



Donald Edward Kades

August 13, 1935 - February 7, 2024

Donald Edward Kades, 89, of Hamden, passed away on February 7, 2024. Mr. Kades was the Uncle of Bethany Kades Matos and Randy Matos of Derry, NH, Kristen Marie Kades, and the Brother in-law of Jeanne Mckeon Kades, both of Guilford. Born in New Haven on August 13, 1935, son of the late Peter Paul Kades and Pearl Ann Andrew Kades. Mr. Kades was the brother of the late Barbara Kades and the best friend and brother of the late Peter Paul Kades. Mr. Kades was predeceased by his aunt and uncle, Kenneth and Emily Andrew and cousin, Kathryn Jester. He leaves cousins, Gregory and Diane Andrew, Judy and Michael Delucia, Karen and the late Stanley Nizolek, Michael Delucia, Cherie Finoia, and Gregory Simpson. Other close survivors include Jessica and Stephanie Nizolek, and Mikaylah and Gabriel Matos. A lifelong resident of the New Haven area, Mr. Kades was a devoted fan of the New York Yankees and the New York Giants. He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict Era, Peacetime and Vietnam Era; serving 3 years in the US Marine Corps and 18 years in the US Air Force. After retiring from the military, he dedicated many years working for Amtrak, before retiring in August of 2000. Throughout his travels serving our country and his usual stomping grounds in Hamden and New Haven, he made a lot of friends with people whom he cared very deeply about. Don never forgot a birthday and never forgot a special date to send out a card. His smile lit up a room and his laugh will be heard long after he is gone.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday February 17th. Visiting Hours 10-12

pm at Sisk Brothers Funeral Home 3105 Whitney Ave, Hamden. Burial to follow at Beavertdale Memorial Park 90 Pine Rock Ave, New Haven. Those wishing to make a donation in Mr. Kades' memory are asked to consider one of two recipients: St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or The American Legion Veteran & Children Foundation. To leave an online condolence please visit www.siskbrothers.com

Cemetery Details

Beaverdale Memorial Park

90 Pine Rock Ave.
Hamden, CT

Previous Events

Calling hours

FEB 17. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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