



Thomas Kennedy,

July 15, 1931 - April 11, 2011

Thomas Edward Kennedy, Jr. 79, of North Haven passed away peacefully at his home April 11, 2011. He was the beloved husband of A. Fay McLaughlin Kennedy. Loving father of Marybeth (James) Williams, Karan (Mark) Mordecai, Megan (Justin) Turski all of Wallingford, Thomas E. Kennedy, III of North Haven and Kevin (Jamuna) Kennedy of Michigan, brother of William L. Kennedy of Hamden and Sr. Margaret Mary Kennedy O.P. Of Ellicott City, Maryland. Also survived by his cherished grandchildren Kirsten, Jamie, Allison Williams, Kelly, Kimberly Kennedy, Connor, Casey Mordecai, Braeden and Paige Turski. Tom was predeceased by his brother John "Jack" Kennedy. He was born in New Haven July 15, 1931 son of the late Thomas E. and Margaret (O'Donnell) Kennedy, Sr. Mr. Kennedy retired from the New Haven Register after 50 years of service as an advertising account executive, he then was a staff member of Sisk Brothers Funeral Home in Hamden until his illness. Tom was a 1950 graduate of Hillhouse High School, a 1962 graduate of Quinnipiac College, served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War, member of the New Haven Lions Club and the Knights of St. Patrick. He was an avid sports fan and was a member of the Laurel View Senior Golf League, Owenego Beach and Tennis Club, and was former director of New Haven Youth Pee- Wee Hockey, Clinic Program. Tom had a love for hockey, he grew up at the New Haven Arena and was known as one of the "Rink Rats". The family would like to thank the entire staff at Gaylord Hospital (Milne Two) Center and MasonicCare Hospice for their care and support. Tom, Dad, Pop-

Pops will be sorely missed but his love for his family and friends will endure forever. He also was a parishoner of St. Frances Cabrini Church. His funeral will leave Sisk Brothers Funeral Home 3105 Whitney Ave. Hamden Thursday at 9:30 am Mass of Christian Burial at IOam in St. Frances Cabrini Church. Burial in St. Marys Cemetery. Friends may call Wednesday from 4 - 8 pm. Gifts in his memory may be made to Gaylord Hospital Respiratory Dept. P.O. Box 400 Wallingford, 06492, Notre Dame High School 24 Ricardo St. West Haven, 06516 or New Haven Lions Club P.O. Box 8012 New Haven, 06530.

Tribute Wall

TF

“ We would like to express our deepest sympathy for your loss. The loss of someone close is difficult to bear. God promises a time when death will be no more and this is found at Revelation 21:4 which reads: And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning, nor outcry, nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away. I hope this brings you some comfort.

The Williams Family - April 21, 2011 at 12:03 PM

JM

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Kennedy family. God Bless.
Jim McKiernan

James McKiernan - April 15, 2011 at 09:42 PM

AL

“ You will be missed at Owengo. May the sun always shine on you.
God Bless you all.

Anne Miller Lynch - April 13, 2011 at 03:09 PM

JA

“ my thoughts are with the kennedy family. i am a friend of kevin's, as fine a guy as i know. i can only imagine where so many of his wonderful qualities came from. wishing the kennedy family peace and sympathy during this difficult time.
jim axelrod

JIM AXELROD - April 13, 2011 at 02:10 PM

CP

“ Dear Fay and Family, Curt and I were so sorry to hear of Tom's death. Please accept our deepest sympathy. Curt remembers the good times they had when they went out to the retired guys luncheons. Our prayers will be with you. May and Curt Pollen

Curtis & May Pollen - April 13, 2011 at 02:07 PM

SD

“ Dear Karan,
Please accepts my prayers & sympathy on the passing of your dad. In memories and in your heart your dad will live forever. May thoughts of times spent together bring you comfort in the days to come.
Susan Derbacher

Susan Derbacher - April 13, 2011 at 01:07 PM

JM

“ May the Leprechauns be near you to spread good luck along your way. May all of the Irish Angels smile on you today. Sincere Sympathy. Jane and Family

Jane Beirne McGuire - April 12, 2011 at 01:23 PM

BO

“ Hey Tom. I'll miss our Sunday conversations at Owenego and I'll certainly miss all the jokes you have emailed me over the years. You have been a good friend and there will be a big void in not having you around. God Bless. OB

Bill O'Brien - April 12, 2011 at 12:03 PM

JV

“ Kevin,

I am sorry to hear about the passing of your father. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Sincerely, Jill VanTine

Jill VanTine - April 12, 2011 at 10:06 AM