



Said Motamed

September 30, 2011

Motamed, Said Age 61, born in Tehran, Iran, resident of Mpls. since 1971, U of M alumni. A loyal employee of Housing and Urban Development, passed away Sept. 27th 2011. A wonderful husband, father, brother, and friend. Said will be long-remembered by his sons, Darian and Kayvan; wife, Carolyn, beloved puppies, and through his amazing gardens. He will be cherished forever. Memorial service will be on Saturday, October 1, 4:00 p.m. at the Linden Hills United Church of Christ at 4200 Upton Ave. S, Mpls. Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996

Tribute Wall



“ Dear Carolyn, Kayvan and Darian. I am so heart broken to hear of Said's passing. What a wonderful man he was. He will always be in my heart, and you three will be in my heart and prayers. ~Love Sheila

October 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Said, may you rest in peace, and may God bless your family with love and comfort. I will always "cherish" the fish hook remover you gave me for my birthday! Brian Santos

October 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ To Carolyn & Family - Our Prayers have been w/you & the family for a long time & we were saddened to hear about your loss tonight - Our sinceresympathy to all the family - With our Love & Prayers - Ken & BernettaHanson

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Ken & Bernetta Hanson,

Ashton, Idaho

Ken & Bernetta Hanson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Motamed Family,We heard the sad news of Said's passing away and wanted to give you our deepest condolences. Our thoughts are with you at this time.Warm Regards,Shokat Moazami, Zahra, Vida and Safoura

October 04, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ My deepest condolences to Said’s family. I can only imagine how much you will miss his gracious and kind presence in your lives. I met Said when we were students at UM Morris and our paths crossed many times over the years. Each time we met, our conversation would carry on as though we had seen each other recently. I know that easy reconnection was due to Said’s kindness, compassion, and candor. One of those chance meetings was at the Friend’s plant sale where he gave me a tutorial on shade tolerant plants and then introduced me to the Caspian Sea restaurant. Those places will always remind me of Said. I will keep you in my thoughts.

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Sue Keskinen,

St. Paul, Minnesota

Contact Me

Sue Keskinen - October 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ *Carolyn, Darian, and Kayvan - My thoughts and prayers go out to you. Said was well respected, kind and gentle, and always knew how to crack people up!*

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Tim Gruenes,

Becker, Minnesota

Tim Gruenes - October 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Said's family, Seeing Said at work was always a bright spot in my day and the place isn't the same without him. I had many gardening and puppy and family conversations with him. My husband got to know Said over the years and thought the world of him as well. He left the world a more beautiful place and I will never look at another hosta without thinking of him. I hope that your wonderful memories get you through this tough time. Love, Bobby and Roberta Edstrom

October 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ We celebrated today the life of a great friend, Said Motamed. His passing leaves a huge hole in our lives but the memory of his smile, his voice with the funny accent, his laughter, and the uncanny way he could get great discounts on anything he purchased, gives us great joy in the way he lived his life. We can weep for him because we miss him so, but we should smile with him because we enjoyed such wonderful times with him while he was here. Love you Dave and Judy

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Dave Santos,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Dave Santos - October 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ Hello Carolyn, I am so sorry to hear about Said. I am glad I got the chance to meet him. My prayers goes out to you and your family. God Bless,

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Alice Washington,

Minnesota

Alice Washington - September 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I cant speak for all of us here at HUD, but I want you and the boys to know that Said was a friend to me. Always willing to talk through any tough times I was having and helping to find solutions to them. Always a smile. Linda M. Parks

September 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RV

“ I had the opportunity to know Said through the help he provided our department (OLR-HUD) over the years. He made sure that everything he touched was done with care and certainty. I respected him as a colleague and as one of the kindest persons I've met. You and your family are in my prayers and I know Said will live long in our memories through the legacy of conscientious service he set for the rest of us. I'm truly sorry for your loss.

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Roxanne Volkmann,

Chicago, Illinois

Roxanne Volkmann - September 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Carolyn and family, I offer my sympathy at your great loss. Said was clearly a man of great integrity, while also very kind, willing to help, etc. Thank you for supporting your great man! God bless you all.
Heather (Minnetonka)

September 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Dear Carol, Keyvan and Darien Said was my eldest cousin and I love him very much. He used to take me on bicycle rides, as a child, sitting me on the center bar making sure that I was safe. He thought me how to swim and how to tie my shoelaces. Said was the kindest and most gentle person and I shall cherish all the memories of him and my dear Ame Pari and Dr. Motamed.

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Ali Malek,

Alexandria, Virginia

Ali Malek - September 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ Carolyn - we are stunned at your loss. He was a great guy and I enjoyed almost all of our time together - we had ups and downs but always got along. You and the boys are in our prayers.

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Mark Campbell,

Bloomington, Minnesota

Mark Campbell - September 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM