



Joseph T. O'Connell

June 20, 1940 - July 30, 2023

In honor of Joseph T O'Connell, 83 years old, passed away July 30, 2023, from natural causes surrounded by his children, their wives, and grandchildren. Joe was born on June 20, 1940, to Joseph C. O'Connell and Margaret C. Gillen, of Ossining, NY. After graduating from Ossining High School in 1958, he joined the United States Air Force in October of 1958 and received an Honorable Discharge in October of 1962. He joined the Westchester County Sherriff's Department and then moved on to become a NY State Trooper for 29 years, retiring in 1995. In 1962, he met his beautiful bride, Lois A. Dunscomb and were wed on February 8th, 1964. They went on to have three amazing children, Sean J., Kathleen A., and Joseph P. Joe and Lois enjoyed many adventures traveling to New England, their second home, and spending time with family. Joe is predeceased by his parents, Joseph C. and Margaret C., and the love of his life, his wife Lois A, his sister Margaret E, and brother Thomas P. He is survived by sister Patricia Neff of New Hampshire, his son Sean J. and wife Rebekah L. of Goodyear, AZ and their children, Robert J., Jack T., Timothy W., Benjamin M., and Shannon H.; his daughter Kathleen A. of Hudson, NY., and her children Joshua, Abigail, Hannah, Zachery, and Nathan; and son Joseph P. and wife Marie T. of Hudson, NY., and their children, Joseph M, Kristen E., and Patrick T. Joe lived a very full life, known by many for his rambunctious jokes, love of Budweiser, all things Irish, and giving out advice that included "No bid deal" and "For get about it". He was a man who would give you the shirt off his back as long as

you had a beer to share and played golf with his putter better than any of his counterparts. Services will be held at The Greenport, located at The Falls Apartments at 158 Union Turnpike, Hudson, NY from 1:00pm to 3:00pm and 5:00pm to 7:00pm on Friday, August 4, 2023. All are welcome. In lieu of flowers, as Joe was very passionate about Hospice after the loss of his amazing wife, he would be honored to have a donation made in his name to The Hospice Foundation of America at www.efoundation.org or 800-854-3402. He is very loved and will be missed! Until we meet again Dad, Grandpa Deuce, Pop, Pop-Pop, Grandpa, Joey Bag-O'-Doughnuts and so on... Here's to you! We love you and will always hold you in our hearts!

Previous Events

Visitation Hours

AUG 4. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM.

The Falls
Greenport, NY

Visitation Hours

AUG 4. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM.

The Falls
Greenport, NY

Tribute Wall

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“ As a friend of Mr. O'Connell's beautiful daughter, Kate, I never forgot when she pointed out the window of their family home to a section of their lawn. I looked, and to my surprise, there was a perfectly shaped heart mowed in the grass. Kate told me her dad would always do that for her lovely mother, Lois. There was always an Irish twinkle in Mr. O'Connell's eye for his beautiful bride and a perfectly shaped heart mowed on his lawn for her through the years they shared together in their Hudson home. What a legacy to leave for his children and grandchildren. Along with the example Mr. O'Connell set in his dedicated service to his country and community, may his heart of love for his wife and family live on in all of you. Our sincerest condolences to the O'Connell family. May God's grace sustain you through this time of loss.
Kerstin and Chuck Kaiser

Kerstin Kaiser - August 03, 2023 at 08:00 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Joseph T. O'Connell.



August 03, 2023 at 05:04 PM

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“ *Where do I begin after almost 60 years of love, friendship, life celebrations, births and deaths. Rest in heaven, Joe, with your beautiful wife, Lois, whom I miss so much. I remember one of your favorite songs was " I just called to say I love you". Now you can tell Lois in person. My sympathy, love and prayers to the family. Love Anne Lodding and family.*

Anne Lodding - August 02, 2023 at 06:42 PM

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“ *Such a wonderful person, Joe. You always had us laughing. Be careful of those corks!*

Chris - August 02, 2023 at 04:47 AM