



## Ted Jester

June 23, 1959 - February 13, 2014

Ted Jester of Hamden passed away in his home on Wednesday, February 13. He is predeceased by his parents, Harold and Jane, and is survived by his sister, Karen Clancy of Shelton and brother, Paul, of San Diego. He was a 1977 graduate of Hamden High School and a 1981 graduate of Bryant University, Smithfield, RI. After a career in dental products sales, Ted worked as a mail carrier for 19 years. In his spare time, Ted was a very avid golfer and bowler, and a member of the Knights of Columbus.

His wake will be from 4 – 8 pm Friday, February 21 at Sisk Brothers Funeral Home at 3105 Whitney Avenue in Hamden. A funeral mass will be at St. Rita Church at 1620 Whitney Avenue, Hamden, at 10:30am Saturday. In lieu of flowers Ted's siblings request that donations be made in Ted's honor to a memorial fund set up with GiveForward.com, a very simple way to give. Go to [gfwd.at/1mp2wO0](http://gfwd.at/1mp2wO0). Thank you.



# Cemetery Details

## St. Mary Cemetery

3102 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling hours

FEB 21. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Sisk Brothers Funeral Home  
3105 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT 06518  
(203) 288-7114  
[siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net](mailto:siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net)

## Funeral service

FEB 22. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Rita Church  
1620 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT

# Tribute Wall

EJ

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**Ed Jennings** - February 21, 2014 at 04:08 PM

JC

“ *Ted was a dear friend of my late son Tom Arent. They became friends at Bryant College. Their friendship was very special. Ted had a wonderful sense of humor and will be missed.*

*You are all in my thoughts and prayers*

*Love, Joan Cristaldi*

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**joan cristaldi** - February 21, 2014 at 11:16 AM

BH

“ *For Karen, Paul and the Jester Family -*

*Ted touched all of us in so many wonderful ways. He had a knack for insight and observation matched with his terrifically unique and clever wit. I will always smile when I think of Ted. And I am grateful for so many happy memories. He will be missed but never forgotten.*

*Sending heartfelt sympathy and love to you at this sad time.*

*Cousin Beth*

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**Beth Hampton** - February 20, 2014 at 02:34 PM

TF

“ *Can't believe that Ted is gone. So many great times. So many laughs. So many stories. Such a good friend. Everyone who met Ted loved to be with him. He did not know how much he was loved.*

*Silvia and Mike "Wally" Daly*

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**The Daly Family** - February 20, 2014 at 09:58 AM

DA

“ *Dearest Karen, Paul and Family,  
Ted is one of my dearest friends and that of my late husband Tom Arent. Ted is godfather to our daughter Olivia and our son Rob's funniest Uncle. Ted always made us laugh and amazed us all when he ran the NYC marathon in 1988. Tom and I followed him all around NYC and I ran a part of the way with him during the race.. I was so proud of him.  
Ted will live in our hearts forever and is probably having a great time with Tom in heaven.  
Looking forward to seeing you again Karen and meeting you Paul.  
See you Friday.  
Love Deb*

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**Deb Arent** - February 19, 2014 at 09:12 PM


LW

“ *Love Deb Jeff Rob & Liv Arentt Walling purchased the Ringed by Love for the family of Ted Jester.*



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**Love Deb Jeff Rob & Liv Arentt Walling** - February 19, 2014 at 09:01 PM

 James  
Lillis

“ Karen, Paul, I was profoundly saddened to hear of Teds passing. He was a kind and gentle soul with a wonderful sense of humor. We are praying for you at this time.  
James Lillis

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**James Lillis** - February 19, 2014 at 07:36 PM

ST

“ Karen and Paul, I remember Treadwell Street, living across from one another. Later, Your Dad and Ted bowling at Johnson's for as long as I can remember. He will be missed by those who knew him.

Sandi Zikis Thomas and John Zikis, Jr.

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**Sandi Thomas** - February 19, 2014 at 08:48 AM