



Thomas Edward Morgan

September 18, 2020 - December 26, 2020

Thomas Edward Morgan, 78, of Tallahassee, Florida passed away on December 26, 2020 at Tallahassee Memorial Hospital. He was born in Detroit, Michigan on September 18, 1942 to Earl Morgan and Margaret “Rita” Gabrielle Thomas. He was the oldest of three brothers.

Tom was an Army Veteran, Sharp Shooter and ASA Tech Specialist. Tom served overseas with the Army in Chitose, Japan. After many years of owning Olde Ironside Steel Erectors of Miami, FL, Tom moved into the field of telecommunications with Global Communications of Miami, FL. Tom enjoyed all sports. On advisement, you would never challenge Tom to a raw oyster eating contest. Tom was a proud FSU Alumni! Tom frequently traveled to his hometown of North Miami, FL during his summer breaks from FSU to work as the Director of Biscayne Park and Recreation and coach sports to the youngsters. He also played college basketball. Upon graduation from FSU, Tom became an officer for the Tallahassee Police Department in the 1960s, and even served as a JPO for several years in North Florida. After returning to the Miami area to start up and operate a construction business during the boom, Tom later returned to Tallahassee, FL where he served 15 years for the United States Postal Service and was affectionately nicknamed “Chicken Wing” by his coworkers. Tom was a generous man who helped anyone in need, whether it was a family member, neighbor or a resident on one of his postal routes. Tom was a loving family man who enjoyed being involved with

his children and grandchildren's lives. He was a lifetime member of the Knights of Columbus and the VFW, Post 3308.

Tom will be lovingly remembered by his daughters, Blaire Morgan, Katharine (Katie) Morgan Haber; his grandchildren, Amelia Haber, Violet Haber; brother, James K. Morgan (Mary); stepson, Lance Baxter (Sharon & Sam); cousins, Tommy Eastman (Lori), Judy Eastman; Fred Eastman (Teri), nieces and nephews, Jennifer Morgan Hannula (Brooks, Aubrey & Brantley), Christina Groom (Anthony), Steven Groom (Onolee), Dina Groom, Jeff Groom (Tina), and Ricky Groom. Tom was preceded in passing by his youngest brother, Richard Groom (Linda) and nephew, Tommy Groom. The family would like to thank the incredible medical staff at Tallahassee Memorial Hospital.

Services will be held at the Tallahassee National Cemetery on Friday, February 5, 2021 at 2:00 PM.

The family is being assisted by Skip Young and Jackie Fulford of Young~Fulford Funeral Home and Crematory, Tallahassee, Florida.

Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas Edward Morgan*

October 22, 2023 at 10:27 PM



“ *Thomas Edward Morgan*

October 09, 2023 at 11:25 AM



“ *Thomas Edward Morgan*

September 22, 2022 at 01:34 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Eric Alvarez - February 08, 2021 at 02:56 PM



“ *17 files added to the album Memories Album*



Katie - February 04, 2021 at 01:04 AM

KA

“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Katie - February 03, 2021 at 11:02 PM

JH

“ That dark plane with Tom saluting in front is a B-25 like he once owned. The other photos are also from the Naval Air Museum in Pensacola. We are in front of a Navy P5M seaplane, tail number 5533. I actually flew as a crewman aboard it when VP-50 had it in San Diego. It is the last P5M seaplane in existence.

Jim Morgan-Tom's Brother



jennifer hannula - January 18, 2021 at 02:48 PM

TE

“ One of my favorite pictures of my cousin Big Tom taken last June when I visited him from Seattle. It is at his favorite seafood restaurant-Shell Oyster Bar-at Florida State where Tom, cousin Jimmy and I had lunch. I will miss my cousin very much but his memory will forever burn brightly.
Cousin Tommy.



Tom Eastman - January 14, 2021 at 04:10 PM

JH

“ I love and miss you Uncle. I will forever cherish our recent time together and your sweet words to me about my family, home, and children 🙏💕



jennifer hannula - January 13, 2021 at 08:50 PM

ER

“ *I'm so sorry Katie and Blaire. He will be greatly missed.* ”



Emily Ruse - January 13, 2021 at 03:40 PM

BM

“ *Tom was a hardworking and special member of our NYTimes ho my e delivery crew. Years after it closed, we got together at Applebee's every Veterans Day.* ”



Bill Madden - January 10, 2021 at 09:46 AM



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Lucy Fe - January 06, 2021 at 10:24 PM

DR

“ *I have known Tom since my childhood. I will remember him as a charismatic, fun loving, handsome man. My condolences to his family, friends and all whose lives he touched. May he RIP.*

Diana Russ-O'Reilly - January 05, 2021 at 05:46 PM