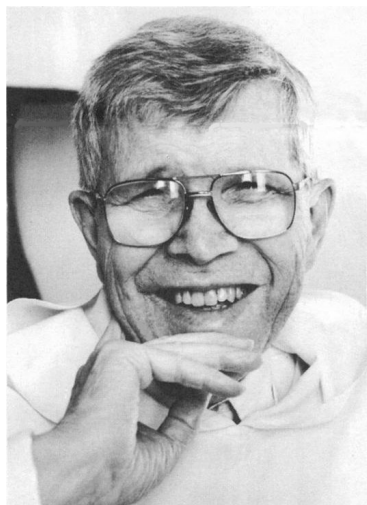




## A dominican Laporte



**Father Henri Laporte o.p.  
1905-1992**

### Funeral oration

On Saint Dominique's day in Quebec City on August 8, 1992, Father Richard Guimond concluded his homily with the following quotation, borrowed from an unknown source :

"It is undoubtedly somewhat frightening, and

somewhat compromising to trust oneself to the Lord's hands. However it is much more frightening to let oneself fall outside of His reach".

Realistically, these words are given their true dimension in the case of young friars about to make their religious Profession, as was the case on Saint Dominique's day celebrations. Faced with the challenge of a whole life devoted to God, we cannot but wholly submit to the divine Mercy.

But when an 87-year-old brother who, having spent a whole life serving his Creator, sees the end coming, how much more would he not feel the need to "put himself in the Lord's hands" while imploring His forgiveness.

But that is what our brother Henri Laporte did, in all simplicity, when he was called back by the good Lord on June 15. Giving his life over to the Lord happened in the utmost serenity, there was no place for worry or fear of "committing himself". Our dying brother gave us the impression not of plunging into the unknown but rather of rising towards the Light. I personally had the opportunity of observing that fact a few days before his death when I was called upon to give him the sacraments of the Church, along with brother Benoit Berthelot. He was really "ready" to leave.

### Towards the Ultimate Encounter

It was on a Sunday, on April 26, 1992, that God signalled to brother Henri to prepare himself for the Final Encounter. At dinner, we noticed that his place around the table was unoccupied. To make sure, I went up to his room: he was lying on the floor, but wholly conscious. He was feeling utterly weak, unable to stand up. Urgently taken to Queen Elisabeth Hospital, he was immediately admitted to the intensive care unit. The diagnosis revealed serious complications in the urinary tracts, but all risk of imminent death was discarded. His stay at the hospital would last a month and a half. Although some improvements were noted here and there, the disease (prostate cancer) inexorably took over, and on Monday June 15 at exactly 08h45, brother Henri breathed his last.

### An eventful youth

Henri Laporte was born to Aimé Laporte and Olivine Lassonde, in Acton Vale in the Eastern Townships, on February 17, 1905. He was baptised Joseph Henri on February 20th in the Parish of Saint-André.

Some years later, his family moved to Richmond, an important railway center in those days, where Mr. Laporte had been transferred as an employee of the Grand Trunk Railway (now integrated into the Canadian National Railway). It is in Richmond that Henri made his First Communion in 1912, and received the Sacrament of Confirmation at the hands of Mgr Larocque, the Bishop of Sherbrooke.

After his elementary schooling at the Sacred-Heart School of Richmond, he was admitted to the Saint-Charles-Brorromée Seminary in Sherbrooke to pursue Classical Studies.

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Brother Henri, although a solemn and rigid man like his father, was found to laugh and joke from time to time. In his old days, he amusedly wrote a small autobiography of his childhood and adolescence in which he recounted some funny events. He had titled his work "It's fun when we're young!". Here are some particularly "juicy" excerpts.

"I'm tired of your foolishness"

"I come from Richmond, a small railway town in the Eastern Townships. A "TOUGH" village. There were a great number of locomotives and railway cars in the area, and as I remember it, almost as many taverns.

The Laporte brothers were considered as a bunch of "toughs". I was stuck with this reputation all the way to college. When Father Favreau, my philosophy professor, would become annoyed with my obnoxious jokes, he would threaten me with "You, Laporte, with your railway face, I have it up to here with your foolishness!"

"A shiner"

"When people ask me where I learned English, I am always delighted to tell them that I never studied the language, I learned it the hard way while fighting with the Irish."

I shall always remember the day when I went home with a "shiner". I heard my mother exclaim "Jesus-Mary-Joseph-Henri what have you got there?" And I couldn't help laughing. "And you dare find that a laughing matter?"



**Henri's brothers**, from left to right:  
Donald Laporte (father of our President Baxter)  
Lucien Laporte, eldest brother  
Fr Henri Laporte.o.p.,  
Roméo Laporte, youngest of the family.

*No, Mom, it's not that, it's just the first time that I hear you mention my name along with those of your other three "chums".*

### The call of Dominique

If we stick to "secondary reasons", this is very briefly how Henri was attracted to the Order. He told us himself of the two factors which motivated him: firstly a conference given by father E.-A. Langlais at the Sherbrooke Seminary and secondly, reading of Saint-Dominique's life.

And thus we find him headed for the Noviciate of Saint-Hyacinthe. Following the usual scenario, he arrives on July 25, 1928 and on August 3, he receives his cassock from Prior Pierre Granger. He then undertakes his noviciate under the supervision of father Ceslas Côté.

After his simple Profession at the hands of the Provincial, Father E.A. Langlais, on August 4, 1929, he leaves for Ottawa to pursue his clerical training with father Louis-Marie Sylvaï acting as Master-Father. A note of interest: during that year, the Ottawa Convent presented the image of an impressive human "beehive". You can judge by yourself: 63 ordained and non-ordained student brothers, 14 brother-priests, 16 cooperator-brothers for a total of 93 clerics.

Faced with this Dominican "army", our Henri must have secretly told himself "There's nothing to this!"..., himself being a veteran of the Richmond "battalion" of tough boys. I imagine it would have taken much more to intimidate him! However,

he was wise enough to quietly join the ranks, which led him problem-free to the Priesthood, on August 4, 1932, at the hands of Father André Bibeau, Provincial; and afterwards to the Presbyterate, conferred upon him on May 1, 1933 by Mgr Guillaume F o r b e s Archbishop of Ottawa.

### Pastoral Itinerary

Then began for him a long apostolic course which will lead him to almost all corners of the Western

Hemisphere. He started in Quebec at the Saint-Dominique Convent, where he held the position of Purser" from 1936 to 1938. He was then assigned to Montreal, at the Notre-Dame-de Grâce Convent, where he became Vicar at the Parish from 1938 till 1942.

During the second World War, in 1942, brother Henri was called upon to act as Chaplain in the Canadian Navy, a position he held until after the War, i.e. for fifteen years; it was undoubtedly the most prolific part of his life.



He fell in love with the Navy and the Navy highly appreciated him, if one is to judge by the important posts he held therein. From 1942 to 1944, he was Chaplain at the Naval Base of Esquimalt (Victoria), in British Columbia. In January 1944, he was appointed Head-Chaplain of all the Training Centres in Canada. In September 1945, he was transferred to Ottawa at Navy Headquarters. Then, in January 1946, he became the Head-Chaplain of the Pacific Coast and at the same time accepted the responsibility of a religious course to be given to future officers of the three branches of the Canadian Forces: the Army, the Navy and the Air Force. He then retired from the Armed Forces on September 16, 1957.

In a document dated July 8, 1974, the Chaplain-General of the Canadian Armed Forces, the Sergeant-General J.A. McLean, paid homage to the high values of Father Laporte. Here is an excerpt:

"Chaplain Henri Laporte has performed his duties in an exemplary manner. He received the "Voluntary Service Medal", then the "1939-1945 War Medal" and finally the "Canadian Decoration for Honourable Service". During his naval service, Padre Laporte has proved to be a conscientious pastor, well known for his sound judgement and his wise decisions. He was also noted for his exemplary dress and distinguished manners. He will have been a precious asset for the Service".

### Opting for a "civil" ministry

After his service in the Navy, brother Henri was appointed in 1957 as Parish Priest of our Saint

-Anne Parish in Fall River, Massachusetts in the U.S. where he remained for six years. Along with very conscientiously performing his pastoral duties, as always, he presided over a major renovation of the church with the enthusiastic support of the parishioners. However, it was not possible for him to witness the entire completion of this work.

In November 1963, the Father Provincial (Thomas Rondeau) gave him another assignment in Trois-Rivières-ouest (Three Rivers West), charging him with the financial administration of our Sainte-Catherine-de-Sienne Parish.

Useless to point out that he found it sadly hard to leave his parishioners of Fall River for whom he had developed a deep attachment. In a letter he addressed to them, published in the Parish Bulletin, this is how he said his farewells :

" I profoundly regret that I shall not be able to work with you all during this last phase of the subscription campaign for our organ which will be installed in September of next year, and which would have been the crowning achievement of seven years of continuous hard work, both yours and mine. But as it is the will of my Superiors, I shall submit ".

**" I shall submit ! "**

A short sentence which reflects the seriousness with which he pronounced his vows " I promise obedience... " during his religious Profession twenty-eight years earlier. He still believed in it! His stay in Trois-Rivières lasted eleven years, from 1963 until 1974. After that date, he went to Lewiston, Maine in the U.S., where he did his pastoral work at Saint-Mary's Hospital, then at the Marcotte Home and finally at the " Andain Major ".

**" The Twilight "**

In 1985, our brother Henri partially retired from active ministry, and was assigned to the Saint-Hyacinthe Convent. On June 29, 1990, in a letter to the Provincial Father (Richard Gaiement), he writes about his stay in this "Maskoutaine" town :

*" Since my arrival five years ago at Saint-Hyacinthe and up till now, I have been a very happy man while preparing for the " Great Departure ".*

*I have done everything to be useful, every Monday for the last five years, I have worked at the laundry. I happily accepted to be*

*the confessor of the itinerants. Despite my handicap (gradual loss of eyesight), I am still librarian. Since last November and up till a short time ago, I volunteered two hours daily to the Noviciate's mission ".*

However, this letter to the Provincial concluded with a request to be assigned to the Notre-Dame-de-Grâce Convent in Montreal, where he arrived in July 1990 and immediately offered his services as confessor and spiritual director for the itinerant penitents stopping at the Convent's reception hall.

Meanwhile, the loss of his eyesight further deteriorated. But that was no big deal! His eyes may have been failing him, too bad, that was not to stop a " Laporte " like him. His ears would do his eyes' work. Thanks to the wonderful services offered by the Montreal Association for the Blind, brother Henri made great use of the special " reading " tapes they supplied. He spent many long hours daily listening to readings of various literary works, ranging from the great " classics " to contemporary works to spiritual writings. He even had four tape albums covering the entire Bible.

Our brother thus fruitfully used the time he was given to further cultivate himself and progress in his intimate union with God. This period lasted two years, from 1990 to 1992 when he was called back by the Lord.

### Profile of the man

It is always difficult, risky even, to express a judgement on a departed companion. Who can really penetrate the thoughts, feelings and especially the intentions which occupied him ? Quite often, reality is far different from what we perceive it to be. Therefore, in the conclusion of this homily, I shall limit myself to draw a " profile " of the man, a brother I have personally loved and respected.

Brother Henri was undoubtedly an intense and active man. The responsibilities with which he was entrusted were sacred to him, because he liked to be assigned responsibilities, even the most exacting ones.

But be careful! He wasn't always easy to live with, which was a handicap in many instances of his long life. When he did not like something, he didn't usually take " literary " precautions in letting it be known.

He was authoritarian, no doubt a legacy from his father. But at the same time, he had a great respect for Authority... provided it was a legitimate authority.

Let's also note that, as a man of discipline, he suffered greatly in observing signs of what he perceived as casualness in the post-conciliar Church. His set of values could not adjust to the changes.

Having said this however, I have to point out that he good-naturedly accepted teasing comments. Some "daring" friends from Notre-Dame-de-Grâce liked to greet him with the familiar " Oh, Henry! " along with a hearty slap on the back. Brother Henri always gave them a big smile in return. It must have reminded him of the traditional comradeship he had experienced earlier in the Officers' Mess of the Navy.

I cannot conclude this "profile" without underlining brother Laporte's great piety. During the two years he spent with us at the Notre-Dame-de-Grâce Convent, he was noted for his unfailing attendance at the daily Eucharist and the Choir Prayers, even on rainy days when his arthritis was particularly painful. He never complained about his failing health, we could see that he was offering everything in him to God, preparing himself for the " Great Departure ".

### Epilogue

Brother Laporte is presently resting in our beautiful Saint-Hyacinthe cemetery. Respectfully standing by his tomb, let's meditate on the words of the great Romanian poet Virgile Gheorghiu, in his remarkable book " From the 25<sup>th</sup> Hour to the Eternal Hour " :

" The dead have that advantage over us that they are rid of the mediocre worries of terrestrial life. They are only faced with the Essential. From that point of view,



## Death notices

### LAPORTE-PAPINEAU Lucille

At the Charles Lemoyne Hospital, on June 22, 1998, at the age of 74, Lucille Laporte, wife of Emile Papineau, passed away. Apart from her husband, she leaves in mourning her children: **Murielle** (Yves Mathieu), **Francine** and **Pierre** (Jeannine Côté), her grandchildren, Sonia, Gaétan, Lynda, Cynthia, Nancy, Christian and their spouses, her six great-grandchildren. The funeral was held on Thursday June 25 at 11h30 in the chapel of the Urgel Bourgie Funeral Center, and from there to the Les Jardins Urgel Bourgie cemetery in Saint-Hubert.

Source: Le Journal de Montréal, death notices, June 23, 1998

### LAPORTE Henri

At the wonderful maison Michel Sarrazin, on July 31, 1998, at age 82 and 7 months, passed away Mr Henri Laporte, husband of dame Gemma Martin. He lived in Neufchâtel. The religious service was celebrated in persence of the ashes in St-Ambroise de Loretteville Church on Tuesday August 4, 1998 and from there to the Parc Commémoratif La Souvenance. He leaves in mourning, apart from his spouse, his children, his sons-in-law, his daughters-in-law: **Henriette** (Richard Poirier), **Diane** (Bernard Bellavance), **Alain** (Marie Garneau), **Michel**, **Bernard** (Manon Allard); his grandchildren and great-grandchildren: Chantale, Marc, Stéphane, Renée, Patrice, Michel, Karine, Vanessa and Tristan; several brothers and sisters, brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law: **Jean** (Yvette Lamarre), **Jeanne** (late Léon Mercier), **Thérèse** (late Lucien Wagner), **Monique** (late Albert Pépin), **Charles** (late Mary Gibbons), **Pauline** (late Théodore Porter), **Andrée** (late Joachim Falardeau), **Antonin** (Lorraine Pagé), Rita Organ (late **Georges Laporte**), Gertrude Chamberland (late **Jacques Laporte**).

Source: Journal:Le Soleil

### MAGNAN (née Laporte), Ernestine

In Montreal, on July 16, 1998, at the age of 91, died Ernestine Laporte, wife of the late Joseph Alfred Magnan. She leaves in mourning her numerous children, spouses, grand-children and great-grandchildren, as well as numerous relatives and friends. The funeral was held on Saturday July 18 at 10h in the St-Gaetan Church, 11 455 Drouart St. in Montreal.

Source: Le Journal de Montréal, death notices, July 17, 1998

### BRUNET (NÉE LAPORTE), Jeannine 1921-1998

In Montreal, on July 30, 1998, at age 77, died Mrs Jeannine Brunet (born Laporte), wife of the late Mr Louis Brunet. She leaves in mourning her sons Serge, Daniel (Madeleine Dubois), Luc (Diane Boulet) and her daughter Denise. Also bereaved are her grandchildren Isabelle (Daniel Piché), Chantal, Jean-Frédéric, Francelyne, Marie-Hélène, Eric, Christian and Richard. Surviving her also are her sisters, sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, several nephews and nieces, three great-grandchildren, her former daughters-in-law Louise and Ginette, Pierrette Falardeau and her numerous others relatives and friends. The funeral was held on August 3, 1998 at 10:00 a.m. in St-Sylvain Church (750 St-Sylvain Boul., Laval).

Source: Le Journal de Montréal, death notices, July 31, 1998

### LAPORTE (ST-PIERRE), Rose 1898-1998

At the Résidence Angélica, on July 27, 1998, at age 99 and 11 months, died Rose St-Pierre, wife of the late **Vital Laporte**, living in Verchères. The funeral was celebrated on July 30, 1998 at 3:00 pm. in St-François-Xavier Church, Verchères, Québec. Burial was at the Verchères cemetery.

Source: Le Journal de Montréal, death notices, July 28, 1998

### LAPORTE, Jean 1931-1998

In Ste-Thérèse, on June 27, 1998, at age 66, died Mr Jean Laporte, husband of Huguette Rochefort. Apart from his spouse, he leaves in mourning his children, **Sylvain** (Louise Duguay), **Stéphane** (Valérie Auclair), **André**, **Nancy** (Gino Daraïche) and **Annie**, his grandchildren Chad, Karolane and Aryane; his sisters **Cécile** (Marcel Gascon), **Madeleine** (Robert Chamberland), **Jacqueline** (Gilles Bergeron). The funeral was held on Thursday July 2 at 2:00 p.m., in the Sacred-Heart Church (Sacré Coeur) followed by the burial at the Ste-Thérèse cemetery.

Source: Le Journal de Montréal, death notices, July 1, 1998

### LAPORTE, Léopold 1915-1998

In Chambly, on June 2, 1998, at age 82, passed away Mr Léopold Laporte, husband of Mrs Jacqueline Gemme. Apart from his spouse, he leaves in mourning his daughter **Danielle** (Raymond Aubé), his brothers and sisters, his sisters-in-law, nephews and nieces and numerous other relatives and friends. The funeral was held on Friday, June 5, at 2:00 p.m. in the Très St-Coeur-de-Marie Church, followed by burial at the

### MANTHA, Gérard 1922-1998

In Ville des Laurentides, on May 27, 1998, at age 76, passed away Mr Gérard Mantha, husband of the late **Marguerite Laporte**. Mourning his departure were his children Marjolaine (Yvon Plante), Sylvio (Sylvie Lachapelle), his grandchild Jean-Michel, his sisters Rita and Solange, his brothers Bernard and Pierre-Paul, his brothers-in-law, his daughters-in-law, nephews and nieces. A simple ceremony was held on May 30, 1998 at 3:30 p.m. at the JOLY Funeral Home, followed by burial at the St-Lin cemetery.

Source: Le Journal de Montréal, death notices, May 28, 1998

## Death notices (continued)

### ST-GEORGES, Lise

In Montreal, On July 14, 1998, at age 63, died Mrs Lise St-Georges, wife of Mr Robert Gagnon, a retiree from Canada Post. Apart from her spouse, she leaves in mourning her children, **Jean-Pierre** (Sylvie Masseau), **Nicole** (Dr Denis Lavigueur), **Suzanne** (Robert Berlinguette), and her grandchildren, Jacinthe, Maryse, Vincent, Stéphanie, Myriam and Annie. She also leaves her sisters, **Yolande, Suzanne and Dolorès**, her brothers, **Léo** (Marie-Paule) and **Guy** (Cécile). She was exposed on Friday, July 17 at: MAGNUS POIRIER FUNERAL COMPLEX INC. 6825 SHERBROOKE STREET EAST MONTREAL. A prayer ceremony was held at the complex at 8:00 p.m.

### LAPORTE, Sister Antoinette Sr Marie Lydia

In Montreal, on June 26, 1998, at age 84, passed away sister Antoinette Laporte, a native of Joliette. Sister Antoinette Laporte joined the Congregation of Notre Dame in Montreal in 1937. She leaves in mourning her religious family as well as her sisters-in-law, Mrs **Germaine Asselin-Laporte** (late Louis-Philippe), Mrs **Rita Valiquette-Laporte** (late Georges-Etienne), religious cousins, **Géraldine Laporte c.n.d.**, **Marcelle Laporte, s.s.a.**, numerous nephews and nieces, and other relatives and friends. She was exposed at the Mother House, 4873 Westmount avenue, on Monday June 29. The funeral was held on Tuesday June 30th at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel of the Mother House. Burial was at the Côte-des-Neiges cemetery. Source: La Presse, death notices, June 27, 1998.

### BRIEN, Damien 1914-1998

In St-Roch de l'Achigan, on June 27, 1998, at age 84, died Mr Damien Brien, husband of the late Géralda Dumont. He leaves in mourning his son, **André (Denise Laporte)**, his grandchildren, Monique (Guy Beaucage), Sylvie (Alain Boucher), Josée (Denis Dupuis), Jean-Luc, Julie, his great-grandchildren, Véronique and Josiane, his sister, Annette, his three sisters-in-law as well as numerous other relatives and friends. The funeral was held on Monday, June 29 at 2:00 p.m., in the parish church. Burial was at the local cemetery.

Source :Le Journal de Montréal,

### ST-CYR, Maurice 1919-1998

In Laval, on May 30, 1998, at age 79, died Maurice St-Cyr, husband of **Émeline Laporte**. Apart from his wife, he leaves in mourning his son **Pierre** (Lyne Juteau), his grandchildren Myriam, Patrick, Mélanie and Jonathan, his sister, his brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, his nephews and nieces, as well as numerous other relatives and friends. The funeral was held in presence of the ashes on Tuesday June 2 at 10:00 a.m. in St-Christophe Church, followed by burial at the Epiphanie cemetery.

Source Le Journal de Montréal,

### LAPORTE, Albertine (née Lacas) 1921-1998

In St-Jovite, on April 28, 1998, at age 76, died Mrs Albertine Lacas, wife of the late **Bernard Laporte**. She leaves in mourning her children: Gisèle (Ronald Perreault), Michel (Ginette Deneault) and Bobby, her grandchildren, her brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, nephews and nieces and numerous other relatives and friends. The funeral was held on Thursday, April 30 at 2:00 p.m., in the St-Esprit Church, in Rosemont and from there to the Repos St-François d'Assise cemetery.

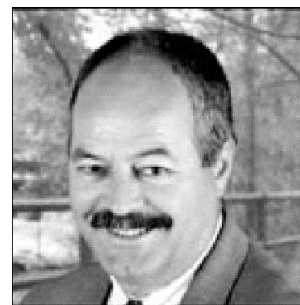
Source: Le Journal de Montréal, death notices, April 30, 1998

### ST-GEORGES, Maurice 1924-1998

In Iberville, on July 16, 1998, at age 73, passed away Maurice St-Georges, husband of Cécile Desserres. Apart from his spouse, he leaves in mourning his children, **Denise** (Yves Lavallée), **Gilles, Réal**, Yves (Louise Brosseau); five grandchildren, a sister, three brothers, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, relatives and friends.

Funeral was on Saturday, July 18 at 10:00 a.m., in St-Athanase d'Iberville Church, followed by burial at Iberville

Source: Le Journal de Montréal, July 17, 1998



### LAPORTE, Michel 1953-1998

In Lachenaie, on August 6, 1998, at age 45, passed away Mr Michel Laporte, son of Rollande Tardy and of the late Gérard Laporte. Apart from his mother, he leaves in mourning his spouse Hélène Métayer, his children Roxane and Guillaume, his brothers Jean (Ginette Michaud) and Claude (Lauraine Charbonneau), his sister Sylvie (Sylvain Marcoux), as well as many brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends. The funeral was held on Monday August 10 at 11:00 a.m., in St-Louis-de-France Church in Terrebonne.

Source: La Presse, death notices, August 7, 1998



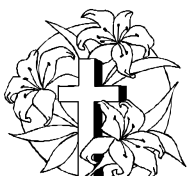
# Two centenarians have left us

## JUNEAU (ST-GEORGES), Aurore 1896-1998

At Fleury Hospital in Montréal, on June 26, 1998, at the age of 101, died Mrs Aurore St-Georges, widow of the late Léopold Juneau. She is survived by her daughter **Fleurette**. The funeral was held in the presence of the ashes on Tuesday, June 30 in St-Antoine-Marie-Claret Church, 2800 Henri-Bourassa east, Montreal.

Burial was at the Notre-Dame-des-Neiges cemetery.

Source: Le Journal de Montréal, death notices, June 29, 1998.



## LAPORTE. Sr Blanche s.p. Sr Marie-Mélanie

At the Montreal Mother-House of the Sisters of the Providence, on August 9, 1998, at the age of **100**, died Sr Blanche Laporte, daughter of **Emile Laporte** and Mélanie Aubin. Apart from her religious family, she leaves in mourning her sister **Émérentienne Laporte, also a Sister of the Providence**. She was exposed on August 11, 1998 at the Mother House of the Sisters of the Providence.

5666 de Salaberry Street  
Montreal, QC H4J 1J5

The funeral was held in the Chapel on August 12. Burial was at the Repos St-François d'Assise, 6893 Sherbrooke Street East, Montreal.

Source: La Presse, death notices, August 10, 1998.



St-Norbert, one of the important birthplaces of Laporte's & St-Georges in Québec, is celebrating the 150th anniversary of its foundation,

**Saturday, September 12, 1998.**

A reunion, a banquet, several activities for current and former residents.

The Association will be represented during Saturday's activities. All Laporte & St-Georges who have ancestors originating from the region are invited.

## 1998 Family Reunion

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