



## Laszlo Frecska

March 23, 2023

Laszlo Frecska, 85, passed away on Thursday, March 23, 2023 at his home in Libertyville, IL. He was born in Mohora, Hungary in 1937 and participated in the 1956 Hungarian Revolution's attempt to rid Hungary of Soviet Communism. During his assisted escape, he was hidden in a train's coal store with a steel bucket on his head. Once safely across the border he became a refugee in a camp in Yugoslavia. The Red Cross gave him the choice of immigrating to the USA or South America. He chose the US because he had read Huckleberry Finn as a child and wanted to see the Mississippi River. Laszlo owned several exterior home construction businesses before becoming a partner in Advent Tool & Manufacturing. He lived a full life and the American Dream of every immigrant to this great nation. He loved America. Surviving is his wife of 20 years, Emilia Bende Frecska; 2 children, Elizabeth Hawari and Richard Frecska and by 2 grandchildren, Michelle & Alexander Hawari.

A memorial celebration will begin at 5:00 p.m. followed by a service at 6:00 p.m. Thursday, April 13, 2023 at Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. in Libertyville. For info: 847-362-3009 or share a memory at [www.burnettdane.com](http://www.burnettdane.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 13. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Burnett-Dane Funeral Home  
120 West Park Avenue  
Libertyville, IL 60048  
(847) 362-3009

## Funeral Service

APR 13. 6:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Laszlo Frecska.*



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April 12, 2023 at 09:17 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Laszlo Frecska.*



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April 10, 2023 at 01:15 PM



“ *I remember when we were young college students, Laszlo always welcomed us into his home. We were inspired by his great work ethics. When my son graduated from the military, he attended his homecoming party. Great man with great contributions and wonderful daughter, Liz, and his amazing grandchildren Alex and Michelle Hawari. We will miss you Laszlo. Rest in peace.*

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**Ayche McClung** - March 28, 2023 at 06:08 PM