



Thomas L. Mitchell Sr.

June 18, 1944 - May 4, 2020

Thomas "Tom" L. Mitchell Sr., 75, of Fond du Lac, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his family on Monday, May 4, 2020.

He was born on June 18, 1944, in Fond du Lac. Those who knew him well called him Tom or Hoopie.

He served in the Air Force as a jet mechanic. He had an honorable discharge from active service in 1963 but remained in the reserves until 1967.

He married his loving wife Teri in 1980 and would have celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary in October of this year.

He is survived by his wife, Therese Mitchell, children: Mindy (Mike) Joerndt, and Nicole Mueller; grandson Joshua Joerndt; sisters: Joan (Terry) Collien, Mary Lou (Bob) England, Shirley (Fritz) Willis; brother Richard Mitchell and many nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by his mother, Florence Wittkopf, step-father George Wittkopf, father John Mitchell, brother Ron Mitchell and sister-in-law Lorraine Mitchell.

Special thanks to Heartland Hospice (Kathleen, Norma, Paula, Nicole, Kaelyn,

Eunice) and all others who provided care for Tom. We are grateful for all your help and compassionate care.

Due to COVID-19, funeral services with full military honors will be held at a later date.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

686 Fond du Lac Avenue
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 22. 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory
31 E. Division Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

Service

AUG 22. 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest sympathy to you all.
Kathy Ahner Gill*

Kathy Ahner Gill - September 05, 2020 at 10:34 AM

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“ *I am so very sorry for the loss of Tom. I've only known him for four years, but he always had a smile, a pet for Olaf, and we had many friendly conversations together. I will miss seeing him in his garage tinkering and listening to music. Thank you Tom for being such a wonderful man and neighbor, you will be greatly missed!
Holly and Collin Frize and Jennifer Kindschi*

Holly Frize - May 08, 2020 at 12:23 PM

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*Teri and Family, I am so sorry to hear about Tom. He will be truly missed by those who knew him. A huge thank you to a great man. Tom and you were so nice to my Mother. She had nothing but good things to say about him. Always will to lend a hand to anyone in need. Especially me, when I locked my keys in the car on a Sunday morning at Lakeside Park. Farewell My friend.
Frank & Sandy Beuk*

Frank Beuk - May 08, 2020 at 04:06 PM