



Thomas J. Burke, Jr.

February 20, 2025

Thomas J. Burke, Jr., passed away peacefully at his home on February 20, 2025 at the age of 73. He was born and raised in South Philadelphia and was a graduate of Sacred Heart of Jesus School and Saint John Neumann High School. He served his country proudly as a member of the United States Coast Guard. Tom was an avid Phillies fan and loved visiting surrounding stadiums to watch his Phillies play. This was a special bond he shared with his sons and grandsons.

He was the beloved husband of Rosemarie (nee Loewe) and loving Dad to Tommy III (Maureen), Chris (Denise), Jennifer Ricciardi (Mike), Erika Rocheleau (Jeff), James, and Daniel (Jholly Prell "Hana"). He was the devoted Pop Pop of Marissa (Dylan), Tyler, Jessica, Mikey, Jordan, Matthew, Jenna, Jasen, and Austin, as well as Great Grandpop to the late Lennon Avery. He also leaves behind his sister, Donna Smollen, and his nieces, a nephew, and cousins.

Tom was a jeans and hoodie kind of guy and wanted everyone to remember him that way. In honor, family is asking everyone attending to proudly wear your Phillies gear, no suit and tie required.

Relatives and friends are invited, Saturday, March 1, 2025, to his Viewing from 9 AM to 10:30 AM at Rogers Funeral Home, Inc., 1426-30 South 3rd Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147 followed by his Mass of Christian Burial at 11 AM at Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, 1404 South 3rd Street, Philadelphia, AP 19147. Interment will be held privately at Delaware Veterans Memorial

Cemetery at a later date . Military honors will be rendered following his
Funeral Mass.

In lieu of flowers, please make donation's in Tom's name to the Children's
Hospital of Philadelphia Foundation (www.give2.chop.edu) or by mail at: PO
Box 781352, Philadelphia, PA 19178.

Share Online Condolences at www.rachubinskiandrogersfh.com

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR 1. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Rogers Funeral Home
1426-30 South 3rd Street
Philadelphia, PA 19147
(215) 468-4632
<https://www.rachubinskiandrogersfh.com/>

Flowers are to be delivered by Friday at 330 Pm

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 1 (ET)

Sacred Heart of Jesus Church
1404 S 3rd St
Philadelphia, PA 19147
(215) 465-4050

Tribute Wall

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“ *Rest in peace Tommy*



theresa renzi - February 28, 2025 at 11:16 AM

LD

“ *Love, Your sister Donna purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Thomas J. Burke, Jr..*



Love, Your sister Donna - February 27, 2025 at 10:27 AM

HK

“ *Rosemarie,
So sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my prayers.
Herb Kranz*

Herb Kranz - February 24, 2025 at 01:55 PM

ML

“ *Marissa, Dylan and Lennon purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Thomas J. Burke, Jr..*



Marissa, Dylan and Lennon - February 21, 2025 at 07:23 PM