



# Thomas P. Canney

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**T**homas P Canney 69, of Methuen passed away at his home on Thursday, December 8th, surrounded by his family. Tom was born in Lawrence MA on March 2, 1947 to Thomas and Frances (Kibirstis) Canney. He was educated in The Lawrence school system, and was a graduate of Lawrence High School, class of 1966. Tom also graduated from Wentworth Institute of Technology, with a degree in industrial engineering. He was active in the Cub and Boy Scouts, Troop 51 of Methuen. Tom was also active in The Knights of Columbus, St. Monica's Council, and served as Past Grand Knight, as well as member of the fourth degree, and assembly 393. One of Tom's favorite associations was with The Ancient Order of The Hibernians, where he served as Chairman of the Standing Committee, and also The Essex County Board of AOH. Tom was awarded Irish Man of the year in 2015. Tom leaves his wife of forty years, Ruth (Allard) Canney, daughter Heather Cole of Plaistow, son Aaron and his wife Nicole of Manchester, two grandchildren, Alexis and Jake Cole of Plaistow, brother and sister in law, Robert and Linda Allard of Seabrook, as well as four nieces, two nephews, and many cousins. He will be greatly missed by his two cats, Moose and Shirley. A funeral mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, December 14, 2016 at 9:00AM in St. Monica Church 212 Lawrence St. Methuen, MA, 01844. A burial will follow in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery in Lawrence, MA. Friends and family may call on Tuesday, December 13, 2016 from 4:00PM to 8:00PM at the John Breen Memorial Funeral Home Inc. 35 Merrimack Street, North Andover, MA. For more information or to send an online condolence please visit our website at: [www.breenfuneralhome.com](http://www.breenfuneralhome.com); Donations in Tom's memory made be made to Dana Farber Cancer Institute please visit: [www.danafarbergiving.org](http://www.danafarbergiving.org). Merrimack Valley Hospice, 360 Merrimack St. Lawrence, MA, 01843 or Project St. Patrick: please visit [www.aoh.com](http://www.aoh.com).



## Tribute Wall

Thomas P. Canney

LA

**Lauralee** posted:

I'm so sorry to hear about your loss. Jehovah God gives us comfort at John 5:28,29 where it mentions that we will see our dead loved ones again. This is what He promises us. We know this because God is perfect and can't lie. I hope I have brought you some comfort in your time of need. Once again I'm so sorry. For further information please go to JW.ORG.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

DB

**Dave Beaudry** posted:

I'm so sorry to hear that Tom passed away. My fondest memories of him were at Camp Onway. I was a new adult leader, and, even though he was old enough to be my dad, he treated me like a good friend. Most of my memories are of him smiling and laughing. He was a great man. My thoughts and prayers are with Ruth, Aaron, Heather and the rest of the family. Take care.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

MM

**Mike Maier** posted:

Rest in peace, Uncle Tom. Love to all the family from Oregon.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

CM

**Christine Mangano** posted:

So sorry for your loss.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

TM

**Tom Maier** posted:

RIP Uncle Tom. Guess I can't get you into trouble anymore. Although the story was over 38 years ago we still got a laugh out of it every time. Love and miss you.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

DH

**Dan. Hines** posted:

My deepest sympathy to you and your family.

March 7 at 8:00 PM



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JP

**Jamie And Mary Pelletier** posted:

WE ARE DEEPLY SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

AL

**Andy & Karin Lippo** posted:

May our Lord bless and comfort you and your family during this time of grief. May God give him eternal rest. Please accept our sincere condolences. Tom was great guy we will all miss him. God Bless

March 7 at 8:00 PM

GD

**Gerard Donahue** posted:

Linda, I, and Will and Daniel want to extend our sincere condolences for your Husband. He was a great man, Knight, and mentor.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

SR

**Sheila Reiss** posted:

Dear Ruthie, Heather and Aaron. We are so greatly saddened to hear of Tom's passing. We hope that our prayers and love will help see you through this time. We will always remember Tom fondly and hope you find comfort through the Lord. All our love, John and Sheila.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

CB

**Charlene Boucher** posted:

So sorry for your loss My cousin Tom was very special to me I loved him very much ?? Charlene

March 7 at 8:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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