



Timothy W. Smock

December 26, 1954 - December 22, 2017

Timothy W. Smock, 62, of Benicia passed away suddenly and peacefully at his home Friday in the company of his beloved wife Marian. Tim had suffered a short but courageous battle with cancer.

Tim and Marian were happily married for over forty-one years. He is also survived by his beloved daughter Melanie (Jason Douglas) of Arizona, brother Skip and sister Karen Kiefer, both of Missouri and sister-in-laws Joanne Wales of Vacaville and Michelle (Loyd) DeWeber of Fairfield, plus many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents Orian Sr. and Delores Smock and his in-laws Frank & Jennie Fiore.

Tim was born in St. Louis, Missouri and moved to Benicia for his senior year of high school where he met Marian. They became college sweethearts when they both attended San Francisco State University.

At SFSU, Tim earned his bachelors degree and a kindergarten through high school credential in physical education. He started wrestling in the sixth grade, went to the California State Championships in his senior year and lettered in wrestling all four years of college.

Tim was a star football player in high school. He started golfing as a young boy, learning much as a country club caddy. Tim enjoyed golf throughout the rest of his life.

Tim had a 37 year career as a restaurant manger, working most recently at Benihana in Concord. He enjoyed working with the employees who affectionately called him "Mr. Tim" or "Boss". Tim had also worked for The Olive Garden and Chevy's among others.

Tim was an avid reader. He especially enjoyed the adventure stories of Clive Cussler. Tim loved sports and followed the Giants, 49ers and Warriors. He liked quality television programming and movies. Tim enjoyed gardening, the beauty of nature and the company of family and friends. Tim appreciated wildlife, zoos, animal parks and he adored the

family cats.

Tim will be remembered for his sense of humor and quick wit. He was a loving husband, father, brother, friend and was a true man of honor. God Bless his memory.

Visitation will be after 3:00 p.m. Wednesday followed by vigil services at 7:00 p.m. at Passalacqua Funeral Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial will be held 11:00 a.m. Thursday at St. Dominic's Church. Burial will follow at St. Dominic's Cemetery. Family prefers donations to Solano County Friends of the Animals or the Humane Society of the North Bay.

Cemetery

St. Dominic's Cemetery

Hillcrest Avenue & East 5th Street
Benicia, CA, 94510

Events

JAN 3 Vigil services 07:00PM

Passalacqua Funeral Chapel
901 W Second Street, Benicia, CA, US, 94510

JAN 4 Mass of Christian Burial 11:00AM

St Dominic's Catholic Church
475 E I St, Benicia, CA, US, 94510

Comments



“ Tim,

I wouldn't be the person I am today without your guidance, humor, love and support. In many ways, you were like a father to me during grade school when my own father was away at sea. You supported me to simply be myself when I felt awkward and unwanted. You taught me the power at laughing at myself. If I had to pick one the things we shared together that I will miss the most, it has to be our conversations. You actually listened to me when I thought no adult would or could. You made me feel valued and supported me to make sure I was heard. When Mel and I were going through a rough time at school, you were always there with movie passes, dinner at your restaurant, the best home made popcorn on the planet, good laughs, warm talks and the most amazing hugs. You helped me feel accepted and loved. I really hope I made you proud. Thank you are being a loving father to Mel, a wonderful husband to Marian, a mentor, a guiding force and a caring friend to all. You loved greatly. You are loved greatly. You will be missed greatly. May you rest peacefully.

Meg Morris - January 11, 2018 at 09:13 PM



“ I have known the Smock family since 1993 when I became friends with Tim's daughter Melanie. The family has always been kind, welcoming and loving toward me. Tim was always such a great guy, and I will miss him. There was never any doubt in how dedicated and loving he was to his family.

Stephan Clifford - January 04, 2018 at 12:52 PM



“ I first met Tim in 1998 or 99 while working at Fresh Choice in Fairfield. He had a way of making you laugh and we always had fun at work. I am so sorry to hear of his passing. He was a wonderful man and will be missed. Rest In Peace Tim.

Cathy O'Connell

Cathy OConnell - January 03, 2018 at 03:53 PM



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Passalacqua Funeral Chapel - January 03, 2018 at 01:56 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Timothy W. Smock.



January 03, 2018 at 01:35 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Timothy W. Smock.



December 31, 2017 at 11:22 AM



“ Tim was such an ardent supporter of our St.Dominic's 11 am Choir. We had many social events that he and Marian would participate in. It is difficult to imagine a life cut short at age 62. You will all carry on as he would wish you to, but his memory will be forever with you. I send my love and prayers to all the family and your many friends who share this great loss.

Marie Earp

MARIE EARP - December 28, 2017 at 12:48 AM