



Victor Alexander Agnello

June 1, 2014 - June 1, 2014

Victor Alexander Agnello, MD

(March 31, 1964 - June 1, 2014)

Dr Victor A. Agnello, beloved husband, father, brother, and physician, lost his battle to complications of leukemia on Sunday, June 1st, at age 50. He was the founder and CEO of Allergy & Asthma Center of Lake Norman.

The son of an USAF Officer, Dr Agnello was born on March 31, 1964, in Grand Forks, ND and lived in many countries throughout his childhood. His father, Col Anthony Agnello, retired and settled down in Fairfield, California where Victor graduated from Fairfield High School in 1981. He then hit the road as a drummer for the heavy metal band, Laaz Rockit for the next 7 years including 4 world tours. They recorded 5 albums and one full length DVD, "Fire in the Hole", which was shown on the MTV Headbanger's Ball. In 2009, Dr Agnello joined as Laaz Rockit reunited to open for Metallica's Reunion Tour in Japan. Dr Agnello's avid interest in music and particularly drums continued throughout his life and he had begun passing the skill on to his daughters.

Along the way, Dr Agnello decided to pursue a career in medicine. Not afraid of hard work, he also worked as a foreman for a lath and plaster construction

company to help pay bills while attending college at University California in Davis. There he graduated with high honors in 1993. He attended medical school at George Washington University in Washington D.C. earning his medical degree in 1997.

Dr Agnello was accepted into the military Internal Medicine Residency program studying at Walter Reed Army Medical Center graduating in 1998. While in his residency, he made two life changing decisions. He met and married Emily Richard of Cullman AL in 1999 and he decided to pursue a postgraduate fellowship in Allergy-Immunology graduating in 2002. Their first two daughters, Mya and Lauren were born while he completed his residency and fellowship at Walter Reed Army Medical Center. He was a board certified physician in both Internal Medicine and Allergy & Immunology.

Continuing his active duty Army career, now Major Agnello and his family transferred to Fort Campbell KY as Chief of the Allergy-Immunology Clinic at Blanchfield Army Community Hospital from 2002 to 2006. While at Fort Campbell, daughters Rachael and Elaina were born. During that assignment, Major Agnello also deployed as Battalion Surgeon for the 2/327th of the 101st Airborne Division during Operation Iraqi Freedom in Kuwait and Iraq. He was awarded the Meritorious Service and 2 Army Commendation Medals. He resigned his commission from the Army in 2006 and moved his growing family to Lake Norman area of North Carolina where he and Emily added Anna, Maria, and Brooklynn to the crowd while opening his private practice.

Dr Agnello was preceded in death by his parents, retired USAF Col Anthony Agnello and Ernelieb (Sherry) Elsasser Agnello. In addition to his wife, Emily, and seven daughters, Dr Agnello is survived by his sisters, Marina Agnello of Napa, CA, and Angela Miller-Dickson (Richard), and son James (Victor's Godson), of Portland OR; his Uncles Mario and George Agnello, his Aunt Sarah Agnello, his mother-in-law, Mrs JoAnn Richard and a host of

Emily's siblings, nieces, nephews and extended family.

The family will be receiving friends from 5 - 8 PM, Wednesday, June 4, 2014, at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home, Mooresville, with a Rosary Service at 6:30 PM. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11 AM, Friday, June 6, 2014, at St. Therese Catholic Church, Mooresville. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to NSF, c/o Agnello College Fund, 312 North Church Street, Monroe, NC 28112. Cavin-Cook Funeral Home is serving the Agnello family. Condolences may be made to the Agnello family at www.cavin-cook.com.

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“ *Victor Alexander Agnello*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Victor Alexander Agnello*

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“ *Victor Alexander Agnello*

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“ *I was going through some things today and I found the invite to his commencement from UC Davis and I wanted to share it.*

Tony Hejnicky - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM



“ *my deepest condolences I went to school with Victor he was the drummer I spent a few nights over Victor's house Victor spend a few nights out of my house on Green Valley we were always good friends he doesn't look the same as a grown up you had a mullet back then I guess everybody did though he was an awesome person I saw him probably 20 years ago in downtown Vacaville playing at merchant and main I was blessed to know him you always be in my thoughts and prayers has with his family and I can only imagine he was in our poly an awesome father and husband*

Kenny McAfee - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

TM

“ I am deeply sadden by the loss of Dr. Agnello. Hearing of this immediately brought tears to my eyes. Dr. Agnello was an amazing person and never changed from my first interview at the office, til my last day. He was a great person to work for and always wore a smile on his face no matter what was going on in his life. Work days just wouldn't seem right if he didn't have his favorite music playing on the radio in his office. My family and I are Praying for Mrs. Agnello and their beautiful children whom we had the opportunity to meet. I can truly say the apple doesn't fall far from the tree because they were as kind and sweet as their father and so was Mrs. Agnello. He may be gone physically but his spirit and legacy will forever live on. May God Bless You All

Terica Morgan - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

KL

“ I am so sorry for the loss of such an amazing doctor, musician, and family man. I had followed Victor's musical journey for so many years, and then had the opportunity to spend some time with him when my daughter was sent to the Huntersville office for some allergy testing. Victor was so gracious, and we spent about a half hour just discussing music and life in general. He will be sorely missed by all who knew him and were touched by his huge heart.

Kevin Lewis - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

CR

“ I just learned of Victors passing. My deepest heartfelt condolences to your entire family. I remember years ago, him making "cassettes" of different types of music and handing them out to various family members. I so loved reading about the various stories others have shared about his caring ways & family. It's been many years - and that's exactly what I remember about him, and his loving family. 2 Corinthians 13:11-14 Wishing you all oceans of God's comfort & peace. -Cindy Renna

Cindy Renna - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

KA

“ Isaiah 33:24 And no resident will say: "I am sick." The people dwelling in the land will be pardoned for their error. Isaiah 25:8 "He will swallow up death forever, And the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces. The reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, For Jehovah himself has spoken it." Isaiah 26:19 "And the earth will let those powerless in death come to life, Psalm 37:29 "The righteous will possess the earth, And they will live forever on it. Isaiah 65:17 For look! I am creating new heavens and a new earth; And the former things will not be called to mind, Nor will they come up into the heart."

Karen - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

AW

“ Emily & girls: I was so blessed by you and your family. I have thought and prayed for you often. May God strengthen you during this time. Blessings: Ann

Ann Whitt-6E - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

VD

“ Dr. Agnello was a very compassionate doctor. I will never find a doctor again like him. He was a proud father as he always talked about his daughters during appointments. He will be greatly missed!

Vicky Dorfman - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

GF

“ Our deepest sympathies go out to the Agnello family. It's difficult to express how sorry I am for your loss. Victor was an incredible man and a great inspiration to me. I had the privilege of performing in a band called Little Bridgette with him while he attended U.C. Davis. I feel very fortunate for the time I spent with Vic and it was an honor to be his friend. He will be greatly missed and always remembered.

Gary Blackburn & Family - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

KF

“ My heart goes out to Dr. Agnello's family and staff. He was a wonderful person and one of my favorite physicians I have ever worked with at Allscripts. I enjoyed working with him years back with setting up his EHR when he opened his practice. He loved his family and life. It was obvious. Rest in peace Dr. A.

Kelley Page Favreau - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

RF

“ To Mrs. Agnello and daughters, We are so saddened to hear of your husband's passing. I first went to see Dr Agnello for recurring allergic reactions after having my second daughter (I have three now). Dr Agnello took a personal interest in my case and helped me along the way including a phone call to see how I'm doing. This was almost two years ago and I am thankful to God for having known him even for a short while. I will continually keep you and your daughters in our prayers. God bless you.

Regina Williams & family - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

SW

“ We are so sorry for the loss of Dr Agnello. He was a terrific doctor and helped our son throughout the years. Our thoughts and prayers go out to your family.

Susan Wind - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

KL

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We are thinking of your family and sending thoughts and prayers to you.

Katie and Will Layman - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

LM

“ Dr. Agnello was a wonderful physician, and we will miss his input to the care of our patients.

Liz Tilt, MD - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

SC

“ We were so sorry to hear about Victor's passing. He was a very special person, loved by many. Our thoughts and prayers are with Emily and the girls.

Sarah Corley - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

MH

“ It was an honor to know and care for your family. Many prayers, Miranda (Duke)

Miranda Harris - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

MH

“ *It is with deepest sadness that I and my boys (James and Hayden), send our love and prayers to Emily and her girls at this time of loss. I think of you often and will pray for you and the girls.*

Mary hovater - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

CF

“ *My deepest condolences go out to Dr. Agnello's family and friends. He was a wonderful person and always had such a positive outlook on life. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers.*

Christy Flynn - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

TH

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to all of Vic's friends and family. He was a great man and I'm truly touched to read that he has been able to make a difference in so many people's lives. Although I hadn't been in contact with him for such a long, long time he left an impression on me that I'll never forget. He was the most genuine man I've ever met and you knew he truly cared. The world has lost one of the 'good guys' who truly made a difference.*

Tony Hejnicky - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

BF

“ Emily & Girls, The Fox Family was so devastated to hear of your Husband's/Father's passing... the brief time I got to know Vic, I just couldn't get over what a happy & positive Person he was. I never saw him without a Smile on his Face! You couldn't help but feel good during and after speaking with him for any period of time. The World will surely benefit from having such a kind Soul with us, even though he wasn't here with us nearly long enough. Abbey, Lauren, Megan Charles & Thomas and I will all be thinking of your Family and we all wish you as much peace as possible knowing he'll always be with you. Please feel free to call on us if you ever need anything... we have all lost a good, good Man and I am so sorry for your loss. - Bill Fox

Bill Fox - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

PS

“ To the Agnello Family I worked with Dr. Agnello , at Blanchfield Army Hospital , Fort Campbell, KY. , Allergy clinic , My prayers and sincere condolences to your family. Dr. Agnello was a wonderful, friendly and great boss and friend. The world has lost a wonderful man, may God bless each one of your family and beautiful young daughters, I will always remember the glow he had in his eyes when his girls and wife would come to the office. What love he had for each of you, and it surely showed . Our hearts are so full of sorrow for you as your endure his passing , may God bless and keep you. Your family will continue be in our prayers.

Patsey A. Simmons - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

DC

“ What a wonderful human being. You have touched all of us with your smile and caring heart. God Bless

Dr. Raymond Haigney, Kimberly, Grant & Cole - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

RP

“ We just found out this evening, that God received a " Special Angel" on Monday June 1st, we are sadden & our hearts go out to his family..especially his wife Emily & the lovely daughters. we our thinking & praying for this truly beautiful family. Roger has met & worked for you, I had the privilege meeting all of you @ 7:30 mass @ St. Therese, one Sunday...Whatever we can do for youwere here. God Bless such a wonderful family & may he always keep all of you safe.Warmest Regards, Roger & Ruth

Roger & Ruth Parant - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

TS

“ Tom met Vic at his practice a few years ago, and they hit it off. Having 5 kids (Vic, at the time) gave them something in common. He was a wonderful, intelligent, eclectic person who was able to talk about heavy metal band SlipKnot and allergens, in the same conversation. The love he had for his wife and his 7 girls was enormous. We are very sad to hear of his passing.

Tom and Tammy Stalun - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

MW

“ My sincerest condolences to you and the girls Emily. Vic was one of a kind and I will miss him dearly.If there is anything at all that I can do for you and the girls, please don't hesitate to aks.

Mark Weber - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

KH

“ We were so sorry to hear about Dr. Agnello. He was so wonderful with my son Avery. He never minded going to his appointments. Dr. Agnello always answered all our questions and was so kind and loving. We will miss him so much.

Kim and Avery Hill - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

SK

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Dr. Agnello will truly be missed. He was a pillar of the community and left behind a legacy for his partners to admire and live up to.

Sharon Kling - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

KF

“ Our prayers are with you as you celebrate the all too short life of Vic. During the short time I spent with Vic during residency at Walter Reed (1998-2000), I had the privilege of becoming his friend. I missed him at Fort Campbell being there from 2000-2002. I never saw him upset during our residency and I can't say that about too many other doctors.

Kyle Harner, Lisa Thomas-Harner and Family - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

VP

“ I am a fellow allergist in Charlotte and met Vic sparingly at our meetings. He was a dedicated academic and very ethical man and devoted dad. He left our most recent meeting early to go read a bedtime story to his youngest child. Very sad time for the family, for the allergist community and for his patients.

Vandana Patel - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

YO

“ I send my deepest condolences to the family and friends of Mr./Dr. Agnello. Although I did not know him personally, the loss of a loved one is definitely a trying time for all. I pray that his family and friends can find comfort in God's Word the Bible, and continue to rely on Him in prayer. At John 5:28, 29 we read: "Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out..." May the promise of this beautiful resurrection give you hope and peace of mind!

Yolanda - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

PB

“ We loved Dr. Agnello. He was a wonderful doctor who not only worked to make you better, but he got to know his patients and he genuinely care about each of them. He loved his family and talked of them often. I was amazed to read the obituary and see what a wonderful and rewarding life he has lived. The world is truly a better place by having Dr. Agnello be a part of so many lives. May God give each of you the strength you need to go forward. Cherish the memories and that will help ease the pain. You are all in our prayers.

Patsy and Hailey Black - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

JF

“ With a heavy heart, I am praying for your family. Dr Agnello was such a good allergist to me and I knew I was in good hands with him. He will be greatly missed and always remembered fondly. As he is now in God's good hands, I pray for your strength and your comfort in each other and through Him.

Julie Whittington & family - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

WM

“ Sincere condolences to the Richard/Agnello family. We here in Oklahoma wish to convey our deepest condolences and prayers of comfort and love as you go through this trying and difficult time. On behalf of the Garvin County 4- H program of which Joseph Green is a member of good standing. As a former employee of Dr JoAnne Green I learned and grew to care and know of her wonderful family, as a friend I offer up my deepest sympathies to the loss of a family member and prominent man of the medical world. Prayers!!

William and Tracie Mullendore - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

GP

“ The loss of a dear loved one is a heavy burden. May family and friends comfort one another at this time and be comforted in knowing that the Father of tender mercies truly cares and feels your pain.(2 Corinthians 1:3,4)

G. Powell - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

RD

“ He has helped me solve many problems with my allergies and has done the same thing with many others. I am going to become an allergist like he did and will also help many others. He was a wonderful person and he has set a great example for me. I will miss having him as my doctor and as my friend.Ross Dorfman, age 9

Ross Dorfman - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

JB

“ Dr. A will be missed by all of his patients...My condolences to his family....It was a pleasure to have known him and to be his patient..He will always be fondly remembered and loved...

Jeane Baker - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

PS

“ As a patient of Dr. Agnello I am so saddened of his passing. I, as others, have prayed he would be healed. He was thoughtful, thorough and improved my asthma/allergy problems very much. He spoke lovingly of his wife & children. I was fortunate to meet Emily by chance one day. She was so sweet and funny telling wonderful stories of her home schooling the children. My prayers are with you all. He will be sorely missed.

Patty L. Shannon - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

DH

“ We just want to say how truly sad we are to hear of Vic's passing. We wanted to express our deepest sympathy for the Agnello family. Vic was a wonderful doctor, friend, and family man. He will truly be missed.

Dr. and Mrs. Rick Herring - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

JC

“ Dr. Agnello was my dr. and I always loved talking to him, he was always so patient and never in a hurry. He always asked if I had more questions and if I understood everything. A great man and Dr. Joyce Cantwell

Joyce Cantwell - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

JB

“ Dr. Agnello was a kind and caring doctor. He was supportive and thorough in caring for our son during his first 2 years and fought with and for us to find the best treatment and medicine to help us. He will be missed. Thank you for all you have done.

Jessica B - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

JM

“ We thought of and loved you, Dr. Agnello, as if you were family. You set the bar high for all physicians. Your genuine smile was infectious! You took great care of me, Jayce and Christian for 5 years! No doubt, we will see you again in Heaven with our Lord and Savior! We will continue to pray for your loving and beautiful family. You are deeply missed and will NEVER be forgotten!

Jana Madera - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

MA

“ It was an honor when Dr. Agnello cared for me when I reactions to the allergy shots. The Lord has called a gentle giant home,he will be missed by all

Marty - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

LC

“ Our deepest sympathy to you and your children. We will continue to pray for all of you. We send Our Love. Lonnie and Carol Collier.

Lonnie and Carol Collier - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

BH

“ I came to Dr. Vic because allergies were seriously affecting my profession. When he asked if he had heard me anywhere, I mentioned I was the voice of 95.7FM The Ride and we were off and running from there. We had great conversations about all kinds of things...what a guy! He was so very diligent to help me find "VIC"tory over my allergies. Thanks to him, I'm doing far better today than I had in years!! I was so impressed with his genuine care and concern.....not many folks like that. May the Lord grant peace and provision for his wonderful family. We are deeply sorry for your loss, we really are. Blessings on you.

Brian Haymond - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

SJ

“ May your family take comfort in this verse; John 5:28, 29: “Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out, those who did good things to a resurrection of life, those who practiced vile things to a resurrection of judgment.” May Jesus’ words of the resurrection hope bring you comfort in your time of grief.

Sharon Johnson - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

SF

“ My condolences to the Agnello family. Dr Agnello was a great person, doctor, and down to earth human being who I will always remember. I'll remember his contagious smile, passion for music, and most of all the joy in his eyes when he spoke of his family. "To Those I Love And Those Who. Love Me" When I am gone, release me. Let me go have so many things to see and do. You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears, Be Happy we had so many years. I gave you my love and you can only guess how much you gave to me in happiness. I thank you for the love you each have shown. But now it's time I traveled alone. So grieve a while for me if grieve you must. Then let your grief be comforted by trust. It's only for a while that we must part. So bless those memories in your heart. I won't be far away for life goes on. So if you need me, call and I will come. Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near. With all my love around you soft and clear. And then, when you must come this way alone, I'll greet you with a smile and "Welcome You Home"

Scott Fiessinger - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

GS

“ He was such a wonderful doctor, so full of happiness. I am so sorry for your loss and I shall always remember him. Gail

Gail stoycon - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

TF

“ Some people live each day like it is an opportunity to make a difference in each person's path that they cross.... Dr Agnello was such a man... he shined for Christ in how he greeted you, listened to you and loved his precious family. What an honor to have met this man. We will be praying for strength and peace for his amazing "girls" John, Laurie, Taylor and Zachary Marshall

The Marshall Family - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

MD

“ We are so sorry and send our deepest condolences to your family. we are members of St. Therese.

Mr. & Mrs. Dvis - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

LC

“ You and your daughters, and the Agnello family are in all of our prayers. We are so sorry for your loss.

Laura Osborne Paul and family, Cullman - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

EW

“ What a wonderful man, doctor, father. He is going to be truly missed. My heart goes out to Emily and their girls. Love, Ellen, Nikki and Colin

Ellen Wialmowski - October 06, 2017 at 10:44 AM

MW

“ I will miss you, brother.

Mark Wyn - April 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ I was trying to refer a friend to Dr Agnello and was having the hardest time finding his info as we moved away in 2013. I am so sorry to hear of his passing. He was an excellent doctor and cared so much for his patients well being, as to why I was telling my friend to not go to anyone else. He was a great man, and he LOVED his girls. He is missed by many, I am sorry I am so late on my condolences.

Kathi Whitehurst - May 27, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ I have met many people in my life but few have touched me with the sincere warmth of their heart as Vic did. He was a wonderful human being. His smile, genuine friendliness and caring for others and the joy in his heart as he expressed his love for his wife and daughters. I am saddened to hear of his passing for sure. I will always remember Vic and one day, God willing, I will see him again. God bless you my friend. Rest in peace.

Billy D - September 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM