy, always. Will miss you dearly!!!

Satya & Vijay (Eldest sister and Brother-in-law)
Delhi, India



Neeraj Agarwal - December 16, 2020 at 12:34 AM



“ Hari jijaji has a very special place in our hearts. We always think of him. He spread joy everywhere. He did more for the family than anyone else. He helped everyone. He was very knowledgeable about business affairs. He encouraged others to progress in their lives. He was the pioneering member of the family in this country. Without him we wouldn't have been the same. May your soul Rest In Peace. You are a guiding light. - Rashmi and Uday



Rashmi Jain - December 15, 2020 at 11:36 PM



“ From rashmi

Dear Anupam Manisha Neil amd Asha didi

How would I describe JiJaJi “a self made ,kind ,honest generous soul ,gentle hearted .He was born with a strong voice and a smile ,ready and eager to help any any time ,any body ,whether it may be be the family or freinds or some one in need .he was witty ,confident and entrepreneur in his conventions” nothing is impossible in life and you can do whatever you wants “

He loved his life ,good food ,good houses ,driving and buying new cars ..throwing parties ,hanging out with family and freinds .there had not been a dull moments of your life including Taking kids to activities ,gardening pool services and even dishes.no job was too small for him .

It was painful to see you spending your last few years of life in a nursing home due to your health conditions

But it's heart warming to see the love of Asha didi Anupam Manisha and Neil to provide you the best compassionate care with Unconditional love .they ensued your safety .they paid utmost attention to your comfort and mental and spiritual well being throughout your illness and the last moment of your life.this was the most difficult time for the family fo crossing all the odds like Horrid covid 19 pandemic situation.but no leaves were unturned

now that your soul decides departs to Rest In Peace heavenly abode,we want to say goodbye to you

We will all continue to cherish your divine presence and blessing for many years to come now in your new role as the@ supreme “the most powerful .

Rashmi

Rashmi Jain - December 16, 2020 at 10:11 AM



“ Hari Jijaji will always be remembered for his very hardworking, helpful & jolly nature. He was the life of any gatherings around him. He was the first one to immigrate to America from the Agarwal Clan and helped the rest of the family immigrate & settle down in America. His contribution for helping the other family members will always be remembered. He was a devoted father and loved his children and helped them achieve their goals in life. We will miss him.

Saras Agarwal - December 15, 2020 at 09:28 PM



“ Saras Agarwal lit a candle in memory of HARI S. GOYAL



Saras Agarwal - December 15, 2020 at 09:21 PM



“ Gaurav Kumar lit a candle in memory of HARI S. GOYAL



Gaurav Kumar - December 15, 2020 at 09:18 PM



“ Hari was a kind person and a gentleman. Always smiling and enjoying life. Life of any party. Always willing to help anyone and everyone. We will miss him.
Mahesh and Sushma



Sushma Gupta - December 15, 2020 at 09:12 PM



“ Saurabh Kumar lit a candle in memory of HARI S. GOYAL



Saurabh Kumar - December 15, 2020 at 08:23 PM



“ Dinesh Patel lit a candle in memory of HARI S. GOYAL



Dinesh Patel - December 15, 2020 at 08:18 PM



“ Hari Jijaji was a man who will always be remembered by all, for his kindness, his desire to help everyone in their time of need, a very hard worker himself through out his life, and as a person full of jokes making people laugh in any gatherings. He taught his children to work hard, and to always believe in themselves and their ability to achieve their goals. Hari Jijaji will be missed by all his loved ones and friends forever. Om Shanti Shanti Shanti.

Yogesh K. Agarwal - December 15, 2020 at 08:13 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of HARI S. GOYAL.



December 15, 2020 at 08:01 PM



“ Yogesh K. Agarwal lit a candle in memory of HARI S. GOYAL



Yogesh K. Agarwal - December 15, 2020 at 07:57 PM