



## Dino Loukenas

April 15, 1968 - December 12, 2018

Dino Loukenas, 50, of Aurora, Illinois, passed away suddenly and unexpectedly in his home on Wednesday, December 12th, 2018.

Dino was born in Tripoli, Greece, on April 15th, 1968, to Eleas Loukenas and Efstathia Konstantopoulos. Dino had worked in the restaurant business for over 30 years. He had a passion for basketball, his favorite soccer team, Olympiakos, skiing, men's style, his sweets, gaming, Pizza, and a good frappe. His charismatic and energetic spirit has touched the lives of many, leaving behind a more joyous and optimistic world. Dino was a child at heart, and a philosopher in his own special way.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Pagona "Peggy", and their two beautiful children: Eleas and Efstathia "Stazia". His brothers-in-laws George Michelis and Ted Maglaris; sister-in-law Anna Michelis; his nephews and nieces, Chrysovallantis, Dimitris, and Maria Michelis, Chris and Maria Maglaris, and his Goddaughter Kiana Salameh, as well as many family and friends in the United States and Greece.

He is preceded in death by his father Eleas Loukenas, his mother Efstathia Konstantopoulos, and brother Vasilios Loukenas.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, December 18, 2018 at 9:30 AM from THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY to St. Athanasios Greek Orthodox Church in Aurora at 10:00 AM; Fr. Peter Spiro will officiate with interment at Lincoln Memorial Park.

Visitation will be held Monday, December 17, 2018 from 2:00 PM until 8:00

PM with a Service at 7:00 PM at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 North Lake Street, Aurora, Illinois 60506. (630) 631-5500.

Please visit our interactive website at [www.daleidenmortuary.com](http://www.daleidenmortuary.com) where you may sign the guest book or leave condolences for Dino's family.

THE FAMILY RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS THAT YOU PLEASE OMIT SENDING FLOWERS.

# Cemetery Details

## Lincoln Memorial Park

675 Route 30  
Aurora, IL 60503

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 17. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary  
220 N. Lake Street  
Aurora, IL 60506  
(630) 631-5500  
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com  
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

## Wake Service

DEC 17. 7:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary  
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## Morning Prayers

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DEC 18. 9:30 AM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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DEC 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Athanasios Greek Orthodox Church  
1855 Fifth Avenue  
Aurora, IL 60504

# Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Dino Loukenas



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**Daleiden Mortuary** - December 16, 2018 at 12:41 PM



Ashwin Kunde

*Our deepest condolences to the family  
Ashwin & Rupa*

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**Ashwin Kunde** - December 18, 2018 at 01:26 PM

DA

“ *Happy Birthday, my friend.  
I miss you.*



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**Danita** - April 15, 2019 at 10:34 AM

DK

“ I will never forget Dino's laugh, his energy, or his heart. He opened it up to anyone he felt deserving, and I am fortunate enough to have been one of those people. I considered him to be a life long friend. I will forever miss him.

There are no words to express my sympathy. I sent the ray of sunshine below, because that is what he was. I feel the world will be a little darker now that he is not in it.

Allow yourselves to grieve, but please remember that he would want you to shine that light again (when you are ready), in his way in addition to your own. Laugh for him, dance with him and with each other...live life to the fullest, because I have absolutely no doubt in my mind and heart that this is what he would want. He loved you all so very very much.

Rest in peace, my dear dear friend.

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**Danita Kic** - December 26, 2018 at 12:20 PM

DK

“ Danita Kic sent a virtual gift in memory of Dino Loukenas



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**Danita Kic** - December 26, 2018 at 12:09 PM

MA

“ Our condolences for your loss. We met Dino a few times, being also in the restaurant equipment industry, he was a very good person. Marika & Tony Moshonas, Montreal, QC.

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**Marika** - December 20, 2018 at 11:36 AM

PR

“ *Our hearts and deepest sympathy goes out to the entire Zepole family!*

*Sincerely- PRIDE Centric Resources.*

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**PRIDE Centric Resources** - December 18, 2018 at 04:57 PM

SZ

“ *My deepest and most heartfelt condolences go out to the family. Dino was a great person with an infectious energy and smile. Rest In Peace friend heaven just gained another angel.*

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**Sam Zegar** - December 17, 2018 at 07:37 PM

ZF

“ *Zink Foodservice purchased the Cherished Memories - All White for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



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**Zink Foodservice** - December 17, 2018 at 03:27 PM



“ *White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



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December 17, 2018 at 02:43 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



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December 17, 2018 at 02:12 PM



“ *White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*

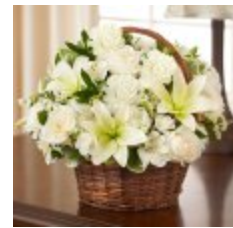


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December 17, 2018 at 11:59 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



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December 17, 2018 at 11:23 AM



“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



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December 17, 2018 at 10:35 AM

MA

“ Miller & Stryker Associates purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Dino Loukenas.



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**Miller & Stryker Associates** - December 17, 2018 at 09:59 AM



“ White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.



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December 17, 2018 at 09:51 AM

SV

“ The Vetrero Family sends heartfelt condolences to Kiana and Family.

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**sue vetrero** - December 16, 2018 at 09:47 PM



“ Lavender & White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.



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December 16, 2018 at 08:09 PM



“ *Peaceful Wishes was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*

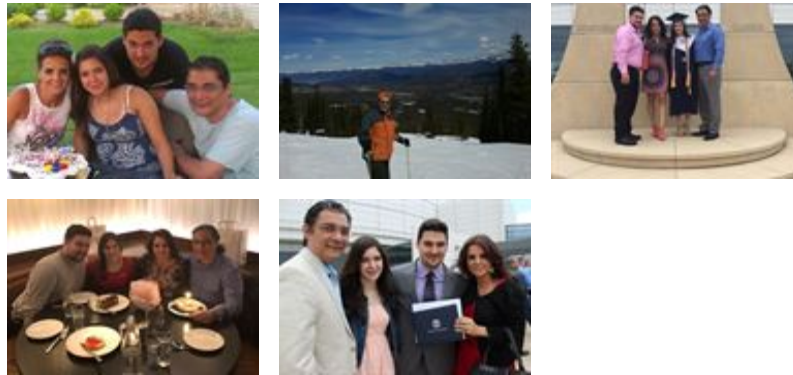


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December 16, 2018 at 02:59 PM



“ *58 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Daleiden Mortuary** - December 16, 2018 at 11:28 AM



“ *Best of friends , but more like brothers, I have difficulty accepting your passing. May your last journey be short and peaceful. Until we meet again...*

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**Chris Bovetas** - December 15, 2018 at 04:24 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



December 15, 2018 at 01:21 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



December 15, 2018 at 01:17 PM



“ *All of us at Zepole purchased the Red & White Sympathy Standing Spray for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



**All of us at Zepole** - December 15, 2018 at 11:34 AM



“ *Eri lit a candle in memory of Dino Loukenas*



**Eri** - December 15, 2018 at 08:35 AM



“ *Im very sad for your loss !! Dino was my childhood buddy !! we spend so much time together back then and the memories are so many !! my true condolences to you !! May his memory be eternal!!*

**Dimitris Benopoulos** - December 15, 2018 at 01:25 AM

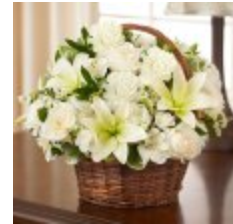


“ *Dino was one of the kindest and most genuine people I have ever known. When my wife and I took a vacation to Greece he helped me plan the trip and recommended a number of places to visit. I will miss his smile and love for life.*

**Thomas Krumsee** - December 14, 2018 at 05:48 PM



“ *Your Friends at R3 Chicago purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



**Your Friends at R3 Chicago** - December 14, 2018 at 04:59 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



December 14, 2018 at 04:20 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



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December 14, 2018 at 04:12 PM



“ *Regal Seating Co., Vince, Jerry, Dan, and Paul purchased the White Standing Spray for the family of Dino Loukenas.*



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**Regal Seating Co., Vince, Jerry, Dan, and Paul** - December 14, 2018 at 03:54 PM



“ *I always enjoyed Dino's energy. He was always upbeat. He once got mad at me because the tires on my car were bad. He demanded I go get them changed. I told him I needed to wait until I got paid. He took his credit card out of his wallet and said get them now. He had a big heart. My true sympathy goes out to his family. Both Biological Family as well as his Zepole Family. He was passionate about his job. I am in shock someone so full of life. Taken way too soon.*

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**Tom Jensen** - December 14, 2018 at 03:49 PM