



Thomas "Tom" L. Jeffers

July 27, 1944 - May 20, 2025

Thomas "Tom" L. Jeffers, 80, of Fond du Lac, WI and Sarasota, FL, died on Tuesday, May 20, 2025 at Harbor Haven, Fond du Lac.

Tom was born in Fond du Lac, WI on July 27, 1944, to Thomas E. and Marian (Mayer) Jeffers. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Fond du Lac. Tom graduated from Winnebago Lutheran Academy in 1962 and graduated from Oshkosh Technical Institute with an Associate Degree in accounting. On March 1, 1969, he married Margaret (Marge) Willie of Van Dyne. He worked at Mercury Marine for several years before becoming an operating engineer. Later he purchased his own trucking business, hauling milk from farm to market. After selling that business, he drove semi-truck milk tankers to numerous states throughout the Midwest and South. He was employed as a truck driver for Midwest Express before he retired in 2004. In his semi-retirement, he drove part-time for Fond du Lac Express.

Tom was a life-long member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Fond du Lac and found his second church home at St. Armand's Key Lutheran Church in Sarasota, where he spent his retirement winters. Tom served as a volunteer fireman on the Van Dyne Fire Department for many years. He loved sports and in his early years and played softball in the Fond du Lac and North Fond du Lac leagues. He was also an avid Packer fan and proudly informed everyone that he owned a share of stock in the Packers. After retiring from softball, Tom took up boating. He spent many week-ends and vacations cruising Lake Winnebago, Lake Michigan, Green Bay, the North Channel and the Mississippi River. Tom also loved all things Sarasota, from plays and cabarets to waterside tiki bars. He also enjoyed traveling and took many memorable trips over the years.

Tom was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Marge and his son, James Jeffers. He is also survived by his brother, David (Janet) Jeffers, his sister Mary (Jack) Terry and many cherished nieces and nephews.

The family would like to thank the compassionate and caring staff at Harbor Haven in Fond du Lac. Their care and kindness meant a great deal to Tom on his final journey. Special thanks to his nurse, Tina, who provided comfort and care to the family in his final hour. Tom is at peace with God in his heavenly home.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Fond

du Lac, Wisconsin, or St. Armand's Key Lutheran Church, Sarasota, Florida.

VISITATION: Tom's family will greet friends and family on Friday, May 30, 2025, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, 1600 S. Main Street, Fond du Lac, WI.

SERVICE: A memorial service will be held immediately following the visitation at 12:00 p.m. with Reverend Peter Lindemann officiating. Cremation has taken place.

Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory is serving the family, on-line guestbook can be found at www.kurkifuneralchapel.com. 920-921-4420

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 30. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church
1600 S. Main Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54937

Service

MAY 30. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

EP

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. Earl and Judy Pieper



Earl Pieper - June 02, 2025 at 01:55 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Thomas "Tom" L. Jeffers.



May 29, 2025 at 10:23 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Thomas "Tom" L. Jeffers.

May 29, 2025 at 10:23 PM

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“ You have my heartfelt sympathy on Toms death . He and I went to high school together . I last saw him and spent quite a lot of time talking over old times at our last reunion. So glad I had that opportunity ❤️

Penny Zander (Uttech) - May 24, 2025 at 06:21 PM

DW

“ Dave and Janet:
We were sorry to read of Tom's death and send our sympathy to your entire family.

Dale and Carol Westphal

Dale and Carol Westphal - May 24, 2025 at 02:34 PM

KD

“ Marge of your lose of Tom may the Lord bless be with your family. From Ken Dins

Ken Dins - May 23, 2025 at 06:25 PM

VS

“ *My deepest sympathy to you on your the loss of your husband. May the memories bring comfort to you in the weeks and years to come.*



Vicki Sahr - May 22, 2025 at 04:54 PM