



Thomas Richard Sylvester

April 29, 1934 - November 13, 2011

SYLVESTER. Thomas Richard

Thomas Richard Sylvester born April 29, 1934, quietly passed unto God on Sunday, November 13, 2011. Tom was an army veteran and an avid golfer for more than 50 years. He is the son of the late Peter L. and Dorothy Marshall Sylvester of West Hartford. He is predeceased by his brother Peter Sylvester, Jr. Tom leaves behind his children Lynn Hughes and her partner Gary Cummings of Enfield, Laura Trottier and her partner Charles Olsson of Coventry, and Robert Sylvester and his partner Fredrick Maloon of Ellington. He has five grandchildren Joseph Trottier and his wife Stacey, Michael Trottier and his fiancé Jodi Donato, Jennifer Trottier, Steven Trottier and Ashley Hughes. Tom has one great grandson Jakoby Trottier. He also leaves behind his two dearest sisters, Katherine Sylvester and Noreen Guildner both of Newington as well as many nieces and nephews. Rest in Peace, Father. The funeral will be Thursday at 9:15 a.m. from the Molloy Funeral Home, 906 Farmington Ave., West Hartford with a Mass of Christian Burial at 10:00 a.m. at Corpus Christi Church, 601 Silas Dean Highway, Wethersfield. Calling hours are Wednesday from 5-7 P.M. at the funeral home. Donations in his memory may be made to ALS Assoc, 27001 Agoura Rd., Suite 250, Calabasas Hills, CA 91301. Online expressions of sympathy may be made at www.molloyfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Dad, Thank you for giving me my wish. I will cherish our night full of fun, music, and singing always. I can't describe the feeling when you said you were very happy that your family was here and that you were glad. It makes this a smidgeon easier. I Love you forever Dad.*

Love, Laura##imported-begin##Laura Trottier##imported-end##

November 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *To Sylvester Family:*

Tommy always had kind word for me and enjoyed seeing him and playing golf with him when that came up. He had a great sense of the history of the game...same as my own dad who recently moved on. The caddy stories and banter that exists live longer than the bitter pill of separation. He was lots of fun. God bless you all and my prayers for Tommy.

Jim Leone Jr##imported-begin##Jim Lene Jr##imported-end##

November 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Kathy, Noreen, and family:

Condolences from the Malley family. Tom was my first basketball coach at St. Thomas the Apostle school about 60 years ago. Now our grandson is playing with the same STA team.

We have many fond memories of the Sylvester family and your mom and dad, such good neighbors and friends.

We are very sorry for your loss.

Jim###imported-begin##Jim Malley###imported-end##

November 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dad, I will always cherish the special moments that we have shared together. You will always have a special place in my heart. I Love you! Lynn*###imported-begin##*Lynn Sylvester Hughes*###imported-end##

November 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Grandpa, I have seen you at your strongest point, and I have seen you at your weakest. Right now you are probably having the time of your life up there. I am so happy to have had a grandfather like you. And I am so glad you waited for me. <3 You always brought a smile to my face whenever you called me sweetheart and filled me with joy. I remember going ice skating, swimming, all the holidays we shared, and playing with Bella. Thank you for those special memories I hold close to my heart. I love you so much and I am going to miss you a lot. Keep a spot up there for me! But your going to have to wait a while. \=

Love,
Ashley##imported-begin##Ashley##imported-end##

November 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM