



## W. Kevin Walsh

September 21, 2021

William Kevin Walsh, 83, died peacefully at home amidst family on Tuesday, September 21, 2021. Kevin was born in Bridgeport, the son of William and Ruth (Myers) Walsh. He is survived by his children and grandchildren: Kevin (Stacy) Walsh of West Hartford and their children Will, Seamus and Cady; Michael (Carrie) Walsh of West Hartford and their children Patrick, Stacie and Bridget; Brendan Walsh of New York, NY and his children Kayleigh and Shane; and Justin (Holly) Walsh of West Hartford and their children Colin and Caitlin. He was predeceased by his brothers Richard A. Walsh and Robert E. Walsh, both of West Hartford.

Kevin attended St. Thomas Seminary in Bloomfield and graduated from Fairfield University with a B.S.S. in 1960. After graduation, he enjoyed a brief career as a professional baseball player in the Washington Senators system. He also played several seasons in the Greater Hartford Twilight League and was inducted into the Twilight League Hall of Fame in 2000. He spent many years as a youth baseball coach in West Hartford, including as head coach of American Legion Post 96. He was a career agent for Connecticut Mutual and was blessed with a long retirement. Kevin was a devoted “Grampy” and never missed a grandchild’s ball game, concert or recital. He relished time spent with his family and friends at social gatherings, big and small. In 2018, he enjoyed an unforgettable trip to Dublin, Ireland with his four sons in celebration of his 80th birthday.

Calling hours are Sunday, September 26 from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Molloy

Funeral Home, 906 Farmington Avenue, West Hartford. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, September 27 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Peter Claver Church, 47 Pleasant Street, West Hartford, with burial to follow at Mt. Saint Benedict Cemetery in Bloomfield. Donations in Kevin's memory may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation or the American Cancer Society. Directions and online expressions of sympathy may be made at [www.molloyfuneralhome.com](http://www.molloyfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Saint Benedict

1 Cottage Grove Road  
Bloomfield, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

SEP 26. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Molloy Funeral Home  
906 Farmington Ave  
West Hartford, CT 06119  
(860) 232-1322

## Mass of Christian Burial

SEP 27. 10:00 AM (ET)

Church of St. Peter Claver  
47 Pleasant St.  
West Hartford, CT

# Tribute Wall



“ *Molloy Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of W. Kevin Walsh*



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**Molloy Funeral Home** - September 24, 2021 at 12:32 PM



“ *My family just learned of Kevin's passing. I'm so sorry not to have known sooner!*

*He was a very dear friend to my parents John and Meg, and he was beloved by our family. We will miss him.*

*Martha Papa Rein  
Winsted, CT*

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**Martha Rein** - July 22, 2022 at 07:45 PM

LS

“ To all the Walsh family,

*It was with extreme sadness that I read of your Dad's/Grampy's passing. I have known him for over 30 years and we enjoyed a lot of good times together. He was so proud of his family and he was a wonderful and loyal friend to many. He will be greatly missed but it is comforting to know that he is in a better place. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

*Linda Singer*

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**Linda Singer** - September 28, 2021 at 11:17 AM

GS

“ *i have been a friend of the Walsh brothers for many years. Bob and Dick and I were in the same class at STA school. The Walsh family lived on Sylvan Ave. and the Shea family lived one street over on Arundel Ave. I have spent many hours in the Walsh family home when growing up and many hours playing baseball on the vacant land next to their house. Kev was a really fine baseball player, but more importantly he was a really good guy. i*

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**gearin shea** - September 26, 2021 at 06:04 PM

TL

“ *The Team at Travelers - CTL, IP, RE & LO purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of W. Kevin Walsh.*



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**The Team at Travelers - CTL, IP, RE & LO** - September 24, 2021 at 07:35 PM

MD

“ Kevin,

*Sorry to hear about your Father. He had an interesting and full life.*

*Sincerely, Michael DeConti*

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**Michael DeConti** - September 24, 2021 at 07:19 PM

BH

“ *To the Children and Grandchildren of Kevin Walsh,  
Kevin came from great parents. We grew up in the same  
neighborhood,  
West Hartford Center and Fernridge Park. Kevin and his brothers  
were friends of our family since the 1940's. Kevin went to STA and  
STS with one of my older brothers, Jim Hunter. We admired Kevin's  
baseball achievements with the Washington Senators and then his  
career with Connecticut Mutual. I purchased a life insurance policy  
from Kevin in the 1960's and we kept in contact over the  
years. Always friendly and engaging we wish there were more like  
him in today's world.*

*Bill, Ann, & Jim Hunter*

*Southington, West Hartford and Las Cruces, New Mexico*

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**Bill Hunter** - September 24, 2021 at 07:06 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of W.  
Kevin Walsh.*



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September 24, 2021 at 01:08 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of W. Kevin Walsh.* ”



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September 24, 2021 at 08:05 AM