



# Leon F. Block

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Dear susn and family

Although I never met you I was a life long friend and high school classmate of Leon and he came to our reunions and I visited him twice once when we came in for a Mike Ditka Bears game and also on a vacation and went to your home and he took us to Al Capone's favorite restaurant. He was here for our 65th reunion in 2008. My deepest sympathies for your loss and also for us that knew him for so long a period

Gino Piroli

October 15, 2014



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Dear Susan, family and friends of Lee Block...it is so tough to let go of a lifetime of someone like Leon Block...in my own encounters with him...I will always remember his great style, his wit, compassion and his ability to improve the lives of those around him.

I hope the pain you feel now from his loss will soon blossom into strength and peace going forward because he would want that for you.

Blessings

Donna Kavanagh

**Donna Kavanagh**

March 12, 2014 | Long Beach, IN



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Dear Susan - our thoughts and prayers are offered for you and Lee. Lee was a great guy - fun to be with and always a kind word for everyone. Love the duceys

March 05, 2014



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Susan...it was a honor having Lee in our lives.His soul will forever leave a light of honor .love and laughter.Truly will be missed. Alice Krugman (family)

**alice krugman**

March 05, 2014 | Niles, IL



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Our thoughts and prayers are with Susan and the Block family. We have such positive memories of our times with Lee. He was a very special erson.

**Leigh Morris**

March 04, 2014 | La Porte, IN



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My deepest sympathy to the family,cherish all the memories you all can share.

March 02, 2014 | CHICAGO, IL



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Susan,  
I am so sorry for your loss. Lee was a wonderful man. We will always cherish the chair he made for Aidan.  
Thinking of you during this time.  
Many thoughts, prayers and love  
Amy Rubenstein & family.

**Amy Rubenstein**

March 10, 2014 | Wheeling, IL

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Susan, I was so very sad to read of Lee's passing. My thoughts are with you and your family.

**Jan Kostielney**

March 04, 2014 | LaPorte, IN



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I am so very saddened by the passing of Mr. Block...I loved him so much..he always made me laugh. He was one of the sweetest people and I will miss him very much....I'm so sorry for your loss...

**Holly Hertzberg**

March 04, 2014 | Michigan City, IN



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To the Block family. May I express my deepest condolences for your loss. May we heed the encouragement from our heavenly father at 1 Pet. 5:6,7 for he deeply cares for us.

March 02, 2014



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## Obituary

### Leon's Obituary

Leon F. Block, 88, of Michigan City, passed away in peace on March 1, 2014 at Life Care Center of Michigan City. Lee Block was born on May 19, 1925 in Aliquippa, PA. He is survived by Susan Block, his loving wife and partner of 41 years; his devoted daughter Barbara Price (Ken) of Arlington, TX, his daughter Joan of Skokie, IL.; beloved grandson Benjamin Price (Kendra) of Ft. Worth, TX.; his adored nephews and nieces David Tobey (Miriam); Roberta(Bruce); Ellen (Len); Bruce (Lynda); Jennifer Garti (Jason); Joanna Skolnick (Jordan) and David Feinberg (Michelle) and his brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Dennis

and Bonnie Feinberg of Skokie, IL. He remains vibrant in the hearts of his many friends who were all uniquely cherished in his life and he expressed his love, affection and support widely which was returned to him bountifully. Lee is preceded in death by his parents Meyer and Eva (Alter) Block and his sister Jane (Louis) Tobey. Lee served his country in the U.S. Air Force during WWII, returning home to secure a Masters in English from Penn State University. In his distinguished career as a marketing consultant to the hospital and health care industry, he was the author/editor of several books on the subject and acknowledged for his innovative strategies through awards and a study scholarship named in his honor. Following the Blocks' move from Chicago, IL. to Michigan City in 1999, Lee taught English at Purdue North Central and was a 1,000 hour- plus volunteer at St. Anthony's Hospital. His woodworking craft items brought delight to many as he gifted them with joy. No services will be held. A celebration of his life will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to any organization of choice. Arrangements are being handled by Geisen-Carlisle Funeral Home, 613 Washington St. Michigan City, IN. To view guestbook or leave condolences, visit [www.Carlislefh.com](http://www.Carlislefh.com).

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