

"THE SECRET OF GETTING  
AHEAD IS GETTING STARTED"

Mark Twain

Abe was one of the nicest  
people I ever knew I will  
miss him forever - Steve Hummatt

To Abe only you could keep  
a smile on our face at hardy for  
Kathy Sullivan & Jonathan Hattell

An Angel on Earth will show with  
wings to always send love  
to us  
D. Blawson

Yo - Abe

I still miss your response

Blessings ; Roy Biegen

Abe you would believe all this  
love for you - thank you  
D. Lambek Melrose





To the Family of Abe Feldman, Dec 5, 2019  
I am new to DC Lambda Squares  
having just completed the Beginner Class  
that Abe organized. He welcomed me to  
the class with an open heart and a  
warm hug. Through his words and deeds  
he made it clear that this was  
an open, accepting community of  
people who wanted to enjoy life,  
dance, and each other. I feel  
lucky & grateful for the opportunity  
to know Abe with sincere sympathy.

Ann Hemmens



There isn't much I can say that  
has not already been said. I've  
known Abe for over 20 years & we never  
argued on when we first met. Our  
love is better for having known him.  
Thomas Hebert

I'm still sort of expecting Abe to come  
by me and ask me how I'm doing. I  
will miss his kind and generous heart.

Ann May

I met Abe when I started dancing about 20  
years ago. He always made a point of  
saying hello, asking about me, and supporting  
my learning curve. He seemed to know everybody  
whenever we danced. He'll always be  
around and missed.

Don Cohen



Debbie

I loved Abe. He was  
just the greatest person.  
A friend to everyone. He  
radiated warmth - friendship.  
Thank you for Abe.  
Much love

Abe was the heartbeat at the center  
of DC Lambda. Like a heart he  
kept working in good times and bad,  
loved fiercely and steadily, warmed  
in friendship, wept in loss. He made  
me feel I'd come home when I  
showed up. He was also so smart,  
measured, knowledgeable. I will miss  
him so much and cannot believe he  
will never look over all sideways  
with a hand extended to me saying  
"Dance?"

♥♥♥ Andrea N.

Abe was an angel now - and  
will be forever. His laughter  
contagious. The fun moments  
helped bring me square dancing  
in many places. His gentle  
guiding hand kept me having  
fun.

I will miss Abe and yet I know  
his guiding hand will stay  
with us for years to come.

Much love

Christ de Jery

Abe, loyal dancer at every  
event; he will be missed  
at all of the conventions!  
at HotMista; @ Randy Rouse

I will truly miss Abe. I always loved dancing with  
him and to save the best times.

my heart goes out to him  
Niko Strogina



A world is missing a wonderful human being. Abe was an excellent dancer. He will be missed by all.

~~Karen Lee~~  
KASSOR  
DETROIT MI

MISSING YOU ABE  
Dance Wholly  
WINK

Ack Abe!  
You left us way too soon!

Bob Lane  
Toronto TS

Abe,  
I hope you are dancing with  
the angels  
Jim High

I'm sure Abe is as being hugged by all  
the angels. We miss his hugs here Abe -  
the square where I get dance  
K. Smith

Abe kept the ZigZaggers Square  
Dance Club members informed at every  
dance and e-mailed all to determine  
if we had at least 12 dancers for  
our Friday dances. He kept  
everyone going in the right direction  
and was very friendly to all.  
Macarena Craig

Abe's passing left a huge hole in the square  
dance community - and in our hearts. He  
was so welcoming and giving of his time  
and energy to so many organizations  
we were blessed to get to know him.  
Becki Brackett

Zig Zaggers, MACA, Barkley Squares + more.

Abe - a Great Man, Gentle Person, Extremely  
intelligent & gifted - we miss you  
every dance! Dennis & Christina L.

So missed at your beloved ACDC  
Your spirit will always live on in  
all of us Love you Ed

It was a delight to meet and  
dance with Abe summer 2019  
at Cherry Ridge Elizabeth Hill

We so miss you!

We're thinking of you  
on this last ACDC ♥ Mary & Mike

I am still looking for you  
at each dance. I am finding  
you each time (among each  
one of us who ever knew you).  
Your legacy is our love. - Moss

Abe, thanks for the smiles and  
good humor at all times! - Bob Peterson

Heaven has another  
square dance angel

Love,

Love



"We love to promenade" - me  
"You love to promenade" - you

The Square Dance Community suffered a  
huge loss. You were the kindest  
soul Love Michael & Nancy

Missing you greatly  
John



What a lovely soul. Your smile, your  
kindness, your calmness. Thank you  
for always making everyone welcome  
at a dance. You are missed my friend  
Dan Frost

Oh where in Spirit land  
is your mine  
I hope you are with her  
and many others in the  
and lots of fly-in and  
and of the world.  
What a kind soul  
- Wendy & Jack Frost

We had more than a hint now  
in coming I wish I had more  
time to get to know her  
Cynthia

He will always be missed and  
remembered

Victoria & Craig Sherman

I will always miss Albi  
Hansen

I am training hard not to sulk  
but your absence looms large over this  
AC/DC weekend. And yet... I feel  
your presence here still, Albi

Steve Sherman

We miss your spirit & enthusiasm.  
Will & Mary Lehn

Missing your good humor and  
sunny disposition  
Dave Blatt



Know that Abe will always be in  
our hearts. Don't know

Missing your hugs and dancing with  
you, The Memphis Connection

Just finished ACDC Abe was miss

Kathy Sullivan

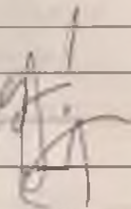
Missing you at ACDC. You are still in  
my thoughts. Good for

I missed you, but had the constant sensation that  
you were just around the corner. You are such a part  
of this group of ACDC, w/ all of us that I just  
knew you were here. Emily Gray

Love You, Abe! Kim Roberts

You were soft spoken but  
had such a big heart.  
We will miss you so much Abe!  
Thom Dang & Darren Gallina

Your Care for all who  
had needs was Amazing, such  
a big heart.

Always warm & welcoming!  
The BEST STIRTS! 

You made me dance better than I  
could imagine. You were a gentleman.  
You will always be missed. Ddie Ransford

We miss you - I miss you  
So painful by your loss.  
Love  
Lisa Strong



You will always be in  
our hearts

For ~~Robert~~  
Sad to lose you  
Christine & home (m) 7/95

We miss your kind +  
generous presence, Abe  
We miss dancing with you  
and to your calling  
Love Chuck & Susan

Blatant + Conventions will  
never be the same I miss  
your solid presence in the  
square I miss your  
generous direction and  
your kind spirit.  
Thank you for all of the  
years of dancing. you'll always  
be in my heart. Dave Turner

Oh Abe, you always found everyone  
one-by-one and made each of  
us feel as though you had been  
eagerly awaiting an embrace.  
I miss that. - Moss

Everyone has written so many  
wonderful words. But words just  
can't express how much you  
square dance family misses.  
You. This sad we don't  
know those feelings while  
we are all here  
Toni Ventura & Chris Phillipis

Wow Abe, I can't believe you won't be  
here with us. But maybe you are. I can't  
conjure past or dance in. Rance  
Nancy



My heart broke when I heard the  
news of your passing. I will always  
remember your kindness and  
yellow rock. You are truly missed.  
Dan Frost

We miss you so very much, Dad  
Rest & Power

Robert Dool  
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You are truly missed what  
a gift you are in our lives  
Love Catherine

We lost a great man & great friend  
Dad  
Cynthia

One of the most kind, friendly,  
smartest persons I have met in life.

Mittie S.

My dearest Abe.

Heaven has another angel.

Love,  
Louie (D)

Abe you came in so many  
years ago & helped when I needed  
me get through the darkest Miss  
my angel so much.  
Nancy

Dear Abe,  
Miss you!  
Love,

Daniel & Selma

Abe was so thoughtful of other  
people. When I would visit D.C.S.,  
Abe always invited me out afterwards,  
and we had a good time.

Bob Roberts



Hi!

So shocked and sad to  
learn about Abe's passing.  
"May his memory be for a blessing."  
Mitchell Berger  
Independence Squares

I never knew Abe closely but  
he was always one of the kindest,  
gentlest, and most patient of dancers.  
I always enjoyed dancing with him  
in NYC and the conventions. He will  
be truly missed, we are all at  
a loss without him.

Jean Yola  
Independence &  
Triangle Squares

Sorry for your loss!  
Larry Pick

Miss dancing with Abe, particularly  
since we're going C3A and he  
wanted to dance that level. I  
remember when he first  
joined DC Double Squares.  
He was such a wonderful  
person and wonderful dancer.  
Yvonne Crowell  
DCDS

Dancing has never been so fun  
as when Abe was on the floor. I  
miss him so much.

Jennifer Lepp  
Etterna

Miss you, too. I'll be happy to dance with you!  
A. Maguire



~~Dear Mr. [unclear]~~  
I will always remember  
Abe's close eye contact  
for discussions and his steady  
dancing and guidance - always  
there in the right spot, and  
always thoughtful. He is  
greatly missed.

Steve Bilanow  
Chesapeake Squares

I miss his generous smile.  
He was always helpful  
and welcoming.

James Duffy - Bilanow  
Chesapeake Squares

Abe was my first contact  
with D.C.S. - a warm welcome  
and kind soul. It was an  
honor to know him.

Shirley Pickett

Abe, cured Abe, a fellow GCA called an  
excellent one at that time and  
I shared many a conversation about  
calling, dancing, and Downton Abbey.  
We miss him terribly - May his  
memory live on! Sgt M. [unclear]

You will be missed

Abe! I miss you! The last time I  
saw you, we called a singing call  
together and we harmonized. It  
was great! I had hoped to do that  
with you again, so I will do it in your  
honor! Love you!

Zip ♡

Do Run Run  
Singer



KATHY & I were getting  
READY to head to Rehoboth  
I turned AROUND to ASK what time  
DO WE PICKUP ABE. (STRANGE HOW  
WE OVR LIVES TO OTHERS,).

Flg. Ins are not the same without you....

Abe,  
We miss you very much. Pass the  
Ocean but isn't the same with-  
out you. I am sure you are  
Do st' doing, and loading the  
boat in the Big Square in  
the Skep.

XOXO

Shelia & Sandy

We miss you, Abe

Cindy Schaefer

You are not forgotten by me! May  
your spirit of kindness and thoughtfulness  
forever live!

Branch, Megan, 3rd

You were a lovely man  
& I miss seeing you. XOXO

Abe, you were a treasure to  
know and are deeply missed!  
Honey.

ABE, YOU WERE MY FAVORITE  
CORNER !! THANKS FOR ALL YOUR  
ENCOURAGEMENT! PEG

Missing you hugely!!  
Jab



We miss you Abe!  
Mary

Love you, Abe! M.

Abe great knowing you!  
Ed Trever

Well Abe. Its so sad all  
you missed. Even dancing  
and all your breaks now  
dancing C3A. I really really  
wish you were here!  
- Mike

Still think of you Abe not  
just in square dancing but in  
Cambodia light as well.  
Yours in spirit  
John

Abe, we will ALWAYS miss  
a REMEMORANCE!  
Dennis & Christine

DEAR ABE,

DANCING IS NOT THE SAME  
WITHOUT YOU WE MISS YOUR SMILE  
WE MISS YOU KEEPING US STRAIGHT.  
WE WILL TRY TO REMEMBER ALL  
YOU TAUGHT US

TRISH + DICK

O DEAR -- I SEND YOU MY  
LOVE, LOVE, LOVE, LOVE  
ON TOWN, WITH THE STAR DANCE, CUP & CUPS

Will miss your smile & enthusiasm  
Steve Anderson  
You made conventions so much better  
with your welcoming friendship  
We miss you - Michael Holt



Miss you in my  
squares, your presence  
is greatly missed, such a  
sweet soul always seemed  
happy

Dona

Abe - I was always impressed by  
your ability to call especially  
considering your sight challenges.  
Betsey Gotto

We miss you and dancing with you  
May soul will be

Miss your  
wonderful smile

Abe - I miss dancing with you  
your sweet smile is greatly  
missed

Lan,

Ross Lorton  
AKA Edw Patty



I associate Abe with music. Tonight no music, but that I think of is from Samhey Robinson: "I've got to dance to keep from crying." The other song that I can't help but remember is one of Abe's favorite singing call recitals - and one that fit his voice so well: "I'd really love to see you tonight." We all really wish we would see you tonight, Abe. Square dancing won't be the same without you.

Steve Johnson

Abe was such an important part of DC Lumbkin Square and the greater square-dancing world. Besides serving on the board for many years, he was involved in leadership positions w/ other local clubs. Even after he has been gone, he still contributes to the club through his choreography, which he thoughtfully wrote to dance, and has been used by the club more than on occasion. I miss him a lot.  
Michael Whitcraft

Abe was the only person from college that I kept in touch with. He has been a big part of my life for the last forty years. I cannot imagine going to a square dance weekend without him.

John "Drew" Allen

Bruce & Chee

Abe's passing leaves a huge hole in the heart of DC Lumbkin Square - and in the square dance community at-large. A kinder, gentler man we have not known. - Chee



Always looked forward to our  
conversations in DC & elsewhere.  
That one speculation on Capitol Hill  
will live in my vivid memory...

Miss your wit. You were always  
genuine & real with me

Love,  
George

Such a lovely man!!

Deeply missed!

Gene Lauer

Thinking of your wonderful smile  
helps me get through the day. Wardson

We so miss your energy  
& conversation. I miss  
seeing you whenever I can to  
DC. Rest in peace and  
we'll yellow red again someday.

George Jr

I miss you, Abe. Your energy, your  
enthusiasm, your love. Rest in peace.

Gene

Abe was 100% always  
encouraging & helpful  
to me as a new  
dancer, then as a new  
Plus dancer, and as a  
new Advanced dancer,  
helping me to feel welcome  
especially when I felt  
a bit out of place

He was a true friend  
even though and perhaps  
because I barely  
knew him



We all miss you. All the time

EA.

Abe - we're finally @ convention  
and missing you tremendously.  
I know you're squaring  
up in HEAVEN!

Asa & Dave

Thank you, Abe, for your  
kindness. Sincerely,

Chuck Novak  
Grand River Squares  
Grand Rapids, MI

Abe, It was so early for  
you. You've been an inspiration  
to me. I remember our  
moments.

Hugs,  
Ken Herskowitz  
Times Squares

Abe was a classmate during my first  
college school and we called together  
several times. He was friends with my ex  
partner in Pittsburgh and I met him through  
Paul before I ever got to square dancing. I  
was so pleased to meet him again via  
square dance. He will be missed

Love

Blaine Knapp  
From City Squares

You are so missed - memories of  
you in long ago college schools  
OXOXO Paul Egan

Abe, You always welcomed  
me and gave the best  
loving hugs. Abe, you  
inspired me to keep calling  
and to keep smiling  
and have fun.  
Thank you for  
Everything you  
did for me!  
The world!