



## Anthony Budwin, Sr.

December 24, 2024

Anthony Joseph Budwin, Sr., affectionately known to many as "Tony" passed away peacefully on December 24, 2024 surrounded by his loved ones. He was 91 years old. He was the beloved husband of the late Mary Ellen (nee Popp) and loving father to his children, Anthony Jr., Philip (Michelle), and Edward (Erika). He was also the devoted Pop to Sergio, Brianna, and Bianca. Tony was known for being a tough welter weight boxer in the 1950s, a proud veteran of the Korean War where he served honorably from 1951 to 1954 as a member of the United States Navy. After the war, he continued his services down at the Philadelphia Navy Yard where he dedicated over 30 years of service. He was a staple and devout parishioner at St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church where he served as Eucharistic Minister and just an all around wonderful friend. He would bring communion to the sheltered, offer rides to anyone needing them, collect and make food baskets for those in need during the Holiday Season, as well as anything that was ever asked of him.

Relatives and friends are invited to his Viewing and Funeral, Monday, December 30, 2024 after 9 AM from Saint Nicholas of Tolentine Church, 1718 South 9th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19148 followed by his Mass of Christian Burial at 10:30 AM. Interment will follow at SS Peter & Paul Cemetery, where he will be laid to rest with his wife. Military Honors will be rendered at the committal.

Arrangements were entrusted to the care of Rachubinski & Rogers Funeral Homes.

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# Cemetery Details

## SS Peter and Paul Cemetery

1600 Sproul Road  
Springfields, PA 19064

# Previous Events

## Viewing

DEC **30**. 9:00 AM - 10:15 AM (ET)

St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church  
1718 South 9th Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19148

*Flowers are to be delivered before 830 AM*

## Mass of Christian Burial

DEC **30**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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