



Theodore Thomas Bayer

June 20, 2021

Theodore Thomas Bayer, age 98, entered eternity on June 20, 2021, at Camphill Ghent Adult Home. His last days were spent surrounded by his loving family and his Camphill community.

Ted was born in Oswego, NY, on the shores of his beloved “pond”, Lake Ontario, the fifth of eight children. He later graduated from Columbia University in NY and began his work life with the YMCA where he met the love of his life, Helen Heinz. They were married for 57 years until her death in 2008. Together they had four children, Thomas (predeceased), Linda, Lori, and John. This family grew to include spouses, 9 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Ted enjoyed years of a full and varied career, but it was his private and family life which offered him the greatest joy. His many interests included boating, woodworking, gardening, and philosophizing with anyone willing to ponder the deeper things of life.

A brief vigil at Camphill Ghent will be followed by cremation. The family will hold a graveside memorial service, at a later date, in Ted’s beloved Oswego, NY. Friends may pay their respects during the vigil on Monday 6/21 between 1:00 and 8:00 p.m. and Tues. 6/22 from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

The family would like to take this opportunity to thank the Camphill Ghent staff for the dignity shown and compassionate care given our father/grandfather. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Camphill Ghent Elders in Community, 2542 Rt 66, Chatham, NY 12037.

Previous Events

Visitation Hours

JUN **21**. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM.

Camphill Ghent

Tribute Wall

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“ *Jodi Hills lit a candle in memory of Theodore Thomas Bayer*



Jodi Hills - June 24, 2021 at 11:15 AM

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Lori Thalasin - June 23, 2021 at 08:56 AM

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Lori Thalasin - June 21, 2021 at 01:38 PM



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Lori Thalasin - June 21, 2021 at 01:35 PM