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Narasimha Srinivasa Raghavan, 68, of Sterling, Virginia, passed away on Friday, September 9, 2016.

Dr. Raghavan was born Wednesday, March 3, 1948 in India, to the late Narasimhan Gopalan and the late Jayalakshmi Santhanam.

He leaves his beloved family to cherish his memory, including his wife, Vimala, his daughter, Maya, and his son, Hari; as well as five sisters and a brother in India.

Memorial and interment services will be held privately by the family.

In lieu of flowers or gifts, memorial donations may be made to the Children's Defense Fund, a nonprofit charitable organization.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.loudounfuneralchapel.com.



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Cemetery Details

 Cremation/ Interment to be held privately at a later date.



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TS

Tammy Szydloski posted:

Dear Vimala, Hari and Maya, I am sorry for the loss of your husband/father. My deepest condolences. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this very sad time. With love, Tammy

October 8 at 12:52 PM

HP

Helen And Aniket Pant posted:

Words are inadequateTo convey the sense of lossOf old friendship; of laughter shared.So much more to be said, So much more to be done,Too soon, too soon you left us.I wish you wellIn your journey onwardInto that vast expanse -Where all that is,And all that can be now within your grasp.And until we whom you have left behindFollow you in our time as we mustKnow that we will remember youYour clear stream of reasonYour insistence, always, on perfection,And, above all,Your fearless search for the truth

October 3 at 3:40 PM

HP

Helen And Aniket Pant shared an album called **Canadian Memories.**



October 3 at 2:50 PM

DG

Diane Gibbs posted:

Vimala, Maya and Hari,Please accept our condolences on the recent loss of your husband and father. We were so saddened to hear the news and you have been in our thoughts ever since. We are so honored to have known Narasimha. He was a gracious,smart, compassionate man with a quiet gentle strength that will always be remembered.With sympathy and love, Diane Stiger-Gibbs, Ron & Tyler Gibbs

September 24 at 2:44 PM



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VS

Vanitha Sekar posted:

Its been a week today since Cheenu Uncle's passing and I am still deeply shocked by the news and thought of it. Cheenu Uncle is my father's younger brother by several years. I am heartened by the fact that the memories that flash through my mind as I think of him are very pleasant ones, in his home in Virginia when Sekar, Megana and I visited Cheenu Uncle and Vimala. My deepest condolences to Vimala, Maya and Hari, also on behalf of my father, who I know is deeply saddened by his brother's sudden passing.

September 16 at 3:47 PM

RR

Ravi Raghavan posted:

On behalf of my wife Prabha and my mother, Rajalakshmi Raghavan please accept our heartfelt condolences on the sad demise of Cheenu. I am Cheenu's first cousin, and am guilty of not being in touch as much as I should have (geography had something to do with that). Nevertheless, his sudden demise did come as a rude shock. I fondly recall he being a host to my parents in Canada when they visited in 1986, after coming to see me when I was a graduate student in Philadelphia. Unfortunately, I could not join in the trip. My earliest memories of Cheenu was as a student at UDCT and then at NCL in Pune. His stoic and quiet nature was obvious to anyone who interacted with him. My last interaction was during his visit to Rahul's marriage in Mumbai. May his soul rest in peace! Ravi Raghavan Prabha Raghavan Rajalakshmi Raghavan Mumbai

September 15 at 6:46 AM

DO

Dori posted:

My sincerest condolences to Vimala and her family. My hope is that you hold onto and cherish the many wonderful memories you have during this time of loss and sorrow. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Dori

September 14 at 3:35 AM

RA

Ramya shared an album called **Cheenu's Nagpur visit 2012.**



September 13 at 2:55 AM



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Arun Veeraraghavan shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Cheenu mama (Dr. N. S. Raghavan) was my mama (maternal uncle) and I have fond memories of him coming over to our house in Wadala to meet with my mother and father when he lived in Mumbai when I was a young boy. I also recall him coming to Kalpana and bantering with Srinivas mama and Vasumathi mami, with mama cooking up his signature dal fry. I did not meet him often when he was in Canada, but did speak to him; and did meet him a few times, though not enough, after the move to Virginia. I recall playing tennis with him and Hari on one of the trips. I will remember him as a gentle and affectionate man, who treasured his family. Of course, he also achieved a lot in his professional life. He is sorely missed by all of us."Only when you drink from the river of silence shall you sing, and when you reach the mountain top shall you begin to climb, and when the earth shall claim your limbs, then shall you truly dance." (Kahlil Gibran)Arun



September 13 at 2:55 AM



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SS

Sushila Srinivasan lit a candle in honor of Narasimha.

Dr.Raghavan my brother in law was a great person. He was always there for his family. He worked in Canada, USA, & Doha. All the people he worked with were his friends and was there for all of them professionally & personally. He was there for me during my difficult times. With love & respect. Sushila Srinivasan.



September 13 at 2:55 AM

DB

Dilli Babu May 11 at 8:39 PM

Hari Om

PM

P.Mohan September 19 at 9:04 PM

During 1976-77, though recently married, I had to be alone in Kalpakkam, the atomic station town. I had been given a house, by the authorities. Cheenu (Dr.Raghavan to outside world) visited me there and spent a day with me. However then we sat just quietly not talking much. Then only, I realised how even in silence one could communicate with each other. Subsequently I returned to Chennai and Cheenu had visited us on and off. Shanthini and I were closely involved in finalising his marriage to Vimala and we all got into still closer contact. Cheenu had an interest in classical music. Shanthini and he attended a number of programmes, one of which is a limited audience music performance in TV station and this programme showing them in the small audience, is being broadcasted even now. His trips to Chennai had been regular in the recent times. Before he went to the USA, this time, he promised that on return to Doha, will come to Chennai, where I had suggested he can have a second medical opinion from my relative who is a very good doctor. But I didn't then realise the seriousness, though he had sent me articles on his illness. Had I known that, I would have attended to it first. Hope he will, from where he is will condone me. Shanthini and I convey again our condolences to Vimala, Maya and Hari.

PT

Padma Talcherkar September 17 at 2:43 PM

I remember cheenu whenever he visited kalpana. he always seemed to me as a very introspective and quiet person. I regret that I did not interact with him as much as I would have liked to. I remember meeting him, vimla and the kids on our family trip to Niagara Falls, again I saw him as a little more communicative but very much a quiet and person, may his soul rest in peace. we are all in shock by his sudden demise. Padma talcherkar.



Helen And Aniket Pant shared 3 photos to the **Canadian Memories** album.

October 3 at 2:50 PM



Helping us move in 1994



Visiting us in Grafton, Ontario; 2011

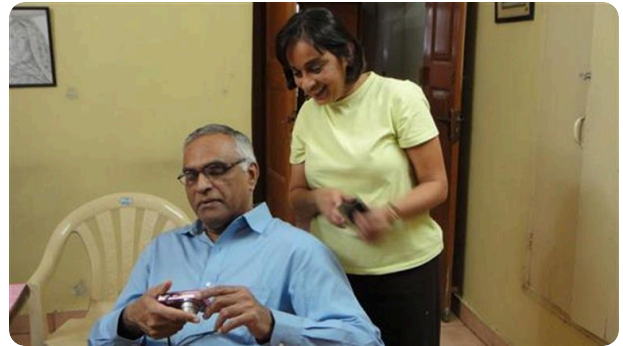


I will miss you, Raha



Ramya shared 4 photos to the **Cheenu's Nagpur visit 2012** album.

September 13 at 9:45 PM





Arun Veeraraghavan shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

September 13 at 3:45 PM



~1971



Padma Talcherkar September 17 at 2:23 PM

jaggu and veeraraghavan look like film heroes. !! Padma talcherkar.



~2005



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Narasimha by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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