



Dr. Alec Bogumil Lupovici

June 21, 2014

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“ I don't know what made me to think of him yesterday, but I looked up Dr. Lupovici's name yesterday and learned of his untimely death 5 years ago. He saw my daughter for her first dental appointment at age 3 over 27 years ago. He was kind and caring to her and I. It meant a lot. I am sorry for his family and patients. He left them too soon. Warm Regards, Kathy Smithen

Kathryn Smithen - June 10, 2019 at 03:37 PM

JK

I am so sorry to hear this news as I was recently retired and cleaning my files, happened looking at Alec business card. I was working at the Queens Street building where he was practicing and was his patient for about 10 years before I moved to new job/new dentist. I did great job, a crown bridge lasted now for almost 30 years, and still very sturdy. Also remove 2 wisdom teeth, he made everything so easy. I will miss him, RIP. James

James K - March 17 at 03:08 PM

SC

“ I just heard the news of Dr. Lupovici's passing and I'm deeply saddened. He was my dentist for 12 years and every interaction I had with him was a good one. I arrived at his practice when I was 18 years-old with a deep fear of dental work. Over the years we built a rapport and shared many laughs - especially when he practiced his Portuguese catch phrases. He was a wonderful, kind and patient man. He will be greatly missed.

Sandy Couto

Sandy Couto - July 26, 2016 at 11:23 AM

MG

“An irregular but loyal patient, this news is fresh to me but I know a permanent, sad vacuum to Mrs Lupovici and family. My sincere condolences.

I was "in the chair" when Mrs Lupovici brought in her first born to show the staff in 1989ish, Alec's quiet comment was "they will never want for anything". While my need to visit the dentist in the intervening years was sporadic, I always asked after the family and indeed, as timing would have it, met the young man that baby had become on a subsequent visit. Alec's exceptional technical skills, level of professionalism and compassion shone brightly, consistently - a great comfort to all of his patients I'm sure. Again, my sincerest condolences on your great loss.

Mary Garrone"

Mary Garrone - April 16, 2016 at 05:02 PM

MR

“Wow!!! I know this is late, but I just found out and I am so shocked by Alec's passing. He was my dentist since 1991. I never liked going to dentists, but he and his staff changed that for me, so much so that I would do twice yearly visits to him like a religion. Even after I moved to the Caribbean, whenever I visited Toronto, I would go to Alec for a cleaning. He is greatly missed. My condolences to his family.

Mikasha R.

mikasha ramsaran - March 18, 2015 at 08:23 AM

DM

“ I am deeply saddened to hear of Dr. Lupovici's sudden passing. I had the pleasure of having him as my dentist and I greatly appreciated his honesty and friendly personality. My thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends.

Daniel MacDougall

Daniel MacDougall - December 09, 2014 at 10:47 PM

CP

“ I had the pleasure of working with Alec many years ago and I am deeply saddened to hear of his passing
His love for his wife and children was immense May he rest in peace but never forgotten
sincerely Carol Pape

carol pape - October 21, 2014 at 03:34 PM

JS

“ Alec took me on as a patient at a time when I had had no dentist for several years and was in great pain. His caring and gentle touch will never be forgotten. With the greatest of respect to Alec's family, you have my sincere condolences.

Judith Somersett

Judith Somersett - September 23, 2014 at 10:38 AM

CF

“ Please accept my sincere sympathy. The girls at the Dental Office made sure to tell me on Thursday. They knew that I loved him and respected the gentle touch and assertive action when he recommended a procedure and I was holding back. He will be sadly missed.

Charlotte Fitz-Andrews

Charlotte Fitz-Andrews - September 01, 2014 at 09:04 AM

HW

“ *To Alec's Wife and Family*

It is an amazing testament to Alec's character that you have received so many notes from people whom you have never met. Myself, my husband and 2 adult boys have been patients of Alec's for years. He was never, ever "just a dentist". We always "kibbitzed" together, shared stories of family, and tossed ideas back and forth. Our family still jokes about the time when my youngest son (now 25) was probably about 10 or 12 years old when he went in for a check-up and Alec ended up cutting my son's fingernails because he said they were too long!! Alec was always so gentle in his care. What a gem of a guy.

*All the best,
Hildi Wolfish*

Hildi Wolfish - August 27, 2014 at 04:08 PM

NS

“ I am so upset to hear this news. I went to high school with Alec and ten years later, he became the dentist for my father and other family members and friends. We all adored him to no end. He was such a joy, he made you *want* to go to the dentist!

My memory will always be watching him play basketball in school when he was in grade 13--he was the star of the team at YMCI, the Wayne Gretzky of the b-ball court. He'd fly from one end to the other in the red uniform, leap up, and sink that ball in the net before the other team even blinked--they couldn't touch him, he was gold.

And he had a big heart, offering to help any way he could when my mother was ill with cancer and later, when my father took ill, too. To his family, please know how well-loved he was by so many--though I'm sure you already know this.

I haven't seen him in years and was just about to get in touch to let him know of an upcoming school reunion. Even though our meetings were sporadic, I will miss him terribly.

xoxo Natasha

Natasha Stoyhoff - August 18, 2014 at 11:40 AM

SM

“ This is a very late response to sad news that I recieved on July 20, 2014 as was away most of July. I have known Alec for just over 20 years. My Wife first made his acquaintance at his office on St. Clair and couldn't say enough nice things about him, which encoruaged me to pay him a visit. It only took that one visit and I absolutely knew this man was a gem. Funny, honest, reliable, a friend. Over the years I have enjoyed my visits with him and Lisa (My dental Hygenist). Alec always was pleasant, and humourous. His work was professional, caring. We talked of family and one could easily sense the pride and joy he had for his. My wife and I are devastated at this news. I will miss him terribly. More importantly I cannot fathom the whole he will have left. Its heart breaking and there are no adequate words to express the profound loss that has been experienced by all his colleagues but especially the family he loved so much.

Sam Mattina

Sam Mattina - July 29, 2014 at 08:34 AM

DK

“ I am deeply saddened to learn of Dr. Lupovici's sudden passing. I had the privilege of working with Alec at Queen Street Dental Care in 2012 and being on the receiving end of his excellent professional guidance. Alec demonstrated a magnetic, vibrant personality and true passion for his profession. He was ambitious and driven and I know that his caring nature touched each and every one of his patients. I feel grateful to have known him and my thoughts and prayers are with his family and his extended family at Queen St Dental Care during this most difficult time.

With deep sympathy,

Dr. Ilana Kraus

Dr. Ilana Kraus - July 28, 2014 at 07:45 PM

EO

“ I just heard the news of Alec's sudden death yesterday, and I still can't believe it. I knew him for 20 years and I was lucky to have known him and benefitted from his skill as a dentist. Thoughts and prayers go out to his wife and his boys and his family who miss him at Queen Street Dental. Thanks for the care and understanding all these year. You will be so missed. Eileen Oliver

Eileen Oliver - July 16, 2014 at 08:11 AM

GE

“ Just heard the bad news today.

Alec was my dentist for 22 years so I saw him from his practice on St. Clair in the old apartment. I didn't plan on going to him; it just happened that he was the only one who was opened on the weekends.

It worked out very well from the excellent care to the fun staff (including his wife who was very nice).

I was always glad he was in. We joked a round a lot and he never made appointments miserable affairs. And he never changed from how he was at ST. Clair even though he moved to a much larger practice.

So, thank you Alex, for the care, the laughs and sometimes for the advice. I will miss your stories of chasing your 'on the lose' dogs and your views on a range of stuff going on in the world.

*George Oliver
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George - July 15, 2014 at 10:54 AM

AA

“ I met Alec almost 25 years ago and I became a client when I needed an honest, accurate second opinion. He gave me one and saved my teeth. I was always confident I was receiving the best medical attention. Alec was always caring, friendly and genuinely concerned for our dental health. He knew his craft expertly and with a friendly attitude gave us all comfort. It was always worth the trip into town to see him after he gave up his St Clair practice. You get to know someone after so many years of random entertaining chats. Alec was a good man with a good heart. My family will miss him. Our deepest condolences to his wife, who he spoke about with love, his 3 sons of whom he was always so proud, his family, colleagues and friends. Our prayers are with you.

Adriana Arevalo&Asif Khan Chiara, Audrey - July 12, 2014 at 05:44 PM

JS

“ I am so saddened to learn of the passing of Dr. Lupovici. It was an honour to have him as my dentist for over 20 years. Alec was a wonderful man - a gifted professional, strong, modest and kind. His great sense of humour made fear walk out the door. Before a difficult procedure he'd say "Let's do this", and indeed he did, 100%, he'd see you through. I will miss him very much. My deepest sympathies, thoughts and prayers go to his beloved family, friends and colleagues.

June Sweeting

June Sweeting - July 12, 2014 at 09:34 AM

RB

I just came back from a long vacation and was going through the bunch of letters I received through mail. Noticed Dr Alec dental office envelope. I thought it's a reminding of my dental cleaning time, but shocked and very saddened to learn of his sudden death! The whole day went by and I couldn't stop thinking of what I just heard. I used to see him daily in GoodLife gym. He was very enthusiastic person. Working in the same building I learned that he is a dentist as well. From then he became my family dentist. I always enjoy his humble personality and positive attitude and off course his great work. My deepest sympathies go to his beloved family, friends and his dental office colleagues. He will be deeply missed.

Rosie Bazargani

Rosie Bazargani - August 17, 2014 at 10:40 PM

PN

*“ I am deeply saddened to hear that Alec a has departed us so suddenly. He truly was a great man, honest and sincere. I have been under his care for over 15 years, and always loved going to the dentist because I knew that I was gonna get to shoot the shit with Alec ha! He took interest in my reptile collection, and came by with his son one day because he just had to see for himself that I lived with 40 lizards lol...good times!
I am honored to have been his friend, I will miss him dearly.*

My deepest sympathies to the Lupovici family and friends, be strong through these tough times.

Pete Nickson

Pete Nickson - July 11, 2014 at 12:39 AM

JC

“ Alec was a kind, loving and thoughtful man who loved his family dearly and made everyone he came in contact with feel special. He always made our time together interesting and educational with a few laughs and stories thrown in.
I will miss our time together and wish his family love and peace in this most challenging period of their lives.
Joe Canavan

Joe Canavan - July 09, 2014 at 10:37 PM

MS

“ On the Dr Alec Lupovici passing,

Let YOUR ashes be written your sorrows in sand and your blessings in stone .

Your memories will be in my prayers and meditations.

Mihai

Mihai Scripcaru - July 09, 2014 at 08:27 AM

GW

“ I am so shaken to receive this news today. Absolutely gutted. My deepest thoughts are with Alec's family and colleagues. Devastated.
Glenn Warner

Glenn Warner - July 08, 2014 at 05:06 PM

GS

“ My utmost condolences to the Lupovici family. I am in shock at the news! Dr. Alec was one of the best and most professional dentists ever. He always had the greatest patience when my young daughter wanted to sit in on my visits. They struck the best conversations! His grand presence will be terribly missed.

Gail Shillingford

Gail Shillingford - July 07, 2014 at 01:30 AM

AN

“ I am so sorry to have heard of Dr. Lupovici's passing. He was always smiling and a wonderful dentist. I will miss him terribly.

Angela - July 06, 2014 at 01:12 AM

AD

“ My condolences to his family , may he rest in peace ! I was his assistant in the past , and he was so much fun to work with , he was an excellent dentist ! I was in shock to hear the news , I still cannot believe it !

To his family : be strong in this hard times :from Alina Dragan and family !

He will be missed !

alina dragan - July 04, 2014 at 06:49 PM

TL
Shelton

“ *It is with tears in my eyes that I send my most sincere condolences to Alec's family, colleagues, friends, patients - all those who were blessed to have met and known him. His life was cut much too short but he was one who made each day count and lived his life to the fullest. May he be at peace and may the family he loved so dearly find strength in remembering the treasure chest of special moments shared. Forever alive in our hearts, a truly wonderful, special person. ThaiLyn & Peter Shelton*

TL Shelton - July 04, 2014 at 12:17 AM

RE

“ *We are sorry to hear about the passing of Dr. Alec Lupovici. Our thoughts and prayers for the family.*

Remy Lingat and family

Remy - July 03, 2014 at 10:16 AM

SM

“ *I have been a patient of Dr. Lupovici for 14 years and i will miss him dearly. He was a great man and doctor, my heart goes out to his family.*

steve Michaelides

steve michaelides - July 03, 2014 at 08:58 AM

LP

“ *Dr Lupovici will be sadly missed by my whole family who have been in his care for over 20 years. Our deepest sympathy to his family.*

Lisa Particelli - July 03, 2014 at 01:13 AM

GS

“ Our deepest condolences to Dr. Lupovici's family. He was an excellent dentist. My husband and I both appreciated his professionalism and kindness, and enjoyed his sense of humour. He will be missed.

Gillian Shaw

Gillian Shaw - July 02, 2014 at 02:31 PM

TI

“ My condolences to Dr. Lupovici's family. He was a wonderful dentist and his loss will be felt in our community.

Tim - July 01, 2014 at 08:52 PM

DH

“ I am so sorry to hear of Dr. Lupovici's passing, he was always so kind and interested in how I was doing, he genuinely cared. He took time to chat with my kids and stress not only good teeth hygiene but manners and respect too. Not too many kids can leave a dentist with a smile on their face but they always did. His family is in our hearts and prayers.

Our sincere condolences,

The Hage family.

debra hage - July 01, 2014 at 07:28 PM

MD

“ Alec had treated me, was a member at the gym I work at- we've known each other for a good decade . .this was a shock. My heart goes out to his family. He was a guy that cared.



Mike Demeter - July 01, 2014 at 05:06 PM

 Jennifer Amey

“ So very sad to hear this news. I have been Dr. Lupovici's patient for fifteen years, and will miss his gentleness and sense of humour.

Jennifer Amey - July 01, 2014 at 01:16 PM

NA

“ I'm so sad to have received this news today. Dr. Lupovici has made my visits for the past 9 years a pleasure. He was kind and had a great energy that surrounded him. I am grateful to have been his patient. I send my deepest condolences to his family. - narida

narida - June 30, 2014 at 11:15 PM

TM

“ I've been seeing Alec since I was 14 years old when he first started out. I'm 47 now and Alec has been taking care of my daughters since birth. They are so sad and wish the family love and peace. Alec was a big part of my life - meeting me Xmas for an emergency, conferring with my orthodontist and my dentist sister-in-law to make everyone comfortable with the plans to correct my daughter's teeth. He even told me not to pay when I lost my job because he said the kids' health comes first. I will miss you so much my dear friend.

Tatjana Maguire - June 30, 2014 at 08:20 PM

AL

“ I was shocked and very sad to hear the news of Alec's passing. He was a terrific person and a great dentist. I will miss his friendly smile, witty banter and fun stories. My deepest sympathies to his family, friends and colleagues. Alex Zidel

Alex - June 30, 2014 at 04:21 PM

KE

“ I can't remember how long I've been seeing Alec, maybe 20 years?! He was not only a great dentist but always made my check ups enjoyable. For most of my visit we'd talk about cycling and swimming. It's hard to believe that this has happened. My deepest sympathies to his friends, colleagues and family.
Kevin O'Keefe

Kevin - June 30, 2014 at 03:25 PM

EW

“ Eileen Williams lit a candle in memory of Dr. Alec Bogumil Lupovici



Eileen Williams - June 30, 2014 at 08:36 AM

CT

“ I too received a note from Dr. Zucker. I am so sorry and offer my deepest sympathies to Alec's family, friends and colleagues.

C. Tuckwell

Cathy Tuckwell - June 30, 2014 at 07:43 AM

LM

“ I have just received notification from Dr. Zucker of Alex's passing. Alex was an outstanding dentist and a compassionate man. Please accept our deepest sympathy.

Respectfully,
The McCallum Family

Leslie McCallum - June 27, 2014 at 06:03 PM

SH

For me, going to the Dentist was an occasion I always looked forward to because Dr. Lupovici was not only superb at his job, he always made time to stop for a chat. Alec and I shared some good laughs over the years, his sharp wit and dry sense of humour making every visit much more than just an appointment. I considered Alec to be a friend, and I will miss him dearly. My deepest sympathy to his family. Please know that he will be remembered by many.

Respectfully,
Stephen Hodges

Stephen Hodges - June 28, 2014 at 11:37 PM

VP

Dr. Lupovici was a wonderful dentist and I will miss him. I was so shocked and saddened to hear of his passing. My heartfelt condolences go out to his family, friends and colleagues.
Sincerely, Val Pordage

Valerie Pordage - June 30, 2014 at 09:21 AM



Our deepest sympathy, condolences and prayers to Alec's family, colleagues and friends. We will really miss him , he was a great dentist and a super nice person to deal with.

Grieco Family

Patricia Grieco - June 30, 2014 at 05:10 PM



Dr. Lupovici was my dentist and was a kind and excellent dentist. I will miss him and offer my sympathy to his family.

Sincerely

John Lee

John Lee - June 30, 2014 at 06:33 PM