



Mr. Frederick Norman Slosman

June 25, 2011

Frederick Norman Slosman, 71, a lifelong Asheville resident, died peacefully surrounded by loved ones June 25, 2011, after a long battle with Alzheimer's. Born December 27, 1939, the son of the late Samuel and Nettie Slosman, he had a deep love for his native Western North Carolina mountains. He was the youngest of three siblings who were his late sister, Bryna Liebowitz, and brother, the late Benson Slosman.

Slosman dedicated his life to growing The Slosman Corporation, a local textile company founded by his grandfather, Barnet, over 100 years ago. He began as a territory salesman at The Slosman Corporation working while he completed his last two years at NC State, where he received a bachelor's degree in textiles in 1961. He became chairman and CEO in the late 80's. Slosman loved family and his Jewish Heritage. He spent much of his life involved in the Asheville community. He served as Past President of Beth Israel Synagogue and the Jewish Community Center, was a member of Sigma Alpha Mu from N.C. State for fifty years, was a 32nd degree Mason, served on the boards of First Commercial Bank and the March of Dimes, was a member of Chaine des Rotisseurs, and was a contributor to the Asheville Humane Society among other organizations.

Slosman had a lifelong love for aviation, traveling, fine dining and golf. He traveled extensively throughout the world on business and more recently

enjoyed excursions with his loving wife, Ellen. In addition to Ellen, Slosman is survived by children: Richard, Jeff (Debra), Elyse Dietrich (Gary), Shayna Telesmanic (Chris), Sam; stepchildren: Sherrye Coggiola (Anthony) and Babette Ito (Doug); grandchildren: Bennett, Carson, Cooper, Kellon, Maxton, Sienna, Sydney, and the late Winston; along with numerous other extended family and loved ones. Much love and thanks to the staff of Clare Bridge and CarePartners, including his dear hospice nurse, Nancy Driscoll.

Funeral Services will be held Sunday, June 26, 2011 at 2 p.m. at Beth Israel Synagogue with Rabbi Robert Cabelli officiating. Interment will follow at Lou Pollock Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Fred Slosman Endowment/Jewish Community Center, 236 Charlotte Street, Asheville, NC, 28801.

Cemetery Details

Lou Pollock Cemetery

North Louisiana Avenue
Asheville, NC 28806

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Frederick Norman Slosman*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM

“ *Estimada familia del Sr. Slosman,*

Es increíble como pasa la vida y no podemos creer que ya han pasado 10 años desde que falleciera nuestro querido "tío Fred", como le decíamos por el cariño que le teníamos y que todavía mantenemos por él. Para nosotros sigue siempre con nosotros en nuestra memoria, porque, tuvimos la fortuna del destino al cruzarnos en su primer viaje a Chile y recibirlo en nuestra empresa que por el año 2000 recién habíamos formado con mi hermano. Su sencillez, calidez humana y experiencia que gentilmente nos traspasó en ese breve momento de su vida, significó mucho para nosotros y nos ayudó para ganar confianza y seguir su ejemplo hasta el día de hoy.

Agradecemos a la vida de poder haberlo conocido y con mucho cariño compartimos esta breve y grata historia que disfrutamos junto a él.

*Les escribimos con mucho respeto, deseándoles mucha paz y amor.
cordialmente.*

*Luis y Miguel Muñoz
Diprosur S.A. - Chile*

Dear Mr. Slosman's Family,

It is incredible how life goes by and we cannot believe that 10 years have passed since our dear "Uncle Fred" passed away, as we called him because of the love we had for him and that we still have for him. For us, he is always with us in our memory, because, we had the fortune of destiny when we met on his first trip to Chile and received him in our company that in the year 2000 we had just formed with my brother.

The simplicity, human warmth and experience of him that graciously passed on to us in that brief moment of his life, meant a lot to us

and helped us gain confidence and follow his example to this day. We thank life for being able to meet him and with much affection we share this short and pleasant story that we enjoy with him.

We write to you with great respect, wishing you much peace and love.

Cordially.

Luis and Miguel Muñoz

Diprosur S.A. - Chile

Luis Muñoz - January 05, 2022 at 11:49 PM

DS

“ *I just learned of Freddie's passing. I have only fond memories of Fred & Asheville & our youth! Love and condolences to all! Love, Ginger Lerner & Family*

Dana Lerner Sparks - July 04, 2011 at 05:32 PM

UQ

“ *We are deeply sorry for the loss of dear Fred - We had a chance to appreciate his person not only for our professional relationship began many years ago with my father, Bruno and continued after his death - but also for his deep humanity and sensitiveness - We were always happy to meet Fred , when he came to Italy and he gave all his availability when we had the opportunity to visit your country , we met the family of each other - we were good friend , and we will always remember him*

A big hug from Umberto , Oriana and Patrizia (Italy)

Umberto Querci - June 28, 2011 at 08:29 AM

MP

“ Dear Ellen, I was so saddened to hear of the passing of your beloved Freddie. Sending you love and hugs, my beautiful friend. I will be praying for your peace and strength.
Michelle Shillinglaw



Michelle Palm - June 27, 2011 at 06:50 PM

AR

“ Ellen and the Slosman family. I am glad I had a chance to know Fred, even if only for about three years or so. He was a nice man and will be greatly missed.
Aaron Rainey at Clare Bridge.

Aaron Lee Rainey - June 27, 2011 at 05:10 PM

WH

“ Ellen, Evelyn and I were very sorry to see the email about Fred when we returned home today. Fred was a good friend in high school and my one ill fated year at NC State. I only got to play golf with him once some years back and our golf was terrible because all we could talk about were the "good old days". Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers and we are very sorry we were not here for the service. Rusty Herman

William "Rusty" Herman - June 27, 2011 at 04:02 PM

PG

“ I was deeply sadden to hear of Fred's passing and send my conolences to the family.Fred and I went to Lee Edwards High School together and I always remember him as a very nice young man. He will be missed.

Peggy Guest-Totherow

Peggy Guest-Totherow - June 27, 2011 at 04:01 PM

KL

“ He was the best boss I ever had and a very good friend. I always enjoyed preparing him for his trips to Italy to see Bruno Querci and others. I had not seen him in recent years but thought of him often. My sincere condolences to his wife and family.

Kaye (Robertson) Leath

Kaye (Robertson) Leath - June 26, 2011 at 07:35 PM

JV

“ Attended Lee H. Edwards with Freddie and enjoyed knowing him and having him in my graduation class. My sympathy goes to all the family and friends at his death.

Judy Patton Virnelson



Judy Patton Virnelson - June 26, 2011 at 05:06 PM