

# MEMORIAM

A Legend within our Community...Gino Fracas: April 28, 1930 – Oct.29, 2009

Tom and I had the privilege of meeting and speaking with Gino while we honoured his contribution to our community as our Sport Fest Windsor outstanding “Sportsman of the Year”. It was clear to us that he was not comfortable with this sort of accolade and didn’t like to be the center of attention.

If he were with us now, he would want us to take the focus off him and put it on us. He would not want us to focus on the sadness of his death, but instead look at the happiness we still have in our lives. He would want us to look at each other and appreciate what we have together and what we hope to make better. It was pretty obvious he was a wonderful person.



We only met him briefly, but recall feeling so comfortable around him and thought how much we may have missed not knowing more about him and being part of his life.

Watching, reading and listening to the endless comments from members of our community and around the country whose lives he touched, gives Tom & I a feeling of great pride that we at least had a brief moment in his life.

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